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Government of India
Ministry of Minority Affair

11th Floor, Paryavaran Bhavan,
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,
New Delhi-110003

Dated 11th September, 2012

To

The Principal Secretary,

Subject:- Extension of date for receipt of application for grant of scholarship for the year 2012-13 under the Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme - reg.

Sir/Madam,

The undersigned is directed to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 27.02.2012 regarding allocation of physical target alongwith the timeline under the Pre-matric scholarship scheme to students belonging to minority communities. As per the timeline for 2012-13 issued to all the States/UTs, last date for receipt of applications from the students to the States/UTs was fixed as 31st August, 2012.

2. Considering representation from various States for extension of time limit for submission of application for Pre-matric Scholarships, it has now been decided with approval of the competent authority to extend the last date for receipt of applications form students by States/UTs for fresh cases upto **30th September, 2012 (in place of 31st August 2012)** for Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme and consequently it has also been decided to extend the date of submission of scholarships requirement proposal by the States/UTs to the Ministry upto 31st October, 2012 (in place of 30th September 2012).

3. It is, however, requested that it may be ensured by all States/Union Territory Administrations that applications for Pre-matric Scholarships are received till 30th September 2012. Due publicity may be given to this extension of the last date for the benefit of the eligible students.

Yours faithfully,


(Pradeep Kumar)

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NIC, Ministry with request to put up a "flash" on the home-page of the Ministry's website urgently.