

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT – Jagananna Videshi Vidya Deevena – For Higher Studies in Top Universities Upto 50 ranked Institutions, Subject wise in abroad – For SC/ST/BC/Minority and others – Policy and Implementation Framework – Amendment – Orders – Issued.

SOCIAL WELFARE (EDN) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.24,

Dated:28-02-2023.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.39, Social Welfare (EDN) Department, dated: 11.07.2022.
2. G.O.Ms.No.07, Social Welfare (EDN) Department, dated: 02.02.2023.
3. From the Director of Social Welfare, AP., Tadepalli, e-file SOW02-16022/17/2023-D1-C SEC-COSW (Computer No.1984438), dated: 07.02.2023.

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ORDER:

In the circumstances reported by the Director of Social Welfare, Andhra Pradesh, Tadepalli in the reference 3rd read above, after careful examination of the matter, Government hereby issue the following amendment to G.O.Ms.No.39, Social Welfare (EDN) Department, dated: 11.07.2022 as amended in G.O.Ms.No.07, Social Welfare (EDN) Department, dated: 02.02.2023:

AMENDMENT

The following Amendment to G.O.Ms.No.39, SW(EDN) Dept., Dt.11.07.2022 is issued:-

(1) For Para 6(ii) of G.O.Ms.No.39, SW(EDN) Dept., Dt.11.07.2022, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

“6(ii).**Top ranked Institutions:** (a).The financial assistance shall be sanctioned to eligible students who get admissions in any of the top ranked Institutions, as per the list published in the Jnanabhumi online portal for every academic year starting from 2023-24. The list shall be published by taking the Top ranked 50 Colleges/Schools/Institutions in nearly twenty one broad categories of subjects mentioned below, as per the latest QS world rankings and the Times Higher Education Ranking”:-

Sl. No.	Name of the subject.
1.	Accounting and Finance
2.	Agriculture and Forestry
3.	Architecture and Built environment
4.	Art and Design
5.	Arts and Humanities
6.	Biological Sciences
7.	Business
8.	Chemistry
9.	Communication and Media Strategy
10.	Computer Sciences
11.	Economics and Econometrics
12.	Education and Training
13.	Electrical and Electronics Engineering
14.	Engineering
15.	Engineering- Minerals and Mining
16.	Engineering- Petroleum
17.	Hospitality and Leisure Management
18.	Law
19.	Medicine
20.	Natural Sciences
21.	Physics and Astronomy

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“(b) The top ranked fifty (50) Institutions covered in either of the two ranking lists, subject wise, shall be eligible for admission under the scheme. Notwithstanding this change, the eligible students who already applied for 2022-23 academic year and are sanctioned as per G.O.Ms.No.39 and G.O.Ms.No.7, shall continue to receive benefit as per those G.Os, till completion of their courses”.

(2). For Para 6(ii) (a), the following shall be substituted, namely :-

Scholarship Amount:

Ranking of the University	Tuition fee Reimbursement
Upto 50 ranked Institutions, subject wise, either in QS list or Times Higher Education list, as published in the Jnanabhumi portal.	100% of tuition fee (OR) Rs.125 Lakhs whichever is less for SC/ST/BC/Minority students. 100% of tuition fee (OR) Rs.100 Lakhs whichever is less for other students.

(3). For Para 6(xi)(b), the following shall be substituted, namely :-

“He/She should have obtained admission in any of the Top 50 ranked Institutions, subject wise, as per QS world rankings or Times Higher Education ranking (as per latest ranking list available at the time of inviting applications for the scheme and as published in the Jnanabhumi portal by the department for every academic year)”.

2. The CEO, APCFSS shall arrange to make suitable modifications to the software application in alignment with this order.

3. The Commissioners/ Directors of Social Welfare/ Tribal Welfare/ BC Welfare/ Minority Welfare and Managing Directors of all Welfare Corporations shall take further necessary action in the matter.

4. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O.No.FIN01-FMU0PC/16/2022-FMU-W-I, Computer No.1778655, dt.08.02.2023.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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To

The Director of Social Welfare/BC Welfare/Tribal welfare/
Minority Welfare, A.P., Amaravati.

The Special Chief Secretary/Principal Secretary/Secretary to Government,
Social Welfare/ Tribal Welfare/ BC Welfare/EWS Welfare/ Minority
Welfare/Higher Education.

The Secretary, APSCH, AP, Amaravati.

The Commissioner of Technical Education, A.P., Amaravati.

The Finance(FMU.Welfare.I) Department.

The MDs of all Welfare Corporations.

The CEO, APCFSS, Anjaneya Towers, Ibrahimpatnam, A.P.

Copy to:

The Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Finance Dept., AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.

The OSD to Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.

The P.S to Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare/ Tribal Welfare/BC Welfare.

The PS to Deputy Chief Minister & Minister for Minorities Welfare Dept.

The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government.

The GA(Cabinet) Department.

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// FORWARDED:: BY ORDER //

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SECTION OFFICER