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To

Dated Shimla-1 the June, 2023

- All the Deputy Commissioners in Himachal Pradesh 1.
- 2. The Registrar, Atal Medical and Research University, Ner-Chowk, District Mandi
- 3. All the Registrar, Government and Private Universities, Within and outside of H. P. where Himachali bonafide students are studying and seeking scholarship from GoHP
 - 4. The Director. Technical Education, Vocational & Industrial Training, Sunder Nagar, Dist.Mandi
 - The Registrar, H.P Technical University, Hamirpur, H.P. 4.
 - 5. The Registrar, CSKHPKV, Palampur, Dist. Kangra, Himachal Pradesh
 - 6. The Registrar. Dr.Y.S.Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni, District Solan Himachal Pradesh
 - The Secretary, H. P. Board of School Education, 7. Dharamshala, District Kangra, Himachal Pradesh
 - The Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Takniki Shiksha Board, 8. Dharamshala, District Kangra, Himachal Pradesh
 - 9. The Registrar. Sardar Patel University, Mandi, Himachal Pradesh, Pin-175124

Subject:-

Linking & Uploading of Educational Certificates, Income Certificate, Caste Certificate and Bonafide/ Domicile Certificate with the Aadhar Number of the Students and Maintaining of Data in the Digilocker, reg.

Sir/ Madam.

Your kind intention is invited to this Directorate letter of even number dated 04-09-2021 vide which it was brought to your kind notice that Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India has circulated revised guidelines under Centrally Sponsored Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme for SC Students. As per revised guidelines of scheme envisaged a robust IT Framework that, seamlessly and on real-time, verifies the eligibility upon entry of the Aadhar Number of the student in the registration page by autocheck of the online database of the (a) Income Certificate, (b) Caste Certificate, (c) Domicile Certificate and (d) Educational certificate/mark sheet of the candidate. This requires uploading & linking all the certificates issued by the concerned authorities in the State and thereafter uploaded in the Digilocker, on a real-time basis, which must be linked with the Aadhar number of the student. This will eliminate the vexatious process of

manual verification of the scanned /pdf certificates by concerned authorities which invariably delays the process of sanction of the scholarships under centrally and state sponsored scholarship schemes.

In this context, all the above stated authorities are requested that educational certificates and other certificates i.e. (a) Income Certificate, (b) Caste Certificate, (c) Domicile Certificate etc, may be linked with Aadhar number of the students/ applicant and must be uploaded in the digilocker, so that it could be linked with National Scholarship Portal through seamless APIs for the verification and sanction of scholarship under centre and state sponsored scholarship schemes.

This may be given personal attention and top priority please.

Yours faithfully, (Dr. Amarjeet K. Sharma), Director of Higher Education. Himachal Pradesh Shimla-1 the June, 2023 Copy for information and necessary action is forwarded to:-The Secretary (Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, The Technical Officer, IT Cell, with the direction to upload this letter on the Departmental website.

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