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Revision of Annual Income Limit of parents/legal guardians considered in the award of Scholarship Allowances based on the results of Grade 5 Scholarship Examination

At present the annual income of parents/ legal guardians considered for the payment of scholarship allowances is Rs 24000/-. However there are many requests made by District Secretaries and Divisional Secretaries to revise this limit as this income limit is not in keeping with the present era. In consideration of these requests the Ministry of Education has decided to increase the annual family income limit of the parents/legal guardians in considering their entitlement to receive the scholarship allowance, and accordingly this circular is issued relating to this revision.

02. The income limits indicated in this circular will be enforced from January 2009, superseding Circular No. HRD/EQD/2002/20 dated 15.02.2002 which was issued earlier revising the annual income limit.

03. Therefore the annual income of parents/guardians derived from all sources which would be considered for entitlement to receive scholarship allowance under the new annual income limit will be increased from Rs.24000/ to Rs. 54000/- (Rs 4500/- per month) effective from 01.01.2009. Accordingly the annual income required for entitlement to receive the scholarship allowance should be Rs.54000/- or in a lower level However the grants received under the implementation of Samurdhi Program are not affecting this income limit.

04. The above revision will be enforced from the scholarship examination in year 2009 and thereafter.

i. The new income limit applicable for receiving scholarship allowance will be effective for the candidates who sit Grade 5 scholarship examination from year 2009.

ii. However, the annual income limit of the families of scholarship recipients who are already entitled for scholarship allowance will also be increased from Rs.24000/ to Rs.54000/- under this revision

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iii. In the meantime I wish to emphasize that there is no possibility for the scholarship holders those who are presently deprived of scholarship allowance to receive scholarship allowance under this income revision.

05. You are kindly requested to follow the instructions given in this letter in the payment of scholarship allowance from year 2009.


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