1-39/2018 NS-1 Government of India Ministry of Education Department of Higher Education Scholarship Division

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To

- 1. The Principal Secretary, Higher Education & Project Director, RUSA, Secretariat Dehradun 248001, 4 Subhash Road, Uttarakhand (Email: secy-for-ua@nic.in, secy-hedu-ua@nic.in)
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Subject: Bringing awareness for PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students – regarding.

Sir,

As you may be aware, this Department implements the PM-USP Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students across the nation.

- 2. The National Scholarships Portal (https://scholarships.gov.in) is now live for inviting applications from the students pursuing higher education. **The allocated quota for your state** is 616. Students who are in top 20th percentile in higher secondary from your state board and have annual income up to Rs. 4.5 lakhs are eligible to apply for this scholarship. Fewer applications will deprive the deserving students of your state from benefits of this Scheme.
- 3. In view of above, you are requested to spread awareness about the scheme by preparing information bulletin/pamphlets and share the same with the Principals of the schools/Institutions, Registrars of the Universities, publishing advertisement in the local newspapers, radio channels and uploading public notice regarding the scheme (copy enclosed) and User manual for the OTR and Scholarship Application Process (available on https://scholarships.gov.in/studentFAQs) on the official website of the respective Board/ Higher Education Department/Educational Institutions so that maximum number of students could avail the benefit of the scheme.

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Yours faithfully,

(Sangeet Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India