

RULES OF SCHOLARSHIP FOR DISABLED PERSONS, 1999.

2000) [Extract from the Chd. Admn. Gaz. , dated the 1st March, CHANDIGARH ADMINISTRATION SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT The 18th February. 2000 of Territory Union No. SW2/SWD/99/515 .--Tha Administrator, Chandigarh pleased to make following Rules governing Scholarship for Disabled Persons These Rules may be called the "RULES OF SCHOLARSHIP FOR Title DISABLED PERSONS, 1999". The main purpose of the scheme of scholarships for the i. Object Disabled Persons is to assist them to secure such education, academic, technical or professional training or even training on the shop/ Floor of the Industrial establishment as would enable them to earn a living and to become useful members of the society. The scheme will be applicable to all categories the 2 . Scope the Visually Handicapped, the Hearing Handicapped disabled persons viz. and the Orthopaedically Handicapped, Mentally Retarded, • Leprosy • Cured and others

3. Definition of the Disabled Persons* **The Visually Handicapped** .The visually handicapped are those who suffer from either of the following conditions (a) Total absence of sight. (b) Visual acuity not exceeding 6/60 or 20/200 (Snellen). in the better eye with correcting lenses. (c) Limitation of the field of the vision subtending an angle of 20 degree worse. **The Hearing Handicapped** The hearing handicapped are those in whom the sense of hearing is non-functional for ordinary purpose of life. They. do not hear/ understand sound at all even with amplified speech. The case included in this category will be those having hearing loss better ear (profound impairment) or total loss **The Orthopaedically Handicapped** The Orthopaedically handicapped are effect or deformity which causes interference the bones, muscles and joints. Multiple Handicapped more than 70 decibels in the or hearing in both ears. those who have a physical with the normal functioning of The multiple handicapped are those who suffer disability • *To disabled persons will. include Leprosy cured persons suffering from spastics. from more than one patients as well as Scanned with CamScanner 2 Mentally Handicapped . A person shall be deemed to be mentally handicapped if his mental retardation refers to sub-average general Intellectual functioning originates during the development period and is associated with In adaptive behaviour. **Cerebral Palsy** A person with cerebral palsy one whose motor function is impaired < due to brain damage during the perinatal period or early infancy. Other categories • A person suffering from a disability not covered under definitions mentioned above, which is certified by a registered medical practitioner to have the effect of permanently reducing considerably such person's capability for normal. work or engaging in a gainful employment

4. Eligibility Requirements .(i) Nationality: A disabled person who is a citizen of India may apply for scholarship under this scheme. (ii) His/her family should have resided in U.T. Chandigarh continuously for three years immediately before making the application. (iii) Scholarship will be provided to all categories of disabled persons technical and professional defined earlier for pursuing general, education from 9th class onwards--- (a) Educational Requirements A disabled person will be eligible for the award of scholarship for study from Ninth Standard onwards. He/ She would have secured at least 40% mark at the previous annual examination, (b) Music Course A disabled person should have passed Madhyama or Its equivalent examination at least in second division from a college affiliated to a University or from Institution of all India Character approved by the Central Government. (c) Vocational Course A disabled person should be undertaking a vocational training in course vocational any training centre/ workshop/ ITI, or other any centre by run the Central/ State Government/ Local body or any voluntary organisation or Institution recognised by Central/ State Government. This will also include apprenticeship or training in a recognised institution or in Industries. Lack of academic qualification need not be a bar to vocational training. (iv) Income : No scholarship will be admissible if the combined monthly income of the parents/guardian of the candidate is more than Rs. 5, 000 (Rupees Five thousand). (A certificate to this effect will have to be submitted in Appendix VI I). (v) Other Requirements (a) Course : A disabled person must be studying a full-time- course or correspondence course in an educational institution affiliated to a Board/university. Music course in an institution affiliated to a University or an organisation approved by the State or Central Government or working as trainee in a recognised institution commercial/industrial establishment approved by the Central or State Government. student who under any scheme of the Central/ State (b) A disabled Government has received craft training free of cost, or undergone a course of general education free of cost will be eligible for training or consideration for

