Government of West Bengal

Education Directorate

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From:

The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal

To

All the Principals / O.I.C.s / T.I.C.s

Govt. / State-aided Colleges of W.B.

Sub:

Instruction to Colleges for extending co-operation in respect of

Post Matric Scholarship and Talent Support Stipend, 2017 - 2018

Ref:

Letter from Minority Affairs & Madrasah Education Department vide no. 1734-

MD dated 18/08/2017

With reference to the subject mentioned above the undersigned has to state that Ministry of Minority Affairs, Govt. of India has revised the guidelines for all types of Minority Scholarship and has also given emphasis on submission of Aadhaar no. Further, two levels of verification is prescribed, of which the first level scrutiny of the online applications will be at the institutions. For this the Head of the Institution will have to nominate one teacher as the Nodal teacher. Nodal teacher shall validate and approve the student record online on the basis of family income, Bank pass Book, Aadhaar Card and print out of the application which are to be kept reserved in the Institution. Like previous year all the Nodal teachers will be provided with user ID & login credentials.

Obtaining 50% or more marks in the last examination is essential for Post Matric Scholarship governed by MoMA, Govt. of India. On the other hand state sponsored Scholarship, Talent Support Stipend is disbursed to students passing last examination with less than 50% marks. In case of this Stipend Scheme, students have to submit copy of online application and other documents to the concerned Nodal teacher, who will scrutinize the online applications of Talent Support Stipend in similar pattern as above.

This is for your information and taking necessary actions as stated above.

for Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal