BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY & SCIENCE, PILANI STUDENT WELFARE DIVISION

No. SWD/SCH/73

Dated: 09th March, 2022

NOTICE

Institute Merit-Cum-Need Scholarships, Second Semester, 2021-2022

All first degree students should note the following procedure for applying for the Institute Meritcum-Need Scholarships for Second Semester 2021-2022.

- 1. The award of scholarships will be decided at the end of Second Semester and will be based on the performance of students in the Second Semester.
- 2. The types of scholarships are as follows:
 - i.) Merit Scholarships: These will cover 100% reimbursement of semester fees for 1% students and 40% of semester fees for 2% students.
 - ii.) Merit-cum-Need Scholarships: These will cover 80% reimbursement of semester fees for 3% students; 40% of semester fees for 6% students; 25% of semester fees for 12% students and 15% of semester fees for 6% students. Minimum CGPA 6.00 is required for award of scholarships.
- 3. There is no waiver of admission fee.
- 4. No application is necessary for Merit Scholarships.
- The application should be submitted on-line on or before 1.00 p.m. Saturday, 30th April 2022, through SWD website link (http://swd.bits-pilani.ac.in). This will be accessible from 09th March 2022.
- Latest income certificate(s) should be submitted before the deadline along with the details of the applicant on a cover sheet available at SWD office (Room No. 2102-E). Students who have already submitted Valid Income Certificate(s) during First Semester 2021-2022 need not submit one again.

DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED

The following documents for the **FINANCIAL YEAR 2020-21 (ASSESSMENT YEAR 2021-22)** should be submitted:-

If parents/guardians are:

Salaried/Engaged in Business/Pensioner -

- a) If parent(s)/guardian are **salaried persons/Business**, Copy of **ITR along with Computation of income** stamped by IT department clearly showing the gross total income can be submitted (copy of E-Filing of returns is also valid).
- b) If Engaged in Agriculture only Original Income Certificate from Mandal Revenue Officer gross income for the financial year 2020-2021 (ASSESSMENT YEAR 2021-22) based on the income of the preceding financial year along with parents bank statement for past six months. In case of any educational loan, a copy of loan sanction letter to be submitted.
- c) **Pensioners** shall submit the Retirement letter along with the bank statement showing the pension credited. In case of any educational loan, a copy of loan sanction letter to be submitted.

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<u>NOTE</u>

- 1) AFFIDAVITS are directly rejected.
- **2)** Mere income statements and declarations by parents/their employers, notary affidavit, certificate from bank, annual pension statements etc will not be accepted.
- **3)** Income certificates of **BOTH** parents must be provided in case both are earning persons.
- All the income statements should be for the Financial Year 2020-21 (Assessment Year 2021-22) dated after 1st April 2021.
- 5) Income statements of earlier years will be directly rejected.

THE ELIGIBILTY CRITERIA FOR AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP

- a) Scholarships are awarded to the student(s) for the normal course duration. Normal course duration for Single Degree is four years and for Dual Degree is five years.
- b) The scholarships are awarded to students based on CGPA and gross annual income of parent(s)/guardian from all sources should be less than the maximum prescribed by the Scholarships Committee. Prescribed maximum limit for the previous semester was Rs. 11,00,000/- p.a.
- **c)** No NC/E/RC report in the second semester.
- d) No case of indiscipline in the second semester.
- e) Not availing any external scholarship that carries a condition that the student is not receiving any other scholarship. Students are to certify that they are not availing any other scholarship such as Inspire/KVPY etc. Any student availing fee benefit scheme is not eligible.
- f) In case of any ambiguity, certificates in original should be produced by the student on demand.
- **g)** Any discrepancies in the Parents details provided when compared with the previous semester the application will be directly rejected without any intimation.
- h) Both the Parents/guardians gross total income should be clearly mentioned.
- i) The application for MCN should be filled in very clearly and no changes will be encouraged later.
- **j)** All the applications, documents and certificates will be scrutinized by the authorities.

It is the responsibility of all the students to **check notices and SWD Portal or contact the SWD office** for details of the MCN Scholarship.

All decisions of the Scholarships Committee are final and binding.

(Prof. Srikanta Routroy) Associate Dean

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