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Para No.57 Proposal contained in the file is regarding sanction of grants of Rs 230.00 lakhs to Tribal Councils.

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As per rule 206 of the General Financial Rules 2005 the grants-inaid including scholarships may be sanctioned by an authority competent to do so under the Delegation of Financial Power Rules 1978 to:-

- (a) Institutions or organizations set up as Autonomous organization under a specific statute or as a Society registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 or Indian Trusts Act. 1882 or other statutes.
- (b) Voluntary organizations or Non Governmental Organisations carrying out activities which promote the welfare schemes and programmes of the Government should be selected on the basis of well defined criteria regarding financial and other resources, credibility and type of activities undertaken.
- (c) Educational and other institutions by way of scholarships or stipends to the students.
- (d) Urban and Rural local self government institutions.
- (e) Cooperative Societies.
- (f) Societies or clubs set up by Government servants to promote amongst themselves social, cultural and sports activities as recreational avenue.

The Administrator of this UT is competent to sanction grants under Rule 20 of the DFP Rules to above organizations provided rules governing the pattern of assistance has been approved by the competent authority. Finance has been observing that the rules providing grants to Tribal Council may be got approved by the Government of India. The same has not yet been approved. Under the circumstances it is not possible to concur the proposal. The Administrative Branch may, therefore, refer the matter to the Government of India and obtain approval of the Government of India for providing grants of Rs 230.00 lakhs to different Tribal Councils as proposed.

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