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Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
(Scholarship Division)

412-B, Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi, dated, 7th June, 2018

No: 201718-NFST-KER-01165

To

Mr. KUNHIKRISHNAN VELUTHOLY
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Subject: Fellowship under the scheme "National Fellowship and Scholarship for Higher Education of ST Students" to pursue M.Phil./Ph.D. Degree.

Sir/Madam,

Congratulations!! With reference to your application for the National Fellowship for ST candidates, I am happy to inform you that based on the recommendation of the Selection Committee, the Ministry of Tribal Affairs has selected you for the National Fellowship for ST Candidates for the year 2017-18. The tenure of the fellowship is as per guidelines and it commences from 2017-18 onwards. The summary of the financial assistance offered under the scheme is as follows:

Course	Fellowship	Contingency	HRA	Escorts/ Reader Assistance
M.Phil	@ Rs. 25000/- per month	i.) Rs.10000/- per year for Humanities & Social Sciences ii.) Rs. 12000/- per year for Science, Engineering Technology	As per rules of the University/ Institutions/ Colleges	Rs.2000/-p.m in case of physically handicapped and blind candidates for all the subjects
Ph.D	@ Rs.28000/- per month	i) Rs.20500/- per year for Humanities & Social Sciences ii.) Rs.25000/- per year for Science, Engineering Technology		

2. It may be noted that the selection is subject to the condition that the awardee has already secured admission and registered for regular and full time M.Phil./Ph.D. course in a university / Institution recognized by the UGC, while applying for the fellowship.

3.1 The awardee is required to submit the following documents, along with check list duly verified by the University, to the Ministry:-

- (i) Caste Certificate
- (ii) BPL card (if applicable)
- (iii) Post-Graduation passing marksheet (equivalent % of CGPA, if applicable)
- (iv) Disability certificate (if applicable)
- (v) Certificate from Head of the Department/Institution stating that student has secured admission under the Ph.D/M.Phil and registered with the University/Institution for doing research w.e.f (date to be mentioned)
- (vi) Details about the project (Topic & Methodology etc.)
- (vii) Bond on Non-Judicial paper (Rs. 20/-) (original to be produced at the time joining)

3.2 The above documents may be sent, by Speed Post before 30.6.2018, to Section Officer(Scholarships), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India, 412, B-Wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001)

3.3 Non-submission of above listed documents will render the selection of candidate for the fellowship liable for cancellation.