

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 academic session July 2007 to April 2008. The proposal has been examined.

The department has stated that the academic session for the above course is July 2007 to April 2008. Additional Scholarship to 143 ST students (131 ST students of JNRM, Port Blair and 13 ST students of MG College, Mayabunder) for the period from July, 2007 to November, 2007 has already been sanctioned vide office Order No. 28 dated 24.01.2008 (placed at page 2 to 6/cor.). Additional scholarship for the remaining period from December 2007 to March 2008 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 9 to 14/cor. Accordingly the department has now proposed for payment of additional scholarship for the month of December, 2007 to March 2008 to 132 ST students (i.e. 119 ST students of JNRM + 13 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 15 and 16/cor., the tribal students are eligible for additional scholarship @ Rs. 500/- per month. Thus an amount of Rs. 2,64,000/- (132 ST students x Rs. 500.00 x 4 m = Rs. 2,64,000/-). A provision of Rs. 6.00 lakh is available under the Scheme No. 2, "Welfare of SCs, STs & OBCs" in the Annual plan, 2007-08, copy placed at page 17 to 20/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. 2,64,000/- (Rupees Two lakh Sixty four thousand only) for making payment of additional scholarship to 132 ST students for the month of April 2007 as proposed.

Approval of Chief Secretary may please be obtained.

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