

## SOCIAL WELFARE

Ours is a Welfare State committed to the welfare and development of people particularly to poor and weaker sections of Society. With the objective of promoting the educational and economical interest of the weaker sections of the people with special care, the schemes under Social Welfare Sector were formulated with emphasize on the welfare of children, aged, disabled and destitute and Senior Citizens.

Handicapped Homes are run for the education and providing Vocational Training for Handicapped children. Their health also taken care of especially with regard to their nature of disability. Various Welfare schemes and measures were oriented with the aim of providing security and welfare to the vulnerable sections like disabled persons during the past and the same will be continued with increased tempo. Grants to Voluntary Organisations will be released to voluntary Organisations as in the past. But the quantum of the grant in aid has been enhanced from Rs.10,000/- to Rs.25,000/- and to cover more voluntary Organisations. The additional grants will be granted to the Voluntary Organisation for maintenance higher strength (Additional Units)

The existing on going schemes such as 'Setting up of resort for aged, distribution of blankets and chappals for aged people and Home for Aged and Infirm at Karaikal and starting of Vocational Rehabilitation Centre (VRC) for Disabled persons etc.' will be implemented in full swing. Under the Correctional Services, one Observation Home and a Special School for Juvenile Delinquents are functioning presently at Pondicherry region and another one at Karaikal Region. A Beggar Home has been opened in Karaikal region as there is only one Home has been functioning at Pondicherry region. There are 4 Homes and a District Rehabilitation Centre in Pondicherry region and two Homes in Karaikal region are presently run in private buildings. Hence, it is proposed to acquire/ purchase land for the construction of own buildings for the above said Homes and also for the new Homes to be opened.

The eligibility of percentage of handicapped has been reduced from 75% to 40% for extending the benefits of various schemes for the Disabled Persons. It is proposed to increase the financial assistance from Rs.400/- p.m. to Rs.500/- p.m. to the persons with 75% disabilities and above.

Children constitute the vibrant core of society and welfare of children is to ensured for all round development. Programmes for welfare of children intend to cover those children not covered by any other schemes and aims to given them care and protection along with entertainment, encouragement and appreciation of their talent. Two new schemes are proposed to be introduced namely, State Commission for Children and Shelter Home for Street Children. 2000 children are targeted under the various programmes for the welfare of children. The socio economic status of women have improved over the year with increasing awareness about women rights and privileges. The programmes proposed for the welfare of women are Women's Day Celebration, Women's Rights Seminar, widow's daughters marriage allowance, widows remarriage, educational allowance to widows children, financial assistance to Mangalam society, kulavilakku, aravannaippu, formation of family counseling centre and financial assistance to poor brides. In order to provide comfortable and secured stay for women who are working in places away from their homes at low cost, hostels for working women are functioning in Pondicherry and Karaikal covering 65 inmates. A short stay home is to be stated by an NGO with proven service record in women's welfare with an inmate strength of 100. 25 women will be covered under rehabilitation programme for aids victim. These programmes proposed to cover 6,000 women during 2004-05.

The Women Development Corporation which is the channelising agency for financial aid for women to set up their own enterprises with the Government share and the target proposed is 2500. Under the social defence programme, it is proposed to release pension to 70,139 Old age persons and widows who have no means of income. Financial assistance will be granted towards funeral expenses of 1200 old age pensioners. Apart from this, it is proposed to grant medical expenses to 200 old age pensioners who are suffering from serious diseases. Free clothing and supply of rice to BPL families will help to mitigate their sufferings to some extent. 83,862 persons will be covered under this programme during 2004-05.

## OUTLAY AT A GLANCE

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

No. of Schemes : 34

Departments : 1. SOCIAL WELFARE

2. WOMEN & CHILD DEVELOPMENT

(Rs. in lakh)

|  |   |         |
|--|---|---------|
| Tenth Plan 2002-07 Approved Outlay     | : | 8800.00 |
| Annual Plan 2002-03 Actual Expenditure | : | 2420.86 |
| Annual Plan 2003-04 Approved Outlay    | : | 2747.00 |
| Annual Plan 2003-04 Revised Outlay     | : | 3341.00 |
| Annual Plan 2004-05 Proposed Outlay    | : | 4399.14 |

(Rs. in lakh)

| Sl. No. | Name of the Scheme | 2002-03 Actual Expenditure | 2003-04         |                | 2004-05 Proposed Outlay |
|---------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------------|
|         |                    |                            | Approved Outlay | Revised Outlay |                         |
| (1)     | (2)                | (3)                        | (4)             | (5)            | (6)                     |

### **SOCIAL WELFARE**

|   |  |        |        |        |         |
|---|--|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| 1 | Strengthening of Social Welfare Department and e-Governance initiative | 40.65  | 26.25  | 26.25  | 192.25  |
| 2 | Programme Development, Monitoring and Evaluation                       | 5.18   | 7.22   | 7.22   | 8.12    |
| 3 | Homes for Handicapped  | 54.35  | 60.24  | 60.24  | 191.93  |
| 4 | Welfare Programmes for Disabled Persons                                | 402.79 | 517.82 | 752.82 | 1044.93 |
| 5 | Prevention and Early Detection of Handicapped                          | 0.29   | 0.29   | 0.29   | 0.45    |
| 6 | Homes for Juvenile Delinquents   | 4.30   | 15.88  | 15.88  | 58.90   |
| 7 | Grants to Voluntary Organisations                                      | 34.92  | 35.23  | 35.23  | 35.57   |
| 8 | Beggar Home  | 0.69   | 0.81   | 0.81   | 2.00    |

| (1) | (2)  | (3)           | (4)           | (5)            | (6)            |
|-----|--|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| 9   | Drug Abuse Prevention Programme  | 0.49          | 0.50          | 0.50           | 0.50           |
| 10  | Financial Assistance for economic upliftment of the disabled through Pondicherry Co-operation for the Development of Women | 17.30         | 3.80          | 3.80           | 3.80           |
| 11  | National Programmes for the Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities  | --            | --            | --             | 0.01           |
| 12  | Distribution of Blankets and Chappals to Poor Senior Citizens  | 74.68         | 41.57         | 41.57          | 41.06          |
| 13  | Resort for Aged  | 17.00         | 17.00         | 17.00          | 15.00          |
| 14  | Home for Aged and infirm   | 5.41          | 5.85          | 5.85           | 14.55          |
| 15  | Free distribution of rice to the poor disabled persons   | 32.29         | 74.54         | 74.54          | 122.35         |
|     | <b>Sub-total</b>   | <b>690.34</b> | <b>807.00</b> | <b>1042.00</b> | <b>1731.42</b> |

