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Dear Comrades,

MERIT SCHOLARSHIP FOR MEMBERS' CHILDREN – ACADEMIC YEAR 2025

Our Organisation introduced the **Merit Scholarship Scheme** for members' children in the academic year **2007**. As per the scheme, every year, scholarships are awarded to the outstanding children of our members based on the marks secured in the **SSLC / Equivalent and Pre-University Course (PUC) / Equivalent examinations**.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria

- **SSLC / Equivalent Examination:**

The top five scorers among members' children, in order of merit, will be selected and awarded scholarships to support their pursuit of higher education.

- **PUC / Equivalent Examination:**

Scholarships will be awarded across three streams – **Science, Commerce, and Arts** – as follows:

- o **Top four** scorers in **Science**
- o **Top two** scorers **each** in **Commerce** and **Arts**

Children of members who secure the highest marks in these respective categories will be declared as successful candidates and awarded scholarships to assist with their higher education.

Recent Modification in PUC – Commerce and Arts Categories

In the **PUC Commerce** and **PUC Arts** categories, **two scholarships** of ₹15,000/- each will be awarded based on merit. However, if there are **no eligible applications** in the **PUC – Arts** category, the unutilised scholarships will be **added to the PUC – Commerce** category. Accordingly, the number of scholarships in the **Commerce** category may be **increased from 2 to a maximum of 4** in that academic year and **VICE VERSA**.

This amendment to the scheme has been in effect **from the academic year 2024 onwards**, as approved in the **Managing Committee Meeting held on 18-08-2024 at Mangaluru**.

Application Process

Applications are now invited from our members whose children appeared for the above-mentioned examinations during the academic year 2025. The application must include the following:

1. Full particulars of the student (Name, Class, Stream, etc.)
2. Total marks secured and percentage

3. Copy of the marks card duly **attested by the respective school/college**
4. One **recent passport-size colour photograph** of the student

Scholarship Amount and Course-Wise Disbursement

- **SSLC / Equivalent: ₹10,000/- per student**
- **PUC / Equivalent:**
 - o **₹15,000/-** for students joining **graduation courses** (e.g., B.Sc., B.Com., B.A., etc.)
 - o **₹40,000/-** for students joining **technical/professional courses** (e.g., BE, MBBS, BDS, etc.)

Members will be pleased to note that a **total amount of ₹2,70,000/-** will be disbursed annually under this scheme, as a measure to encourage academic excellence among our members' children.

Publication and Disbursement

- The list of successful candidates will be published through a separate circular **after the scrutiny** of all submitted applications.
- Upon receiving confirmation from the respective members that the selected students have secured admission to the approved courses, the **scholarship amount will be disbursed via Demand Draft.**

As the **SSLC and PUC results** have already been declared in Karnataka and other states, we urge members to **submit their applications at the earliest** to be considered for the 2025 Merit Scholarship.

An **acknowledgement** will be sent to each member upon receipt of the application. Members are advised to contact us **if they do not receive the acknowledgement within a reasonable time.**

We encourage all eligible members to make use of this opportunity and apply for the scholarship to support and motivate their children in their educational journey. Let us inspire our children to aim higher by nurturing their academic aspirations through this meaningful initiative.

With warm greetings,

Yours comradely,



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