



Department of Social Security & Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities

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Dated 28.11.2018

RESOLUTION

Subject: Amendment to the 'Banishree' Scheme of scholarship

Pursuant to enforcement of 'The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016' and considering the convenience of applicants under 'Banishree' scheme of Scholarship, the State Government have been pleased to amend the guidelines issued in Women & Child Development Department Resolution No. 15776 dated 25th July 2008 as follows:

- i. The words "Persons with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act, 1995" appearing in the said Resolution shall be substituted with "The Rights of Persons with Disabilities" Act, 2016.
- ii. The words "District Social Welfare Officer" (DSWO) appearing in the said Resolution shall be substituted with "District Social Security Officer" (DSSO).
- iii. Sub-para-ii of para-8 of the said Resolution shall be deleted and the required certificate on parental/ family income of the applicant shall be issued by the concerned Revenue Inspector as incorporated on the body of the Application Form at Annexure-A.
- iv. The words "Women & Child Development Department" appearing at sub-para-iii of para-9 of the said Resolution shall be substituted with "Social Security and Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities Department".

Application Form for the scholarship as appended at Annexure-I of the said Resolution has been amended and substituted as at Annexure-A of this Resolution.

ORDER- Ordered that the Resolution be published in an extraordinary issue of the Odisha Gazette.

By order of the Governor

M. Chandra Principal Secretary to Government

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