scholarship for higher technical higher education. The students who want to go in for academic shall not training and vice-versa courses after doing craft however, be considered for scholarship • Applicant will have to furnish an undertaking duly countersigned by his/her parent/guardian stating that he/she is not in receipt of assistance from any other source. In the event of the undertaking being found false further scholarship will be stopped and amount already the granting of paid will be recovered from the parent/guardian or from the candidate . himself If he/she is an adult. (c) Scholarship will not be awarded (i) for pursuing a parallel course of study e.g. scholarship will not be awarded to an M . A. in Economics to pursue study in M.A. Political Science. (H) for study outside India. (il) for pursuing academic/ technical course If a candidate has already completed a vocational course/ training, (I v) for undertaking any trafficking course for the second time. (d) Disabled person who has received any vocational training in any Institution including any Central or State Government Organisations of scholarship to work as shall be considered for the award trainee In any establishment approved by the Central or State Government. 5. (a) Rates of Scholarship The rates of scholarships for different courses of study are detailed in the Appendix-III

6. Tenure of Scholarship The Scholarship will be tenable for a particular stage of study and is renewable from year to year within the stage of education and it will scholarships would be depend on promotion to the next class, However, limited to a period of six years after Class X 11. The stage of study is as given below to Pre-degree courses or its leading (a) From Ninth Class equivalent examination. or Its equivalent examination upto (b) For courses after pre-degree B.A./B.Sc./B.Com./Medical viz . Examination Degree First Engineering etc. e. M.A./M.Sc./M.Com./LL.B./B.Ed./ (c) For Post graduate course, i. Accountancy/ Company Secretaryship , Chartered Accountancy/ C & W etc. Scanned with CamScanner 4 (d) For the following courses In Vocational/Technical Profession Q (i) For the Certificate Course. (11) for the Diploma Course. (il) for the Post Diploma Course. (e) The period of training In commercial or any other establishment or other training shall be in each case be decided by the establishment in consultation with the State Department of Social Welfare provided that the period shall not exceed one Year, say, with the specific approval of the Department on the basis of exceptional circumstances set down in writing. Scholarship will also be available for the courses in Music). (Note. Mode of Applying 7. (a) Application should be made to the Social Welfare Department in the prescribed form (Appendix 1/11) through the head of the Institution where candidate is admitted as a student/ apprentice/ trainee . Each application shall be accompanied by the (b) Documents following documents (I) Medical Certificate . A certificate issued by the Competent Authority to the effect that the candidate is permanently disabled within the meaning Of the definition given in Rule 3. (ii) Photograph A recent photograph in case of orthopaedically handicapped candidate showing the deformity. (ill) Audiogram : An audiogram chart in respect of a deaf candidate. (iv) Statement of marks Statement of marks indicating the maximum marks and those obtained at the previous annual examination passed indicating percentage of marks duly attested by a gazetted officer of the Central or State Government or Head of the institution concerned or a Member Parliament or State Legislature

8. Award of Scholarship (a) All applications shall be considered by the Director Social Welfare in consultation with such experts as It may consider necessary to consult. The decision of Director Social Welfare in regard to the selection or rejection shall be final. Scanned with CamScanner 9. (b) Every selected candidate shall be informed of the course for which scholarship has been awarded through the head of the Institution/establishment/voluntary organisation. Payment The payment of scholarship will start from the month admission is taken and will be payable up to the month of examination/conclusion of training provided that (i) the period for which the scholarship payable should not exceed a period for which the course/ training is held, the course of (it) scholarship is not payable for a month in which study/ training has not commenced before the 20th of the month or 20th. the scholar/ trainee has not joined before (Ili) scholarship is not payable for a month in which the course/ training has terminated on or before the 8th of the month of the scholar/ 10. study/ training of course the trainee left has institution/establishment before the 8th of the month. Extension of ' Scholarship extend The Department of Social Welfare may at its discretion, fit to cover an extension of scholarship for such period • as it considers the period of study/ training of the candidates caused by failure in an examination provided that the candidate's failure is due to circumstances beyond control. Such extension shall normally be made on the advice of the scholar/ trainee the Institution/establishment where head of the studying/ working

