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Dated: 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2016

To  
The Chief Secretary/Administrator,  
All State Government/UT Administration,  
(As per list attached)

**Subject: Implementation of Pre-matric, Post-matric and Merit-cum-Means based Scholarship Schemes for students belonging to the notified minority communities for the year 2016-17 Choice and entitlement of Scholarship.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letters of even no. dated 14.07.2016 issued with reference to the State/UT-wise Physical allocation of scholarships and timeline activities under three Scholarship Schemes viz. Pre-matric, Post-matric and Merit-cum-Means based Scholarship Schemes.

2. Further, I am directed to convey that the Government has decided the following:

- (A) Information to be made available for various scholarships to enable students to make informed choice before applying.
- (B) One student can avail only one scholarship up to school level (up to class XII) and one scholarship under each sub-category at Higher Education level. Thus student can avail one scholarship at Graduation, Post-Graduation and Technical Courses respectively.

3. All the State Government/UT Administrations are requested to circulate this information to all Stake holders for the benefit of all eligible minority students.

Yours faithfully,

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