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Government of India  
Ministry of Human Resource Development  
Department of Higher Education  
SC/ST Cell

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated: 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2014.

To,  
The Heads of all Centrally Funded Educational Institutes/Autonomous Organization/attached offices of the M/o H.R.D..

Subject: - 2500 Scholarship for the Students with Disabilities.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of letter dated 17.06.2014 on the above mentioned subject received from National Handicapped Finance and Development Corporation (NHFDC). The NHFDC is implementing two Schemes of Scholarship for Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment for the students with disabilities to provide 2500 new Scholarships every year for pursuing higher/professional/technical courses and students may apply online at NHFDC's website ([www.nhfdc.nic.in](http://www.nhfdc.nic.in)).

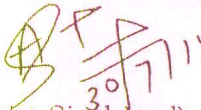
2. The brief details are as follows:

(i) Scholarship Scheme (Trust Fund): Under this Scheme, 2000 Scholarships are provided to eligible differently-abled students for Degree and Post Graduate level professional and technical courses from recognized institutions in India. The students may apply online ([www.nhfdc.nic.in](http://www.nhfdc.nic.in)) any time in the academic year and submit the hard copy of the application duly recommended by head of the institutions/college along with attested copy of requisite documents at any time during the Academic Year. The Scholarship amount ranges upto 1.50 lacs depending upon course fee, maintenance allowance, books & stationary allowance and aids & appliances of student.

(ii) Scholarship Scheme (National Fund): Under this Scheme, 500 Scholarships are provided in a year to the students with disabilities for pursuing Post Matric professional and technical courses of more than one year duration. The students may apply online ([www.nhfdc.nic.in](http://www.nhfdc.nic.in)) and submit the hard copy of the application duly recommended by head of the institutions/college along with attested copy of requisite documents from 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2014 to 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2014.

It is, therefore, requested to kindly provide wider publicity to the scholarship schemes for the benefit of students with disabilities and also provide a link in the websites of your department/organizations/other departments to the above mentioned website of NHFDC.

Encl.:- As above

  
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1. All Bureau Heads of D/o H.E., Ministry of Human Resource Development

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