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F. No.11019/01/2017-Sch. Government of India Ministry of Tribal Affairs (Scholarship Division)

> Room No. 216-H, "D' Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001. Dated: 20 Nov, 2017.

To.

The Registrar, All Universities, (as per List)

Subject: National Fellowship for ST students under the scheme "National Fellowship and Scholarship for Higher Education of ST students – online applications for the year 2017-18.

Sir/Madam,

The Ministry of Tribal Affairs has been implementing the Scheme Fellowship for ST students through UGC till last year, and from the year 2017-18 onwards, the scheme is being implemented by the Ministry itself.

- 2. Online Applications for fellowship from eligible ST students have been invited for the selection year 2017-18 (Employment News dated 11-17 November, 2017). Details of Advertisement is also available at Ministry's website [www.tribal.nic.in (copy attached). Students may apply within one month of date from the date of advertisement in Employment News.
- 3. The eligible students belonging to Scheduled Tribes interested to pursue higher studies such as M.Phil' and Ph.D. can apply for fellowship on line at www.tribal.nic.in (under the column 'apply scholarship/fellowship'). The appropriate arrangement may please be made to make the applicants aware about the registration of online application.
- 4. It is, therefore, requested that the eligible ST candidates may please be informed to see the advertisement [link: www.tribal.nic.in (what's new).

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