#### **WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT**

|     |  |        |        |        |        |
|-----|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 16. | Strengthening of DWCD                                  | 16.15  | 10.00  | 23.81  | 24.80  |
| 17  | Other Programmes for Welfare of Children               | 4.77   | 7.20   | 3.00   | 3.00   |
| 18  | Service Home for Destitute Women                       | --     | 0.01   | --     | 0.01   |
| 19  | Hostel for Working Women                               | 1.90   | 3.25   | 8.25   | 8.25   |
| 20  | Other Programmes for Welfare of Women                  | 27.09  | 28.55  | 28.55  | 48.34  |
| 21  | PCW & HP   | 195.31 | 224.10 | 224.10 | 363.61 |
| 22  | Rehabilitation center for prostitutes and aids victims | --     | 1.00   | --     | 0.01   |
| 23  | Short Stay Home  | --     | 1.00   | --     | 0.01   |

| (1) | (2)  | (3)            | (4)            | (5)            | (6)            |
|-----|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| 24  | Setting of Women's Welfare Commission  | --             | 1.00           | --             | 0.01           |
| 25  | Financial assistance to OAP  | 1120.23        | 1286.78        | 1464.78        | 1817.05        |
| 26  | Distribution of Free rice to poor and economically Backward people   | --             | 0.01           | 56.01          | 0.01           |
| 27  | Distribution of free clothing to poor and economically Backward people   | 359.56         | 360.00         | 360.00         | 360.00         |
| 28  | Construction of Anganwadi centres /CDPO offices  | 5.51           | 3.00           | 128.00         | 10.10          |
| 29  | State Commission for children  | --             | 2.60           | --             | 0.01           |
| 30  | Shelter Home for Street Children   | --             | 2.00           | --             | 0.01           |
| 31  | Formulation of Family Counseling centers   | --             | 2.50           | 2.50           | 2.50           |
| 32  | Grant of Marriage Allowance to Orphan Girls  | --             | 2.00           | --             | --             |
| 33  | Reimbursement of Tuition fees to poor non SC girls who have scored 90% of marks in Hr. Sec. Examination who have undergoing professional courses | --             | 5.00           | --             | --             |
| 34  | National Family Benefit Scheme   | --             | --             | --             | 30.00          |
|     | <b>Sub-Total</b>   | <b>1730.52</b> | <b>1940.00</b> | <b>2299.00</b> | <b>2667.72</b> |
|     | <b>Total</b>   | <b>2420.86</b> | <b>2747.00</b> | <b>3341.00</b> | <b>4399.14</b> |

**Scheme No. 1**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Strengthening of the Department and e-Governance initiative.
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To strengthen the Directorate of Social Welfare as well as the Sub-Offices in the outlying regions by creation of posts, in order to cope up the increased work load, owing to expansion of welfare activities. During the plan period 2002-2007 construction of Office Complex in respect of Pondicherry and Karaikal regions are to be undertaken. Construction of own building for all the Institutions of this Department run in the rented premises.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03 :**

- i. Maintenance of posts.
- ii. Release of advertisements.
- iii. Floating of Tableaux and conduct of Cultural programmes during the Republic Day Celebration January '2003.
- iv. Purchase of Computers – 5 Nos.
- v. Purchase of line matrix printer.
- vi. Maintenance of computers, photocopier, vehicles and typewriter.
- vii. Settlement of POL bills, CCC, water charges, and telephone charges.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04 :**

- i. Maintenance of posts.
- ii. Release of advertisements.
- iii. Floating of Tableaux and conduct of Cultural programmes during the Republic Day Celebration January '2004.
- iv. Settlement of POL bills, CCC, water charges, and telephone charges.
- v. Acquisition/purchase of land for the construction Home for Aged and Infirm and for the Directorate.
- vi. Construction of own building for the Directorate and other Homes which are presently run in private premises.
- vii. Installation of fax system.
- viii. Purchase of one computer and Maintenance of Computers, photocopier, vehicles and typewriter, computer LAN system
- ix. Awareness Generation and dissemination of information for Disabled persons.
- x. Purchase of Laptop, LCD 2 Nos., and projectors.
- xi. Preparation of Information Disc on the functioning of the Department and implementation of various schemes.
- xii. Purchase of software
- xiii. Annual Maintenance of Computers and other accessories.
- xiv. Creation of Website programme relating to the Social Welfare Department
- xv. Creation of the following posts:

The post in the following statement is approved for creation by the Work Study Group in the meeting held on 18.11.2003

| <u>Sl. No</u> | <u>Name of the posts</u>      | <u>Pondicherry</u> | <u>Karaikal</u> | <u>Mahe</u> | <u>Yanam</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|---------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.            | Welfare Inspector (4000-6000) | --                 | 1               | --          | --           | 1            |

**Other essentially needed posts to be created**

| <u>Sl. No</u> | <u>Name of the posts</u>          | <u>Pondicherry</u> | <u>Karaikal</u> | <u>Mahe</u> | <u>Yanam</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1.            | Programmer (6500-10500)           | 1                  | --              | --          | --           | 1            |
| 2.            | Superintendent Gr. II (5500-9000) | --                 | 1               | --          | --           | 1            |
| 3.            | Assistant (5000-8000)             | 1                  | --              | --          | --           | 1            |
| 4.            | U.D.C (4000-6000)                 | --                 | 1               | 1           | 1            | 3            |
| 5.            | Store Keeper Gr. II (4000-6000)   | --                 | 1               | --          | --           | 1            |
| 6.            | Welfare Inspector (4000-6000)     | --                 | 1               | --          | --           | 1            |
| 7.            | Data Entry Operator (4500-7000)   | 1                  | --              | --          | --           | 1            |
| 8.            | Driver LMV Gr. III (3050-4590)    | --                 | 1               | --          | --           | 1            |
| 9.            | Peon (2550-3200)                  | 1                  | --              | --          | --           | 1            |
| 10            | Watchman (2550-3200)              | 1                  | --              | --          | --           | 1            |

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :**

- i. Maintenance of posts.
- ii. Release of advertisements.
- iii. Floating of Tableaux and conduct of Cultural programmes during the Republic Day Celebration January '2005.
- iv. Maintenance of computers, photocopier, vehicles and typewriter and computer LAN system

- v. Settlement of POL bills, CCC, water charges, and telephone charges
- vi. Acquisition/purchase of land for the construction Home for Aged and Infirm and other Homes, if not materialised during 2003-04.
- vii. Purchase of computers and its accessories, vehicles (four wheelers and two wheelers)
- viii. Installation of fax, if not materialised during 2003-04
- ix. Construction of own building for the Directorate and other Homes which are presently running in private premises.
- x. Awareness Generation and dissemination of information for Disabled persons
- xi. Purchase of Laptops, LCD projectors 2 Nos.
- xii. Creation of Website programme relating to the Social Welfare Department (The Item at Sl.No. 10-15 are included if they could not be materialised during the year 2003-04.)
- xiii. Annual maintenance of computers and other accessories.

