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Planning & Development Division

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On the recommendation of a committee constituted to formulate Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) scheme under the SCSP and TSP plan grant for the financial year 2015-16 and as agreed by the competent authority :

1. The disbursement of allocated Plan funds under SCSP/TSP grants (15% for SCs and 7.5% for STs) in the current Financial Year 2015-16 by way of reimbursement of programme fee paid by the students belonging to SC/ST category and pursuing following undergraduate programmes w.e.f. July 2015 cycle onwards as per the details hereunder:
 - a. Freshly registered in BDP (B.A., B.Com, B.Sc.);
 - b. Freshly registered BSW; BTS; and
 - c. Fresh and Second Semester re-registered students of BCA
2. Students under the category who have taken fresh admissions under readmission with credit transfer Scheme shall not be eligible for Fee reimbursement.
3. The programme fee paid by the students will be reimbursed on the pilot basis initially limited to July 2015 and January 2016 two batches of undergraduate students as referred above. The University will formulate separate policy for utilization of SCSP and TSP funds from 2016-17 and onwards on the basis of the pilot scheme.
4. The Regional Centre (RCs) shall invite applications from eligible and interested students in getting fee reimbursement. The prescribed Application Performa is enclosed herewith. All bonafide students of IGNOU belonging to SC and ST categories shall be eligible provided they have not taken any financial benefit either by way of scholarship/fellowship or fee waiver from any other institute or center or state government functionaries. An undertaking to this effect needs to be signed by the applicants in the application.
5. The fee reimbursement applications will be scrutinized and verified by the concerned RC against the Admission registration form. The details of eligible students programme wise for each RC for fee reimbursement will be submitted to Regional Service Division (RSD).
6. The Finance & Account Division (F&AD) will release required grants to RCs based on the recommendation made by the RSD and Students Registration Division (SRD).
7. The reimbursement of fee to the eligible students will be transferred directly through electronic means (to students' bank account) as per the guidelines to be issued by RSD.
8. This notification may be brought to notice of eligible students and other stakeholders



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