

Reference page 95-101/cor

31. This is regarding grant of additional scholarship to the tribal students undergoing UG/PG courses in the JNRM, Port Blair and MG, College Mayabunder for the academic session 2006 -2007.

32. The academic session for the course is from July'2006 to April'2007. The additional scholarship to the ST students for the period from July'2006 to March'2007 of the JNRM, Port Blair and MG College Mayabunder have already been sanctioned vide office order No. 24 dated 19.1.2007, order Nos. 73,74,75,76,77,78, dated 16.3.07, order No. 104,105 dated 27.3.3007 and order No. 244 dated 21.6.07 at page 25-44/cor and 50-51/cor and the same has been disbursed to ST students. The scholarship for the month of April'2007 is due and the same is to be disbursed. We had requested the Principal JNRM, Port Blair and MG, College, Mayabunder to furnish the attendance of the ST students for the month of April'2007 vide our letter dated 6th November'2007 at page 93/cor. In response to which the Principal JNRM, Port Blair and MG, College Mayabunder has furnished the attendance of the ST students for the month of April'2007 vide letter dated 23rd November'2007, 8th February'2007 and 4th November'2007 at pages 95-101/cor. (PUC)

33. It is therefore proposed that we may make the payment of additional scholarship for the month April'2007 to the 129 ST students (i.e 110 ST students of JNRM + 19 ST students of MG, College Mayabunder). As approved by the Govt. of India, Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide their letter dated 5th June'2006 and letter dated 10th July'02 at page 45/cor and 102/cor the tribal students are eligible for additional scholarship @ Rs. 500/- pm. Thus total expenditure for 129 ST students works out to Rs. 64,500/- (129 x 500 x1).

A provision of Rs. 6.00 lakh has been made under scheme No.2 of sector -"Welfare of SC, STs & OBC" under Annual Plan 2007-08. Copy of the scheme is placed in the file at pages 103-106/cor. Out of which an amount of Rs. 4.565 lakh has already been incurred leaving a balance of Rs. 1.435 lakh. (Copy of expenditure sanction is placed in the file at pages 107-111/cor and 55-56/cor.

The fund is available under Major Head '2225' 02. Welfare of STs, 02.001 -Direction and Administration 02.00.34 Scholarship/ stipend for the year 2007-08.

The Secretary (TW) is competent. The proposal may be referred to the Finance department for concurrence.

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