

The proposal contained in the file is regarding grant of additional Scholarship to ST students undergoing undergraduate/post graduate courses in the JNRM, Port Blair and MG College, Mayabunder for the month of April 2007.

The proposal was earlier examined vide para 38/N and now re-examined with reference to the reply furnished by the department vide para 39-40/N.

The department has stated that the academic session for the above course is July 2006 to April 2007. 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 sanctioned vide office Order No. 24 dated 19.01.2007 and Order Nos. 73, 74, 75, 76, 77 and 78 dated 16.03.2007, Order No. 104 and 105 dated 27.03.2007 and Order No. 244 dated 21.06.2007 placed at page 25-44/cor. and 50-51/cor. and has been disbursed to the ST students. Additional scholarship for the month of April 2007 is due for disbursement to the ST students. The attendance statements in respect of the ST students of JNRM, Port Blair and MG College, Mayabunder are placed in the file at page 95 to 101/cor. Accordingly the department has now proposed for payment of additional scholarship for the month of April, 2007 to 129 ST students (i.e. 110 ST students of JNRM + 19 ST students of MG College). As approved by the Govt. of India, Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide letter dated 05.06.2006 and 10.07.2002 placed at page 45 and 102/cor., the tribal students are eligible for additional scholarship @ Rs. 500/- per month. Thus an amount of Rs. Rs. 64,500/- (129 St students x Rs. 500.00 x 1 = Rs. 64,500.00). A provision of Rs. 6.00 lakh is available under the Scheme No. 2, "Welfare of SC, STs & OBC" in the Annual plan, 2007-08, copy placed at page 103 to 106/cor. Fund is stated to be available under Major Head '2225' 02. Welfare of STs, 02.001 - Direction and Administration 02.00.34 Scholarship/Stipend for the year 2007-08. Special Secretary (TW) has approved the proposal.

Finance concur expenditure sanction of Rs. 64,500/- (Rupees Sixty four thousand five hundred only) for making payment of additional scholarship to 129 ST students for the month of April 2007 as proposed.

Approval of Chief Secretary may please be obtained.

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