**4. Remarks** : Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 2**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme** : Programme Development, Monitoring and Evaluation

**2. Objective of the Scheme** :

To study the needs and aspirations of the weaker sections of the U.T. population and formulate new schemes. Production of annual reports and periodical evaluation studies. To monitor the impact and efficiency of the Social Welfare Programmes by undertaking sample survey, studies, etc.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03:**

Maintenance posts. Study the needs and aspirations of the weaker sections of the UT population and formulate new schemes. Production of annual reports and periodical evaluation studies to monitor the impact and efficiency of the Social Welfare Programmes by undertaking sample survey, studies, etc.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04:**

Maintenance posts. Study the needs and aspirations of the weaker sections of the UT population and formulate new schemes. Production of annual reports and periodical evaluation studies to monitor the impact and efficiency of the Social Welfare Programmes by undertaking sample survey, studies, etc.



**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05:**

Maintenance posts. Study the needs and aspirations of the weaker sections of the UT population and formulate new schemes. Production of annual reports and periodical evaluation studies to monitor the impact and efficiency of the Social Welfare Programmes by undertaking sample survey, studies, etc.

**4. Remarks :** Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 3**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme :** Homes for Handicapped / Mentally Retarded

**2. Objective of the Scheme :**

Homes for Orthopaedically Handicapped children are run at Pondicherry and Karaikal regions. The aim is to give education and treatment to Physically handicapped children. The inmates are provided with free boarding and lodging. Vocational training programme are organised for the children of the age group between 12 to 18 years, during their free hours, so as to make them gain proficiency in select trades/crafts. This training will be organised with the help of private institutions/non Government Organisations.

Through the Home for Visually Handicapped and Hearing Impaired free education is provided to the visually handicapped and hearing-impaired children upto 10<sup>th</sup> Standard and train them in vocal and instrumental music. The inmates are provided with free boarding and lodging, medical and educational facilities. It is proposed to construct staff quarters, storeroom, auditorium, hearing aid laboratory and workshop. Every year 10 new inmates will be admitted in each of home at Pondicherry and Karaikal.

A Home for Mentally Retarded Children is functioning in Pondicherry with 25 inmates. Free boarding, lodging, clothing, medical care, education and other facilities will be provided to them. The aim of the scheme is to provide medical treatment to the admitted mentally retarded children.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03 :**

- i. Maintenance of 150 inmates
- ii. Admission of 20 new inmates
- iii. Maintenance of posts.
- iv. Supply of uniforms, bedding items, text books, stationery items, diet and non diet items to the inmates.
- v. Conduct of Educational Tour.
- vi. Major repair works attended in the Handicapped Homes.
- vii. Installation of Telephones in Home for Mentally Retarded Children and Home for Orthopaedically Handicapped Children, Pondicherry.

- viii. Installation of Computers in the Government Special School for Visually Handicapped and Hearing Impaired at Pillaichavady, Pondicherry.
- ix. Acquisition of land for the construction of own building for the Special School for visually handicapped and Hearing impaired at Karaikal Region.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

- i. Maintenance of inmates – 150
- ii. Admission of inmates and increasing of strength.
- iii. Maintenance of posts.
- iv. Supply of uniforms, bedding items, text books, stationery items, diet and non diet items to the inmates, hearing aid and Braille.
- v. Conduct of Educational Tour.
- vi. Major repair works in the Handicapped Homes.
- vii. Providing vocational training in various trades through Govt./ Non-Government / Private Organisations
- viii. Acquisition/purchase of land for the construction of own buildings for aall Homes run in the private premises.
- ix. Construction of own building for the Homes which are run in the private premises.
- x. Installation telephones in the Homes.
- xi. Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales
- xii. Enhancement of pocket money to the inmates.
- xiii. Creation of posts.

The posts in the following statement are approved for creation by the Work Study Group in the meeting held on 18.11.2003

| Sl.No.   | Name of posts                          | Pondicherry | Karaikal | Mahe | Yanam | Total |
|--|--|-------------|----------|------|-------|-------|
| <b><u>I. Home for Orthopaedically Handicapped Children</u></b>                 |  |             |          |      |       |       |
| 1.   | Staff Nurse (5000-8000)                | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 2.   | Part Time Cook                         | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| <b><u>II. Special School for Visually handicapped and Hearing Impaired</u></b> |  |             |          |      |       |       |
| 1.   | Assistant Director (5500-9000)         | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 2.   | Physical Education Teacher (4500-7000) | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| <b><u>III. Home for Mentally Retarded</u></b>                                  |  |             |          |      |       |       |
| 1.   | Health Educator (4500-7000)            | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 2.   | Nurse Orderly (2610-4590)              | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |

Other essential posts needed to be created

| Sl.No.  | Name of posts   | Pondicherry | Karaikal | Mahe | Yanam | Total |
|---|---|-------------|----------|------|-------|-------|
| <b>I. Home for Orthopaedically Handicapped Children</b>                 |   |             |          |      |       |       |
| 1.  | Watchman<br>(2550-3200)                               | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 2.  | Assistant Cook cum<br>Server (2550-3200)              | --          | 2        | --   | --    | 2     |
| 3.  | Sanitary Assistant<br>(2550-3200)                     | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 4.  | Sanitary Helper (2550-<br>3200)                       | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| <b>II. Special School for Visually handicapped and Hearing Impaired</b> |   |             |          |      |       |       |
| 5.  | UDC<br>(4000-6000)                                    | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 6.  | Store Keeper Gr.III<br>(3050-4900)                    | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 7.  | Craft Instructor (4500-<br>7000)                      | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 8.  | PET<br>(4500-7000)                                    | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 9.  | Peon (2550-3200)                                      | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 10.   | Watchmen<br>(2550-3200)                               | --          | 2        | --   | --    | 2     |
| 11.   | Gardener<br>(2550-3200)                               | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| <b>III. Home for Mentally Retarded</b>                                  |   |             |          |      |       |       |
| 12.   | Staff Nurse<br>(5000-8000)                            | 4           | --       | --   | --    | 4     |
| 13.   | Health Educator<br>(Mentally Retarded)<br>(4500-7000) | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 14.   | Speech Therapist<br>(4500-7000)                       | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 15.   | Male Nursing Orderly<br>(2610-4590)                   | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 16.   | Assistant Cook cum<br>Server (2550-3200)              | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05 :**

