<u>Guide for Ota-Shi Financial Aid for Students</u>

Type of Aid: Loan

Name of the Scheme:

Ota-Shi Scholarship Funds "Shougakukin"

Conditions:

Applicants must apply to all the following conditions listed below.

- i. Students who are going to admit or currently enroll in senior high school, specialized training colleges, junior college, university, etc.
- ii. Students of households with an address in the city
- iii. Students who have excelled in school and shown good conduct
- iv. Students who are having trouble progressing to higher education due to financial difficulties

Eligible Individuals:

- (1) Students in senior high school, college of technology, specialized training college (upper secondary course)
- (2) Students in a university, graduate school, junior college, specialized training college (postsecondary course)

Loan Amount: (1) up to 13,000 yen per month; (2) up to 33,000 yen per month

Period: Number of years spent at their enrolled school

Guarantor: 1 joint guarantors "Rentai Hoshounin"

Refund Responsibility: Yes

How to Return:

Return payments will start 1 year after graduation within a period that is twice as long as the period the individual received the loan.

Repayment Waiver Scheme:

After the loan period is over, those who meet all of the following criteria (1. To 3.) may be exempt from paying back for the relevant fiscal year(s).

- 1. Having resided in the city for one fiscal year (from April 1st to March 31st) continuously of the fiscal year preceding for which the exempting is sought.
- 2. Being employed at the time of the application
- 3. No arrears of municipal tax or student loans repayments.

Type of Scholarship: Grant Name of the Scheme:

Ota-Shi Sasagawa Kiyoshi Shogakukin

Conditions:

Applicants must apply to all the following conditions listed below.

- i. Students who are going to admit or currently enroll in specialized training colleges, junior college, university, etc.
- ii. Academically excellent, well-behaved people
- iii. Students of households with an address in the city
- iv. Students who are having trouble progressing to higher education due to financial difficulties
- v. Students who do not receive any other scholarship

Eligible Individuals:

Students in a university, graduate school, junior college, specialized training college (postsecondary course)

Benefit Amount: 400,000-yen per year

Period: Number of years spent at their enrolled school

Refund Responsibility: No

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