

## Government of West Bengal Department of Women & Child Development and Social Welfare. Bikash Bhaban, North Block, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, Salt Lake, Kol-91

## ORDER

No. 5235 -SW/O/2K-13/18 Pt I

Dated, Kolkata 26th September, 2018

Sub: Withdrawal of family income criteria from the eligibility of Kanyashree Prakalpa From Kanyashree Year 2018-19.

"Kanyashree Prakalpa", the flagship Scheme of Government of West Bengal was designed with the aim to improve status and well being of the adolescent girl child in the State of West Bengal by giving annual incentives to school going girls from 13 (thirteen) years to 18 (eighteen) years of age and also a one-time grant to girls who have completed 18 (eighteen) years age and not crossed 19 years of age. The scheme was open only to girls from families with an annual income not greater than Rs. 1.20 lakh. For girls with special needs, orphans and for girls residing in registered child care institutions, the income ceiling stood waived.

In order to ensure that the benefit of "Kanyashree Prakalpa" reaches all school going girls of the state studying in schools in the age group of 13 years to 19 years, it has now been decided to remove the family income for girls studying as an eligibility criteria from Kanyashree Year 2018-19.

The guideline of "Kanyashree Prakalpa" is hereby revised accordingly.

This order is issued with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O. number 1238 dated 12.09.2018

All concerned are being informed accordingly.

Joint Secretary

Copy Forwarded for kind information and taking necessary action to:

- 1. Additional Chief Secretary, Health & Family Welfare Department, GoWB.
- Additional Chief Secretary, Higher Education, Science & Technology & Biotechnology, GoWB.
- 3. Principal Secretary, Information & Cultural Affairs Department, GoWB.
- 4. Principal Secretary, Minority Affairs & Madrasah Education Department, GoWB.
- 5. Principal Secretary, Backward Classes Welfare Department, GoWB.
- 6. Principal Secretary, Panchayat & Rural Development Department, GoWB.
- 7. Principal Secretary, Sports & Youth Services Department, GoWB.
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- 10. Secretary, School Education Department, GoWB.
- 11. Secretary, Women & Child Development & Social Welfare Department, GoWB.
- 12. The Accountant General ( A & E ), W.B., Treasury Building, Kolkata 700 001.
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- 38. PS to HMoS(IC), WCD & SW Department, GoWB with a request to keep her informed.
- 39. Finance (Budget Group N) Department, Govt of WB, Nabanna, Howrah.
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