- i. Maintenance of inmates - 150
- ii. Admission of inmates and increasing of strength.
- iii. Maintenance of posts.
- iv. Supply of uniforms, bedding items, text books, stationery items, diet and non diet items to the inmates, hearing aid and Braille.
- v. Conduct of Educational Tour.
- vi. Major construction/repair works in the Handicapped Homes.
- vii. Providing vocational training in various trades through Govt./ Non-Government/Private Organisations
- viii. Installation of Telephones in all the Homes.
- ix. Acquisition / purchase of land for the construction of own buildings for the Homes run in the rented premises.
- x. Construction of own buildings for the Homes which are run by the private premises.
- xi. Purchase of SWARAJ MAZDA Van to HOHC, Karaikal.
- xii. Upgrading of primary school level into middle school level at Karaikal Region.

**4. Remarks** : Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 4**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme** : Welfare Programme for Disabled persons

**2. Objective of the Scheme**

- i. To provide scholarship to the Disabled Students so as to enable them to meet their expenses in connection with their studies from I Std. Onwards.
- ii. To extend various welfare measures to Disabled persons of various categories in cash and in kind so as to enable them to feel secure in the Society. Besides this new components are also incorporated to extend various welfare measures to Disabled Persons as required under Persons with Disabilities Act, 1995.
- iii. To supply prosthetic appliances like tricycles, calipers, crutches, hearing aids, spectacle etc. to the needy disabled persons free of cost.
- iv. To provide financial assistance to the totally disabled persons, who could not be rehabilitated through other means towards their maintenance.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03 :**

- i) Payment of scholarship to 310 disabled students. The rate of payment of scholarships has been increased for Standards I to VIII.
- ii) Supply of sarees and dhotis to 10,000 disabled persons.
- iii) Distribution State Award to the best employer/employees/ self-employee – 34 Awards.
- iv) Payment of marriage incentive to 18 couples.
- v) Conduct of Tour programmes – 220 disabled persons.

- vi) Grant of fuel subsidy to 77 disabled persons.
- vii) Celebration of World Disabled Day – 1000 disabled persons.
- viii) Grant of unemployment allowance to 190 educated disabled persons.
- ix) The quantum of assistance has been enhanced and the rates are Rs.200 upto 12<sup>th</sup> Std. Rs.300 for Graduates and Rs.500 for Post Graduates.
- x) Supply of hearing aids to 71 disabled persons.
- xi) Incentive for Eye Donors – 1 persons.
- xii) Group Insurance Scheme for disabled persons – 260
- xiii) Supply of tri-cycles to 70 disabled persons.
- xiv) Payment of financial assistance to 10,432 disabled persons. The quantum of assistance was increased to Rs.400/- per month.
- xv) Payment of Transport Allowance – 465 persons.
- xvi) Increased the existing income limit ceiling of the disabled persons for all the schemes implemented by this Department.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

- i) Payment of scholarship to 350 disabled students.
- ii) Supply of sarees and dhotis to 10000 disabled persons.
- iii) Distribution State Awards to the best employer/employees/ self-employee – 34 Awards.
- iv) Payment of marriage incentive to 15 couples.
- v) Conduct of Tour programmes – 200 disabled persons.
- vi) Grant of fuel subsidy to 80 disabled persons.
- vii) Celebration of World Disabled Day – 1000 disabled persons.
- viii) Grant of unemployment allowance to 200 educated disabled persons.
- ix) Supply of sports articles/musical instruments to the Physically Handicapped Association – 3 Associations.
- x) Relief measures for fire victims.
- xi) Incentive for Eye Donors – 5 persons.
- xii) Payment of Transport allowance to 500 disabled persons.
- xiii) Coverage of Insurance Scheme to 300 disabled persons.
- xiv) Distribution of cooling glasses, Braille watches and walking sticks- 100
- xv) Cash Award of Rs.10000/- to the disabled persons who represent Pondicherry State in the National level Games and Rs.25,000/- Cash Award to the medal winners thereon.
- xvi) Sponsoring of Office bearers of the disabled welfare Associations to seminars /workshops.
- xvii) Supply of tri-cycles to 40 disabled persons.
- xviii) Payment of financial assistance to 14000 disabled persons.
- xix) Supply of motorized Tricycles to the Disabled persons – 30 Nos.
- xx) It is proposed to grant Rs.1000/- to the nearest relative of the Disabled Persons to meet the funeral expenses of the Disabled Persons. Necessary Rules to be framed.
- xxi) Insurance scheme to be started to cover all the Disabled Persons.
- xxii) Payment of financial assistance at the rate of Rs.500/- per month to the persons with 75% disability and above.

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2003-04 :**

- i) Payment of scholarship to 375 disabled students.
- ii) Supply of sarees and dhotis to 10000 disabled persons.
- iii) Distribution State Awards to the best employer/employees/ self-employee – 34 Awards.

- iv) Payment of marriage incentive to 25 couples.
- v) Conduct of Tour programmes – 200 disabled persons.
- vi) Grant of fuel subsidy to 100 disabled persons.
- vii) Celebration of World Disabled Day – 1000 disabled persons.
- viii) Grant of unemployment allowance to 200 educated disabled persons. The quantum of assistance has been increased.
- ix) Supply of hearing aids to 40 disabled persons.
- x) Supply of sports articles/musical instruments to the Physically Handicapped Association – 3 Associations.
- xi) Release measures for fire victims.
- xii) Incentive for Eye Donors – 2 persons.
- xiii) Payment of Transport allowance to 600 disabled persons.
- xiv) Coverage of Insurance Scheme to 300 disabled persons.
- xv) Distribution of cooling glasses, Braille watches and walking sticks- 100
- xvi) Cash Award of Rs.10000/- to the disabled persons who represent Pondicherry State in the National level Games and Rs.25,000/- Cash Award to the medal winners thereon.
- xvii) Sponsoring of Office bearers of the disabled welfare Associations to seminars /workshops.
- xviii) Supply of tri-cycles to 40 disabled persons.
- xix) Payment of financial assistance to 16000 disabled persons.
- xx) Supply of motorized Tricycles to the Disabled persons – 30 Nos.
- xxi) It is proposed to grant Rs.1000/- to the nearest relative of the Disabled Persons to meet the funeral expenses of the Disabled Persons. Necessary Rules to be framed.
- xxii) Insurance scheme to be started to cover all the Disabled Persons.
- xxiii) Payment of financial assistance at the rate of Rs.500/- per month to the persons with 75% disability and above.

