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Abstract

Minority Welfare Department – Scheme for Skill Development - Reimbursement of fee to the minority BPL Students studying in Private ITIs - Administrative Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (MINORITY WELFARE) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (RE) No. 7352/2013/GAD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 06.09.2013

Read: Letter No. 1104/Proj/2013/DMW dated 11.03.2013 from the Director,
Minority Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram.

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In the minority communities, especially among the Muslims, the practice of discontinuing education after the 10th standard, among the boys are very often. Without utilizing the available opportunities for acquiring some technical skills they go in pursuit of job opportunities in India or abroad and finally end up in a situation of job insecurity. It will become a social commitment towards the promotion of sidelined community, if they are provided skill development training with Government assistance.

The Director, Minority Welfare Department has submitted a proposal for the scheme 'Skill Development - Reimbursement of fee to the minority BPL Students studying in two year courses in Private ITIs'. An amount of Rs.1 crore has been earmarked for the scheme under the Head of Account '2225-04-277-94' in the current years budget.

The target group of the scheme is BPL minority students studying in Private ITIs (Government affiliated) for approved courses/trades having duration of 2 years/1 year/6 months. The selection will be in 80:20 among Muslims and Christians. 10% will be reserved for girl students. In the absence of BPL Minority students, the minority students from the families having annual income below Rs.2.5 lakhs will be considered. The selection of eligible candidates will be based on merit i.e, score acquired in qualifying examination. The attendance will also be considered for the disbursement of the benefit to the selected candidates.

An amount of Rs.5 lakhs will be earmarked for setting up an online system for implementing the scheme. A Monitoring Committee constituted with the Director, Minority Welfare Department (Convenor), the Director, Employment & Training

(member) and Principal of an affiliated Private ITI (member), will monitor the implementation of the scheme and setting up online system.

Government have examined the proposal in detail and are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for the scheme Skill Development - Reimbursement of fee to the minority BPL Students studying in Private ITIs at a total cost of Rs.1 crore (Rupees one crore only) including Rs.5 lakh (Rupees five lakh only) for setting up an online system for implementation of the scheme. The amount of reimbursement will be the amount of actual fee fixed by the Director, Employment & Training for each trade/course or an amount of Rs.20000/- for two year courses, Rs.10000/- for 1 year courses and Rs.5000/- for six months courses, whichever is less, to every eligible student. The Director, Minority Welfare Department shall formulate a transparent procedure for the selection of the eligible candidates with the approval of the Monitoring Committee.

The expenditure will be met from the H/A.'2225-04-277-94' in the current year's budget.

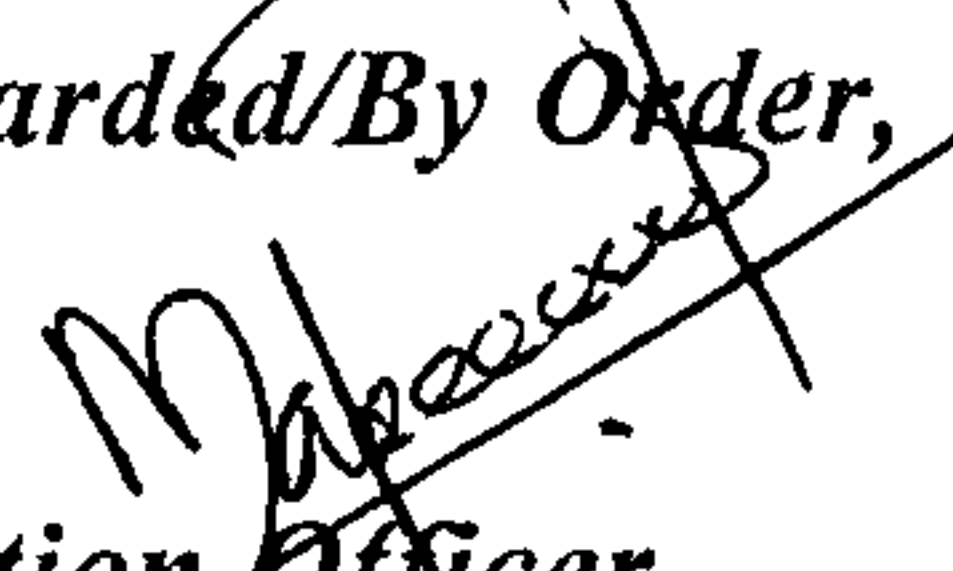
By Order of the Governor,

**K.R. JYOTHILAL,
SECRETARY TO GOVT.**

To

The Director, Minority Welfare Department, Vikas Bhavan, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director, Employment & Training, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
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PA to Secretary (GAD)
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Dated: 09/12/2013.

Principal's of all Private ITIs in the State Should take further action based on G.O.


Deputy State Apprenticeship Advisor