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From

Joint Director of Public Instruction (S & S),

West Bengal.

To

All the Principal / TIC / OIC of Colleges (State- aided and Government) of West Bengal

Sub.:

Necessary guidelines to colleges regarding submission of Post-Matric

Scholarship and Talent Support Stipend provided by WBMDFC

Sir,

As you are aware, West Bengal Minorities' Development and Finance Corporation provides scholarships under its Post-Matric Scholarship Schemes and Stipend under Talent Support programme to Minorities students having family income less than rupees 2 lakh annually and pursuing Post-Matric Courses.

From this year, these scholarships will be disbursed through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) mode. Consequently, the procedures for receiving, checking and data entry for applications are also revised. The change procedures for both the schemes are enunciated below:-

TYPE OF SCHOLARSHIP	MODUS OPERANDI
Post-Matric Scholarship	Online application through National Scholarship Portal (www.scholarships.gov.in)
(for students securing 50% or more marks in the last examination)	Checking and verifying the applications online by colleges / universities.
Talent Support Stipend	 Submission of offline application by students to respective Institutions.
(for students securing less than 50% in the last examination)	 Verification of applications by the respective Institutions
	 Submission of application forms in bulk to WBMDFC "Amber Building", 1st floor, DD-27/E, Sector-1, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700064 (for Kolkata District) and to the office of the District officer of Minority Affairs (DoMA) (for other Districts)

In view of the above, you are earnestly requested to facilitate the students of your colleges in respect of the changed procedures for both the schemes as described above.

Your whole hearted cooperation is solicited

Yours faithfully,

Joint Director of Public Instruction (S & S), West Bengal