**4. Remarks** : Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 5**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme** : Prevention and early detection of Handicapped

**2. Objective of the Scheme**

The main aim of the scheme is to create awareness on the early detection of handicapped,. In order to check the disabilities at the earliest, a social awareness for prevention of disabilities has to be generated and referring the detected cases to appropriate agencies for provisions of prosthetic aids and appliances to improve their condition. Under the scheme, training facility through workshops, camps and audio-visual aids, home management of disabled are proposed to be undertaken.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03 :**

- i) Provided training to the Anganwadi workers - 600 persons.
- ii) Provided training to Teachers - 1000 persons.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

Provided training to Teachers and Anganwadi Workers - 800 persons.

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05 :**

Provided training to Teachers and Anganwadi Workers - 800 persons.

**4. Remarks :** Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 6**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme :** Home for Juvenile Delinquents

**2. Objective of the Scheme**

To provide custody, protection, treatment, development of character, education and vocational training to the children committed under Juvenile Justice Act No.6. In order to provide temporary accommodation for the Juvenile Delinquents pending any enquiry under Juvenile Justice Act, 1986, a remand home has to be established separately.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03 :**

- i) Maintenance of 75 inmates
- ii) Maintenance of posts.
- iii) Supply of uniforms, diet and non-diet items, beddings items, text books, stationery items to the inmates.
- iv) Providing temporary accommodation to the juvenile Delinquents pending inquiry under Juvenile Justice Act, 1986.
- v) Building repair works.
- vi) Opening of a new Juvenile Home at Karaikal Region

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

- i) Maintenance of 72 inmates
- ii) Maintenance of posts.
- iii) Supply of uniforms, diet and non diet items, beddings items, text books, stationery items to the inmates.
- iv) Providing temporary accommodation to the juvenile Delinquents pending inquiry under Juvenile Justice Act, 1986.
- v) Building repair works.
- vi) Purchase of two wheelers.
- vii) Development of Infrastructural facilities for the new Juvenile Home at Karaikal region.
- viii) Purchase of Diet and non-diet items, cloths, bed materials etc. for the use of the inmates. Purchase of Electrical and Electronics items like Grinder, Mixie and Colour Television.
- ix) Upgradation of primary school into middle school.

- x) Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales.
- xi) Creation of posts.

The posts in the following statement are approved for creation by the Work Study Group in the meeting held on 18.11.2003. In respect of Pondicherry Region additional posts are essential

| Sl. No. | Name of the posts            | Pondicherry | Karaikal | Mahe | Yanam | Total |
|---------|------------------------------|-------------|----------|------|-------|-------|
| 1.      | School Assistant (5500-9000) | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |

Other posts essentially needed to be created

The Home at Karaikal Region is newly opened and hence creation of posts are essential. In respect of Pondicherry Region additional posts are essential

| Sl. No. | Name of the posts                      | Pondicherry | Karaikal | Mahe | Yanam | Total |
|---------|--|-------------|----------|------|-------|-------|
| 1.      | Head Master (6500-10500)               | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 2.      | School Assistant GR.II (5500-9000)     | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 3.      | Language Teacher (5500-9000)           | 1           | --       | --   | --    | 1     |
| 4.      | Home Superintendent (5000-8000)        | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 5.      | Staff Nurse (5000-8000)                | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 6.      | District Probation Officer (4500-7000) | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 7.      | Secondary Grade Teacher (4500-7000)    | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 8.      | UDC (4000-6000)                        | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 9.      | LDC (3050-4590)                        | --          | 2        | --   | --    | 2     |
| 10.     | House Master (4500-7000)               | 3           | 1        | --   | --    | 4     |
| 11.     | Sewing Mistress (4500-7000)            | --          | 2        | --   | --    | 2     |
| 12.     | Store Keeper Gr.III (3050-4590)        | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 13.     | Driver LMV Gr.III (3050-4590)          | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 14.     | Master Guard (3200-4900)               | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 15.     | Assistant Master Guard (3050-4590)     | --          | 2        | --   | --    | 2     |
| 16.     | Assistant Cook cum Sever (2550-3200)   | --          | 2        | --   | --    | 2     |



|     |                                |    |   |    |    |   |
|-----|--------------------------------|----|---|----|----|---|
| 17. | Watchman<br>(2550-3200)        | -- | 3 | -- | -- | 3 |
| 18. | Sanitary Assistant (2550-3200) | -- | 1 | -- | -- | 1 |
| 19. | Sanitary Helper<br>(2550-3200) | -- | 1 | -- | -- | 1 |
| 20. | Peon (2550-3200)               | -- | 1 | -- | -- | 1 |

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :**

- i) Maintenance of 100 inmates.
- ii) Admission of new inmates.
- iii) Maintenance of posts.
- iv) Supply of uniforms, diet and non-diet items, beddings items, text books, stationery items to the inmates.
- v) Providing temporary accommodation to the juvenile Delinquents pending inquiry under Juvenile Justice Act, 1986.
- vi) Building repair works.
- vii) Construction of new building for Observation Home at Pondicherry.

**4. Remarks :** Continuing Scheme.

**Scheme No. 7**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme :** Grants to Voluntary Organisations

**2. Objective of the Scheme**

The aim of the scheme is to release grant-in-aid to Voluntary Organisations engaged in Social Welfare Activities. The maximum amount released as grant- in-aid is Rs.25,000/-

To provide financial assistance to Voluntary Organisations upto 90% of the expenditure incurred by them on the maintenance of destitute/orphan/ neglected and delinquent children and on the salaries staff employed by them.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03 :**

- i) Release of Grant-in-aid to 29 Voluntary Organisations.
- ii) Maintenance of post.
- iii) Releasing of additional grants to the existing Institutions to maintain the increased strength of inmates (Additional Units)

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

- i) Release of Grant-in-aid to 29 Voluntary Organisations.
- ii) Maintenance of post.

