



**GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA
TRIBAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

MEMORANDUM

Subject: Empanelment of Private Universities/Colleges/Institutes under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme “Post-Matric Scholarship (CSS)” for ST Students of Tripura.

This is to inform all concerned that the empanelment of private educational institutions under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme Post-Matric Scholarship for Scheduled Tribe (ST) Students has been made mandatory by the Ministry of Tribal Affairs (MoTA), Government of India (GoI), in accordance with the Regulation Governing the Award of Scholarship, available on the MoTA website at the following link:

<https://tribal.nic.in/downloads/guidelines/post-matric/Post-matric-guidelines-15032023.pdf>

2. The primary objectives of empanelling private institutions have been detailed in Regulation-4 of the aforementioned guidelines. Furthermore, MoTA, GoI, has directed all States to initiate the empanelment process, as recorded in the meeting proceedings vide F.No.19012/07/2023-Sch, dated 1st July, 2024.

3. In view of the above, a communication vide F.No.14-294/TW/Stipend/PMS/GL/2023-24-I/225434/2024, dated 23.08.2024, was sent to MoTA, highlighting that a substantial number of ST students from Tripura pursue higher education in institutions across other mainland States. Therefore, it was suggested that all States/UTs be advised to empanel private institutions within their respective jurisdictions and share the consolidated lists with MoTA. These lists, once compiled, may be uploaded to the Ministry’s portal for wider accessibility and benefit.

4. In this context, the Education Department, Government of Tripura, being the Nodal Department overseeing educational institutions at the Secondary and Higher Education levels, was requested vide letter F.No.14-294/TW/Stipend/PMS/Empanelment/2023-24-I/225020/2024, dated 22.08.2024, to identify and empanel all bonafied private institutions within the State, duly affiliated with recognized accrediting bodies/UGC, for the purpose of inclusion under the said scholarship scheme. The list of empanelled institutions was also requested for onward submission to MoTA, GoI.

5. In response, the Directorate of Higher Education, Government of Tripura, submitted a letter vide F.14(4-8)-DHE/Stip/23/2617, dated 09.09.2024, recommending the empanelment of 24 private universities/colleges within Tripura.

6. In accordance with Regulation-4(e) of the scholarship regulations, the Tribal Welfare Department, Government of Tripura, issued a letter of undertaking to be signed by the authorities of the aforementioned 24 institutions, affirming compliance with the following conditions:

- a. The institution shall not compel eligible ST students to pay fees, even in cases of delayed scholarship disbursement.
- b. Eligible ST students shall be allowed to appear in examinations and attend classes irrespective of scholarship disbursement status.
- c. The institution shall fully adhere to the terms and conditions stipulated in the Regulation Governing the Award of Scholarship.

7. Of the 24 private universities/colleges recommended by the Education Department, 22 institutions have duly submitted the signed undertakings and are thus considered formally empanelled. Eligible ST

students enrolled in these institutions shall be able to avail benefits under the Post-Matric Scholarship scheme through the National Scholarship Portal (NSP). The list of empanelled institutions is appended hereto vide **Annexure-A**.

8. However, the following two institutions have, despite repeated correspondences, did not submit the requisite undertaking:

- a. Tripura Medical College (AISHE Code: 9581), Hapania, West Tripura
- b. Holy Cross College (AISHE Code: 9589), Lembucherra, West Tripura

9. Any hardship or inconvenience faced by ST students in availing of the benefits of the scholarship as a consequence of the aforementioned institutes failing to submit the requisite undertaking shall rest solely with the respective defaulting institution.

10. The authorities of the 22 empanelled institutions as well as the 2 defaulting institutions are requested to prominently display a copy of this Memorandum on institutional notice boards, websites, and prospectus, etc., for its wide circulation.

11. For further information, stakeholders may kindly refer to the Department's official website and Facebook page at the following links:

Official Website: <https://twd.tripura.gov.in>
Facebook Page : <https://facebook.com/twdtripura>

Signed by
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To
All concerned for information.

Copy to:

1. The PS to the Minister, Tribal Welfare, Govt. of Tripura for kind information of the Hon'ble Minister.
2. The PS to the Secretary, Tribal Welfare Dept., Govt. of Tripura for kind information of the Secretary.
3. The PS to the Special Secretary, Education Dept., Govt. of Tripura for kind information of the Special Secretary.
4. The Director (Scholarship Division), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India, New Delhi for kind information.
5. The Director, Secondary/ Higher Education Dept., Govt. of Tripura for kind information.
6. The District Welfare Officer of all the Districts for information and wide dissemination.
7. The District Education Officer of all the Districts for information and wide dissemination.
8. The Sub-Divisional Welfare Officer of all the Sub-Divisions for wide dissemination.
9. The Head of the Institute/Institute Nodal Officerfor information and necessary action.
10. The Branch Officer, Media Cell of the Directorate of Tribal Welfare, Govt. of Tripura for uploading in the website & social media platforms.

ANNEXURE-A

List of the Empanelled Private Institutes/Colleges/Universities located in Tripura under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme “Post-Matric Scholarship (CSS)” for ST Students of Tripura			
Sl.	Name of University / College	AISHE	Nodal Administrative Department
1.	ICFAI University	U-0494	Directorate of Higher Education, Govt. of Tripura
2.	Techno India University, Tripura	U-1302	
3.	Aryavart International University	U-1277	
4.	Dhamma Dipa International Buddhist University	U-1323	
5.	Bhavan's Tripura College of Science and Technology	9602	
6.	Rajarshi College of Education and Skill	65327	
7.	Swami Dhananjoy Das Kathia baba Mission College	68618	
8.	Bhavan's Tripura College of Teacher Education	9591	
9.	Bhavan's Tripura Teacher Training College	53450	
10.	Techno College of Engineering	51568	
11.	Tripura Institute of Paramedical Science	9592	Directorate of Medical Education, Govt. of Tripura
12.	Institute of Nursing Science	9570	
13.	Tripura Sundari Nursing College	C-47424	
14.	Bharat Pharmaceutical Technology	61952	
15.	Milestone Institute of Pharmaceutical Science	69433	
16.	Rajeshwari Institute of Nursing Science	S-21677	
17.	ILS Nursing College	S-14138	
18.	Northeast Institute of Nursing Science	S-18890	
19.	HFT Institute of Nursing Science	S-19489	
20.	Sarvodaya Nursing Institute	S-18478	
21.	Bir Bikram College of Pharmacy	C-71437	
22.	State Institute of Hotel Management, Agartala	S-22288	Other Department

Signed by

Subhasis Das

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