11. Other Conditions (a) The Chandigarh Administration may, at its discretion, relax the educational and other qualification.(b) The Chandigarh Administration reserves the right to amend the rules without notice. This issues with the concurrence of F.D. conveyed,--vide their Memo No. dated 16th February, 2000. RAKESH SINGH, Secretary Social Welfare, Chandigarh Administration. Scanned with CamScanner Type 07 Course Sr. No. 6 APPENDIX-III Rates or Scholarship Rate per month Rate per month for day scholars for hostlers Class IX to +2 1. (a) those who are receiving books/stationery, boarding/ lodging (b) those students who do not get free books/stationery, boarding/ lodging All other higher Classes (a) those who are receiving books/ stationery, boarding/ lodging (b) those students who do not get free books/ stationery, boarding/ lodging Rs. Rs. 250.00 150.00 500.00 300.00 300.00 200.00 500.00 300.00 The students .in vocational courses will get the scholarship at Note. the rates of the scholarship provided In the above categories according to the level of diploma/certificates SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT Scholarship for the Disabled Instructions to Candidates Candidates should consult the rules regulating the award scholarships J to the physically handicapped carefully to see if they are eligible before filling In the application form. A copy of the rules is available with the Department of Social Welfare/ Education



2. The application



form must be filled in accurately and legibly and all answers should be given in words and not by dashes or dots

3. A candidate must send the following documents with the application (i) Medical Certificate; (ii) Income Certificate; (iii) Statement of Marks of the previous annual examination; (iv) Recent photograph in the case of orthopaedically handicapped candidates showing the deformity; (v) Audiogram in the case of hearing handicapped candidates 4. Candidates are informed that If an application is incompletely or wrongly filled in and is not accompanied by any of the documents Scanned with CamScanner mentioned above without a reasonable explanation having been given to it, its absence the application is liable to be rejected and no appeal against its rejection shall be entertained

5. The candidates who were in receipt of this scholarship should invariably mention the previous reference number. APPENDIX 1 SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT Scholarship for the Disabled Education Application must reach the Director Social Welfare/District Officer, U. T. within the prescribed time

1. PART-I (To be filled in by the candidate) Name in full: Shri/Smt. / Km (In block letters) Postal address to which communication 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. should be sent. (a) Are you citizen of India? (b) Whether Scheduled Caste/ Tribe/OBC. Date of birth: (In Christian era) Name and address of the parents/ guardian and relationship of the guardian with the applicant. Total monthly Income of both the parents/ guardian. Please state if you are earning an income. If yes please indicate- (1) The source (ii) The monthly amount Name of parent/ guardian Address Relationship of guardian. Yes/No Scanned with CamScanner 8 8. (a) Particulars of all examinations passed (Commencing with the first or equivalent examination): Name of year Subject Name of Institution taken examination (b) Percentage of marks obtained Yes/No 9

10. In the last examination passed: (In the case of examination in music, indicate division obtained) Have you ever received scholarship under the Scheme? If yes, indicate —(i) the course/stage of study; (ii) period for which scholarship was paid} (iii) Sanction/ Reference No. Please state whether you have undergone any training course at any training centre for adult blind/ deaf approved by the Central/ State Government. 11. (i) Course of study for which scholarship is now desired (ii) Date of commencement of the course (iii) Appropriate date of termination of the course (iv) Date of joining the present 12. 13. standard In the course during the current academic year For Visually Handicapped. Have you engaged a reader? If yes, please indicate- (i) Amount paid per month: (ii) Date of engagement: Documents attached to (iv) (v) Name of Bank/ University Scanned with CamScanner 9 I hereby declare— stipend or any (i) that I shall not accept emoluments, scholarship, other assistance or grant in any other form whatsoever, except exemption for tuition fee, from any other course during the tenure of Scholarship if awarded to me under the above scheme. OR that I am in receipt of assistance to the tune of Rs. • and in the event of award of scholarship • from undertake to refund it from the month of scholarship payable to me, to the source from where I have received, and that during the tenure of I shall not receive any other financial scholarship if awarded, assistance, emoluments, scholarships, stipend or any grant in any form whatsoever, except the exemption from payment of fees. (ii) that the statements made in the applications are true to the best of my knowledge and belief and that no material information having a bearing on selection has been concealed or withheld • 1. Counter signature of Gazetted Officer of Central/State Govt • / M .P ./M.L . A i/ Magistrate/ Head of the Institution. Place Date Signature of the Candidate. Counter signature of the guardian in case candidate is minor • PART-II y, 2. 3. (To be filled in by the head of the Institution) (a) 15 the candidate enjoying free board and/or any other concession in kind from any other source? (b) If so, indicate the monthly amount equivalent to the concession. Is the candidate residing in an hostel attached to School/College/ Establishment? If so, date from which residing • (a) Details of the nearest branch of Reserve Bank of India/or State Bank of India or a Scanned with CamScanner 10 Subsidiary Bank affiliated to the State Bank of India where Government business is transacted (b) The designation of an officer in whose favour demand draft may be remitted 4. For Orthopaedically Handicapped.— (i) (a) Is the candidate using any prosthetic appliance(s) and aid needed? (b) If so, please indicate the nature of appliance(s) used if the candidate using special S. No. transport to and from the institution? (b) If so, please indicate clearly the mode of transport and the approximate distance travelled daily For Visually Handicapped— Has the candidate engaged a Reader? If so, the monthly amount paid to him/her and the date from which engaged Certified that— (i) The information