- iii) Releasing of additional grants to the existing Institutions to maintain the increased strength of inmates (Additional Units)

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05 :**

- i) Release of Grant-in-aid to 30 Voluntary Organisations.
- ii) Maintenance of post.
- iii) Releasing of additional grants to the existing Institutions to maintain the increased strength of inmates (Additional Units)
- iv) Tour Programme to the inmates of NGOs – 100 persons per year.

**4. Remarks :** Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 8**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme :** Beggar Home

**2. Objective of the Scheme**

To accommodate the beggars with minor ailments and provide them with free boarding, lodging and medical care and rehabilitate them by providing vocational training through Govt. / Non-Govt. / Private Organisation.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03 :**

- i) Maintenance of posts
- ii) Purchase of raw materials for mat weaving.
- iii) Opening of a new Beggar Home at Karaikal region.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

- i) Maintenance of posts
- ii) Purchase of raw materials for mat weaving. Purchase of Diet and Non diet items, cloths, bed materials etc. for the use of the inmates. Purchase of Electrical and Electronics items like Grinder, Mixie and Colour Television.
- iii) Acquisition /purchase of land and construction of own building to the Beggar Homes at Pondicherry. Transferring of land from Adi-dravidar Welfare Department to Social Welfare Department for the construction of Beggar Home at Karaikal Region.
- iv) Construction of own building for the Home at Pondicherry and Karaikal Regions.
- v) Developing Infrastructural facilities for the new Beggar Home at Karaikal.
- vi) Installation of Telephone in the Homes.
- vii) Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales.
- viii) Enhancement of pocket money to the inmates.
- ix) Creation of following posts:

| Sl. No. | Name of the posts               | Pondicherry | Karaikal | Mahe | Yanam | Total |
|---------|---------------------------------|-------------|----------|------|-------|-------|
| 1.      | Home Superintendent (5000-8000) | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 2.      | Craft Teacher (4500-7000)       | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 3.      | UDC (4000-6000)                 | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 4.      | Store Keeper Gr.III (3050-4590) | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 5.      | Peon (2550-3200)                | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 6.      | Watchman (2550-3200)            | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |
| 7.      | Sanitary Assistant (2550-3200)  | --          | 1        | --   | --    | 1     |

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05 :**

- i) Maintenance of posts
- ii) Purchase of raw materials for mat weaving
- iii) Construction of own buildings for the Beggar Homes at Pondicherry and Karaikal region.
- iv) Enhancement of Pocket money to the inmates

**4. Remarks :** Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 9**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme :** Drug Abuse Prevention Programme

**2. Objective of the Scheme**

Drug De-addiction and Counselling centre are run by Voluntary Organisations getting financial assistance from the Government. Added to this, efforts will be made to sensitise the youth, students, labourers and other vulnerable groups on the ill-effects of drug abuse and alcoholism. Awareness generation programme will be arranged including seminars, workshops, essay/debate competition, distribution of publicity materials in all the four regions of the Union Territory.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03 :**

Awareness generation programmes were conducted including Seminars, Workshops.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

Awareness generation programmes to be conducted including Seminars Workshops.

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05 :**

Awareness generation programmes to be conducted including seniors, Workshops.

**4. Remarks :** Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 10**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme :** Financial Assistance for economic upliftment of the disabled through Pondicherry Corporation for the Development of Women and Handicapped Limited.

**2. Objective of the Scheme**

Release of grant in aid to Pondicherry Corporation for Development of Women and Handicapped Limited for implementation of welfare measures for the disabled persons. Composite Fitment Center is now functioning under the Gramin Punarvas Yojana, which is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme. 7 Staff members including 5 Technical Staff, to ascertain the ratio of Disability percentage and to render rehabilitative services, are working. At present it is accommodated in a private building. This Center is functioning in a full fledged manner for the Disabled Persons. Supply of Aids and devices, conduct of Medical Camp, etc. are the important works now being done by this Centre. However, the Government of India have issued guidelines to handover the Centre to some NGOs/Undertakings immediately. So it is already contemplated to hand over the Centre to the Pondicherry Corporation for Development Women and Handicapped Limited, so that the Corporation can make use of the infrastructure provided in the Centre, run on commercial basis and at the same time provide service to the Disabled Persons. Therefore to provide the required financial assistance to pay salaries, rent, etc., it is proposed to release Grant in aid to the Corporation.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002 – 03 :** Released of Grant in aid.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

Release of grant in aid to Pondicherry Corporation for Development of Women for implementation of welfare measures for the disabled persons.

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05 :**

Release of grant in aid to Pondicherry Corporation for Development of Women for implementation of welfare measures for the disabled persons.

**4. Remarks :** Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 11**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : National programmes for the Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities

2. **Objective of the Scheme**

To provide easier access to disabled people in rural/urban/slum areas for comprehensive rehabilitation services. To offer medical rehabilitation services namely early detection, timely intervention, restorative therapy reconstructive/rehabilitative surgery, parent counseling and provision of aids and appliances. To provide assessment, guidance, training, coaching and referral facilities for educational, vocational and placement services to the disabled. To achieve the ultimate goal of rehabilitating every disabled persons, as far as possible in his own environment and community.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03** : Only token provision made

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04** : Only token provision made

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05** : Only token provision made

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 12**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Distribution of Blankets and Chappals to Poor Senior Citizens

2. **Objective of the Scheme**

The objective of the scheme is to provide blankets and chappals to the poor senior citizens.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002 - 03** :

Supply of one pair chappals and one blanket to poor senior citizens – 38000 sets.

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04** :

Supply of one pair chappals and one blanket to poor senior citizens – 38000 sets.

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004 - 05** :

Supply of one pair chappals and one blanket to poor senior citizens – 38000 sets.

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 13**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme** : Resort for Aged**2. Objective of the Scheme**

The objective of the scheme is to set up a resort to accommodate to aged people who can afford to pay and have a pleasant stay. External aid for Organisations will also be tapped. Acquisition of land and construction of the Resort for the Aged will be carried out.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03 :**

Release of Grant to Pondicherry Society for the Care of Aged

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

Release of Grant to Pondicherry Society for the Care of Aged

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :**

Release of Grant to Pondicherry Society for the Care of Aged

**4. Remarks** : Continuing Scheme**Scheme No. 14**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme** : Home for Aged and Infirm**2. Objective of the Scheme**

To accommodate the Aged and Infirm persons who are without any support from any source. To provide them with free boarding, lodging and medical care. It is proposed to build a pucca own building for Aged to accommodate the existing Home is proposed.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03 :**

- i) Purchase of Bed side locker - 25 Nos.
- ii) Purchase of furniture/utensils
- iii) Maintenance of posts.
- iv) Purchase of Diet and Non-diet items, cloths, bed materials etc. for the use of the inmates.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

- i) Purchase of furniture
- ii) Purchase of utensils for homes.

