No. 17011/03/2016-Education Government of India Ministry of Tribal Affairs Education Section

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Date: 15.06.2016

To.

The Registrar/Administrator (158 Top Class Institutes As per the list attached)

Subject: Implementation of 100% Aadhaar Based DBT in Top Class Institutes. Sir,

I am directed to state that the Government of India has decided to implement 100% Aadhaar based DBT in all scholarship schemes being implemented by various Ministries. As per this decision the bank account in which the scholarship funds are to be released to the beneficiary has to be Aadhaar seeded. Accordingly, this will be applicable in the implementation of National Fellowship and Scholarship for Higher Education of ST students.

2. You are requested to advise the beneficiaries of National Fellowship and Scholarship for Higher Education of ST students from your institution to obtain and provide their Aadhaar number in their application for scholarship. They may also be advised to get their bank accounts, to which the payment is to be made, Aadhaar seeded failing which this Ministry will not be able to disburse their scholarship funds.

Your's faithfully,

(K Chandra Sekar) Under Secretary to the Govt of India

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