given by the applicant in Part—I has been checked and found correct • This Institution - is affiliated to the University of and the course of Government of study/training is recognised by the University/Government . Signature or the Head of the Institution Name (In block letters) Designation Place ! Date Address PIN (Seal of the Head of Institution) Scanned with CamScanner 11 APPENDIX 11 SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT Application form for stipends to trainees in recognised institution. PART-I (To be filled in by the candidate) 1. 2. 3. 4. 6. 7. 8

9. Nature Of physical handicap Name in full: (In block letters) Postal address to which communication should be sent: (a) Are you a citizen of India (b) District and State to which you belong: (c) Whether you are Scheduled Caste/ Tribe Date of birth: (In Christian era) Name and address of the parents/ guardian and relationship of the guardian with the applicant : Total monthly income of both the parents/ guardians: if yes please indicate Please state If you are earning an income : (i) The source (ii) The monthly amount . Have you ever received stipend under this scheme ? If yes. Indicate the period and name of the trade and the name of Industry in which training was obtained:

10. (i) Name of the training being pursued : (ii) Exact date of joining the training : Name of the parent/guardian Profession Relationship of guardian Yes/ No Yes/No Scanned with CamScanner 12 (iii) Date of termination of the training: I hereby declare scholarship, stipend (i) That I shall not accept emoluments, other financial assistance or grant in any other form from employer with regard of this training. (H) That the statements made in the application are true to the best of my knowledge and belief and that no material information having a bearing on selection has been concealed or withheld. Counter signature Of Gazetted Officer of Central/State Government/ M.P./M.L.A Head of the Establishment. Place Date Signature of the candidate. Counter signature of the guardian in case candidate minor . PART-11 2. 3. (To be filled in by the head of the establishment/ approved industry) (a) Is the candidate being paid salary/ emoluments etc. in connection with the training ? (b) If so, Indicate his/her monthly salary/emoluments Is the candidate residing in an hostel attached to the establishment/ Industry ? If so, date from which residing (a) Details of the nearest branch of Reserve Bank of India, or State Bank of India, or a subsidiary bank affiliated to the State Bank of India where Govt. business is transacted (b) The designation of an officer in whose favour Demand Draft may be remitted Certified that (i) The information given by the applicant in Part I has been checked and found correct. (h) The establishment/Industry Is approved by the Union Labour Ministry or the State Government and Registration No. 15 Scanned with CamScanner No. Place : Date 2000 1. 2. 3. 4. 6. (iii) 13 Shri/Smt./Mr. visually is a handicapped person (hearing handicapped, handicapped or orthopaedically handicapped mentally retarded training In our etc.) and has been placed for Implant will be effect from over on Signature of the Head of the Institution Name (In block letters) Designation Address • PIN (Seal of the Head of Institution) APPENDIX SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT Annual Progress Report of the Disabled Scholar for the year ending Name of Scholar Nature of Handicap Course of Study/ training pursued Date of joining the course in your , institution Present standard of study Date of joining present standard Approximate date of conclusion of course in your Date of commencement and termination • • tion of examination. State whether the examination was a public one or otherwise Result of the examination and comments Whether Scholar has sought re-admission after annual public examination, and if so, the date of rejoining the Institution Whether scholar was continuously on the rolls of the institution If not, indicate the reasons of absence and the period of absence Scanned with CamScanner