- iii) Purchase of Diet and Non diet items, cloths, bed materials etc. for the use of the inmates. Purchase of Electrical and Electronics items like Grinder, Mixie and Colour Television.
- iv) Payment of rent
- v) Filling up of the posts already created at Karaikal region
- vi) Admission and maintenance of 25 inmates.
- vii) Construction of own building for the Home at Pondicherry and Karaikal regions.
- viii) Opening of a new Home for Aged and Infirm at Mahe Region.
- ix) Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales.
- x) Enhancement of pocket money to the inmates.
- xi) Creation of new posts:

| Sl. No | Name of the posts               | Pondicherry | Karaikal | Mahe | Yanam | Total |
|--------|---------------------------------|-------------|----------|------|-------|-------|
| 1.     | Home Superintendent (5000-8000) | --          | --       | 1    | --    | 1     |
| 2.     | U.D.C. (4000-6000)              | --          | --       | 1    | --    | 1     |
| 3.     | Store Keeper Gr.III (3050-4590) | --          | --       | 1    | --    | 1     |
| 4.     | Peon (2550-3200)                | --          | --       | 1    | --    | 1     |
| 5.     | Watchman (2550-3200)            | --          | --       | 1    | --    | 1     |
| 6.     | Sanitary Assistant (2550-3200)  | --          | --       | 1    | --    | 1     |

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :**

- i) Purchase of furniture/utensils
- ii) Payment of rent
- iii) Purchase of diet and non diet items, cloths, bed materials etc. for the use of the inmates.
- iv) Construction of own building for the Home at Pondicherry and Karaikal Regions.

**4. Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 15**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

**1. Name of the Scheme** : Free distribution of rice to the poor disabled persons

**2. Objective of the Scheme**

Free distribution of 10 Kg. of rice every month to Disabled Persons for the purpose of alleviating their poverty and to feel them secured in the Society.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03 :**

Free Distribution of rice made to 10400 beneficiaries.

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003 - 04 :**

- i) Free Distribution of 10 Kg. of rice every month to 14000 Disabled Persons
- ii) It is also proposed to extend this scheme to the Disabled Persons who are getting Unemployment Allowance. Hence amendment in the Rule is proposed.

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :**

Free Distribution of 10 Kg. of rice every month to 15000 Disabled Persons

**4. Remarks :** Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 16**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

**1. Name of the Scheme :** Strengthening of Department of Women and Child Development

**2. Objective of the Scheme :**

To strengthen Department of Women and Child Development

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03 :**

Purchase of Computer Systems

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04 :**

- i) To Purchase a land for construction of a new building to DWCD , Pondicherry.
- ii) To create a Website to DWCD, Pondicherry.
- iii) Creation of 30 Daily Rated Clerk posts.
- iv) Creation of 7 conductors Post

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :**

- i) To Purchase a land for construction of a new building to DWCD , Pondicherry.
- ii) To create a Website to DWCD, Pondicherry.
- iii) Creation of 30 Daily Rated Clerk posts.
- iv) Creation of 7 conductors Post
- v) Construction of a new building for Directorate of Women and Child Development

**4. Remarks :** Continuing scheme



**Scheme No. 17**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Other Programme for Welfare of Children
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

Children constitute the vibrant core of society and welfare of children is to be ensured for all round development. Programmes for welfare of children intend to cover those children not covered by any other schemes and aims to give them care and protection along with entertainment encouragement appreciation of their talent.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : 1650

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : 1650

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : 1650

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 18**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Service home for destitute women.
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

It is proposed to set up a service home for destitute home.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : --

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : Token provision

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 19**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT**1. Name of the Scheme** : Hostel for working women**2. Objective of the Scheme** :

The objectives of the scheme are to provide comfortable, and secure stay for women who are working in places away from their homes at low cost. Hostels for Working Women are already functioning in Pondicherry, Karaikal. In Pondicherry the hostel is functioning in a Government owned building at Rajaji Nagar, Pondicherry.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : 65 inmates**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : 65 inmates

i) It is proposed to purchase a land at Karaikal to construct own building to Hostel for Working Women during 2003-04.

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : 65 inmates

i) It is proposed to purchase a land at Karaikal to construct own building to Hostel for Working Women during 2003-04.

**4. Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Creation of functional and ministerial posts

**Scheme No. 20**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT**1. Name of the Scheme** : Other programme for the Welfare of Women.**2. Objective of the Scheme** :

The Socio-economic status of women have improved over the years with increasing awareness about women's rights and privileges. But social and moral ethos have remained unchanged, preventing women from fully benefiting from this. Along with the aid given to widows and their children for education and marriage, single mothers and women-headed households are also included among the beneficiaries. This will help to recognize women of these groups as independents by recognizing them as entitles on their own rights. In order to publicize Programmes of various Departments and Organisations it is planned to start information centres to help the rural women to know about these schemes. Councelling centre which will take care of the family problems will also be attached to this Mangalam Project for gender justice.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : 11815

- (b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : 12000
- (c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : 12000
4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 21**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE  
 Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
 Department DEPARTMENT DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Women's Development Corporation
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective of the scheme is to provide training in self employment for women economically and socially weak. The corporation is the channelising agency for financial aid for women to set up their own enterprises with the Govt. Share. The Corporation has devised various schemes to help the women achieve economic independence and also to support the various demands of working women housewives and students by providing sufficient infrastructural support. In order to aid the women and find means to support themselves and engage in income generating activities training in various trades such as Tailoring, Embroidery, Mat Weaving Ceramis articles making, Sea shell articles, Tanjore Art painting, Soft toys making, Autorikshaw driving training etc., are given to selected women under the poverty line.

- 3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : 2500
- (b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : 2500
- (c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : 2500
4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme.

