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Sub: **Operationalisation of Scheme "Play & Progress" to provide financial assistance to upcoming school sportspersons of Delhi.**

With an aim to provide support to upcoming school students, Govt. of NCT of Delhi has started a scheme "Play & Progress". Through this scheme financial assistance will be provided to school sportspersons for receiving training to promote and groom the talented students for participate at highest level of competition:

1. Games to be promoted:

To start with, the following games are identified:

- a) Athletics
- b) Badminton
- c) Swimming
- d) Hockey
- e) Wrestling (Boys & Girls)
- f) Cricket
- g) Football
- h) Boxing
- i) Gymnastics
- j) Kabaddi
- k) Basketball
- l) Judo/ Karate
- m) Table Tennis
- n) Baseball

2. Selection & Assistance to students

(A) Selection of eligible talented students

Talented and eligible students studying in schools situated within Delhi will be selected based on the following criteria:

- (a) In individual games, he/she is ranked among the top 8 Delhi State Ranking/ Rating maintained by Delhi State Sports Associations in Individual Sports as on 31st December of previous calendar year in respective age category in any of the game mentioned above.

OR

In team games, he / she is a member of Delhi state team for competing in identified national championship / national tournaments in the last one year.

OR

He/She has showed extraordinary performance in his/ her age category at State Level/ National Level by equaling or setting up new record in identified national / Delhi state championship / tournament.

- (b) Age Limit: Any student below the age of 17 years as on 31st December of a previous calendar year or any student studying upto Class XI of previous calendar year will be considered for selection in this scheme.
- (c) The student should be a bonafide resident of Delhi for the last three year and/or regular student of any school situated in Delhi, for past 3 years.

3. Assistance to talented Students

(a) Financial Assistance

- (i) The selected student will be provided financial assistance for his/her requirements related to his/her food & nutrition, sports equipments & kits, medical insurance and travel within the country. **The maximum ceiling of financial assistance will be Rs 2 Lakh for students upto age of 14 years and 3 lakhs upto age of 17 years or actual which is less.** The students selected under this scheme will be suitably insured for Rs. 5.00 lakh towards medical insurance and Rs. 5.00 lakh towards accident insurance to meet out any medical need including injuries related to sports.
- (ii) The Directorate of Education may consider enhancement of support to sportspersons upto 20% in a calendar year in special cases but only after duly recording the reasons behind the enhancement and approval of Competent Authority.

4. Time period of Assistance

Assistance will be provided to students selected under this scheme, initially for a period of 2 years. After that, the continuation will be extendable on yearly basis. However, his/her performance will be evaluated on yearly basis. If performance of any student is not found satisfactory by the committee in the two consecutive evaluations, the assistance will be withdrawn.

5. General Information:

- (a) A player, selected under this scheme, will have to represent Delhi in all competitions where he / she intends to participate during the time period of assistance.
- (b) In case of any dispute or interpretation of the scheme, the decision of the Directorate of Education will be final and binding upon the player and coach.
- (c) The Directorate of Education, GNCT Delhi reserves the right to change / alter / withdraw any / all terms and conditions of the scheme.

- (d) If at any stage, a sportsperson receiving the assistance from the Government, is found guilty of age fraud or indulged in doping or getting the assistance from any other state / UT, then the assistance will be stopped with immediate effect. Recoveries will also be made of the assistance already provided.
- (e) If a sportsperson / student avails the financial assistance from other scheme of GNCTD or from Govt. of India or from any other sports association, then he / she will not be eligible to receive assistance under this scheme for the same purpose.
- (f) Sportspersons applying for assistance under this scheme will furnish information about assistance received in kind or cash from any other source for the same purpose.

Accordingly, the desirous sportspersons may submit their applications through ONLINE module only on website www.edudel.nic.in.

Last date of submission of applications is 31st December, 2018.


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