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Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
(Scholarship Division)

3rd Floor, C Wing
Kartavya Bhavan-1, New Delhi
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To,

The Director / Head of Institution,
All Institutes covered under the Scholarship for Top Class Education for
Scheduled Tribe Students

**Subject: Dissemination of information on the National Overseas Scholarship (NOS)
Scheme for Scheduled Tribe students, particularly among final-year students**

Sir/Madam,

The Ministry of Tribal Affairs implements the National Overseas Scholarship (NOS) Scheme to support meritorious Scheduled Tribe students in pursuing Master's and Ph.D. level studies in foreign universities. The scheme provides financial assistance towards [maintenance allowance, tuition fees, visa fees, airfare, contingency allowance and insurance, as per the scheme guidelines].

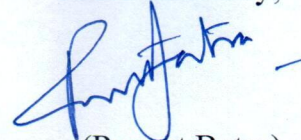
2. Students in the final year of their degree programmes are the primary target beneficiaries, as they are at the stage of planning higher studies and preparing admission applications. Early awareness allows them to prepare for entrance and language tests, shortlist universities, and gather documents within the application window. Alumni who meet the eligibility criteria may also apply.

3. In this regard, you are requested to:

- i. Circulate the details of the scheme to all eligible final-year Scheduled Tribe students on your campus, through notice boards, institutional e-mail, and official social media channels.
- ii. Organise at least one awareness or orientation session, in coordination with the placement, career guidance, or international relations cell, on eligibility, the application process, and the selection procedure.
- iii. Share information regarding the Scheme with alumni of your institution who may fulfil the eligibility criteria.
- iv. Assign a Nodal Officer for the National Overseas Scholarship Scheme, who will coordinate dissemination activities and act as the point of contact for students and the Ministry. The name, designation, mobile number and e-mail ID of the Nodal Officer may be shared with this Ministry.

4. A copy of the scheme guideline in respect of National Overseas Scholarship is enclosed herewith for ready reference.
5. The cooperation of your institution is requested in ensuring that no eligible student misses this opportunity for want of information.

Yours faithfully,



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