**Scheme No. 22**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE  
 Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
 Department DEPARTMENT DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Rehabilitation centre for Prostitutes and Aids Victims.
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

Prostitution is a social evil which is growing due to lack of substance opportunity for women who are exploited in this way. In Pondicherry sex workers are concentrated in one pocket which is a center of anti-social activities and spreads aids virus. The scheme aims to adopt the area and put an end to prostitution by developing the whole area. It also envisages the starting of rehabilitation center for AIDS victims. For the proper implementation of the schemes close co-ordination between Department of Women and Child Development, Police and Health Department should be ensured.

- 3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --

- (b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : --  
(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : Token provision
4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 23**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Short Stay Home.  
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The institutional protection for women who face exploitation inside and outside the family is far below the demand. The scheme aims to open a short stay home for women who find themselves abandoned by families. It is envisaged to give them security for a period of time till they are able to find means of their own. The short stay home is to be started by a Non-Governmental Organisation with proven service record in women's welfare with the aid of the Department.

- 3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --  
(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : --  
(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : Token provision
4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 24**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Setting up of Women's Welfare Commission  
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The National Commission for Women constituted under the Nation Commission for women Act 1990 has been functioning since January 1992. This commission is concentrating on certain specific issues of concern to women.. As a first phase of it, it has been proposed to create certain post to examine and evolve solution for specific problems prevailing in this Union Territory along with the other problems contemplated in the charter of demands. Proposal has been sent to Government for appoint of Chairpersons and Members.

- 3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --  
(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : --  
(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : Token provision
4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

**Scheme No. 25**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Financial Assistance to Old Age persons.
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

1) To extend a helping hand by way of a monthly financial assistance of Rs.150/- to Old Aged persons and Rs.175/- to Widows, so that they could defray some petty personal expenses without depending on others. The amount of pension has been enhanced to Rs.200/- for widows and Old Aged persons with effect from 01.04.2003.

2) To grant Rs.1000/- as funeral expenses of the old aged pensioners to the person under whose care the pensioner was living at the time of death.

3) To grant Rs.100/- per month to the old age pensioner suffering from TB/Cancer as medical expenses.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : 19522 (OAP) and 36577 widows  
1194 (Funeral) and 136 (Medical)

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : 19522 (OAP) and 36577 widows  
1200 (Funeral) and 200 (Medical)

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** :

- i) Payment of Old Age and Widow Pension
- ii) Assistance for funeral expenses of Old age Pensioners
- iii) Assistance for Medical expenses of Old age Pensioners

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 26**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Distribution of Free rice to poor people
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The scheme aims at providing food security to the poorest of the poor 10 Kgs of rice are given to BPL families during heavy rain/natural calamities.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : 96922 Beneficiaries

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : Token provision

4. **Remarks** : --

**Scheme No. 27**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Distribution of free clothing to poor and economically backward people.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective of the scheme is to provide a set of saree and dhoti to other economically backward people other than SC/Fisherman once in a year as a measure of social security.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : 1,32,000

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : 83,862

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** :

Distribution of clothing materials to other economically backward people.

4. **Remarks** : --

**Scheme No. 28**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Construction of Anganwadi Centres.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

Under Integrated Child Development Services Programme there are 677 Anganwadi centres functioning in the entire of Pondicherry. Of which 544 Anganwadi centers are functioning in the rented buildings. An amount of Rs. 4.10 lakhs is spent every year for the payment of rent of Rs. 25/- paid to the Anganwadi Centres located in rural areas and Rs. 120/- in Urban areas. The rent has been revised by G. O. I for Anganwadi Centers both in urban and rural areas w. e. f. 7<sup>th</sup> July 2003 @ the rate of Rs. 300/- per Anganwadi Center and Rs. 50/- per Anganwadi Center respectively. Though a sufficient amount is spent for payment of rent every year, the rented buildings do not have basic amenities such as drinking water and toilet facilities. In order to avoid this it is proposed to construct Pucca buildings for 300 Anganwadi centres during 10<sup>th</sup> Five Year Plan period. Approximate cost of each land and building is estimated at Rs. 4 lakhs.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** :

One building constructed at Velrampet

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** :

One building being constructed at Pitchaveerampet

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :**

Twenty buildings will be constructed with the state and central funds  
( 25% & 75% respectively )

**4. Remarks :** Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 29**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

**1. Name of the Scheme :** State Commission for Children.

**2. Objective of the Scheme :**

Adequate services must be provided to the children and hence the necessity arises to set-up State Commission for Children with a view to improve and protect the rights of children. Its aim is to prevent the destitution of children and facilitate their withdrawal from life on street.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03 :** --

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04 :** --

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :** Token provision

**4. Remarks :** Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 30**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

**1. Name of the Scheme :** Shelter Home for Street Children

**2. Objective of the Scheme :**

The Shelter Home for Street Children is targeted towards the children in the age group upto 16 years for boys and upto 18 years for girls without homes and families. It protects children living alone on the streets, child labourers working in the unorganized sector, domestic workers and sexually abused children.

**3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2002-03 :** --

**(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04 :** --

**(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05 :** Token provision

**4. Remarks :** Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 31**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Formulation of Family Counselling centre
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The Family Counselling Centres will function in collaboration with Non-Governmental Organizations. The objectives of forming family counseling centre is to give knowledge to women folk on legal literacy, opening of bank accounts, participate in Panchayat Raj activities and Government schemes, discuss about youth, atrocity against women, alcoholism other income generating activities, record management, leadership development, confidence building education of the girl child, pre-marital and post martial counseling prohibition etc.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** :

Opening and maintenance of Family Counselling Centre

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** :

Opening and maintenance of Family Counselling Centre

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

**Scheme No. 32**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Grant of Marriage Allowance to Orphan Girls

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

Grant of Marriage allowance to Orphan Girls.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : --

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : --

4. **Remarks** : Scheme dropped



**Scheme No. 33**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Reimbursement of Tuition Fees to poor non-SC girls who have scored 90% of marks in Hr. Sec. Examinations who have undergoing professional course.
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :  
Reimbursement of Tuition Fees to poor non-SC girls who have scored 90% of marks in Hr. Sec. Examinations who have undergoing professional course
- 3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --
- (b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : --
- (c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : --
4. **Remarks** : Scheme dropped

**Scheme No. 34**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD  
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. **Name of the Scheme** : National Family Benefit Scheme
2. **Objective of the Scheme** :  
To provide a lump sum family benefit of Rs.10,000/- for households below the poverty line on the death of the primary breadwinners in the bereaved family.
- 3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2002-03** : --
- (b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2003-04** : 400 beneficiaries
- (c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2004-05** : 300 beneficiaries
4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme