

WELFARE OF BACKWARD CLASSES

The Adi-draavidar Welfare Department is implementing various innovative schemes for the welfare of SC community under the following two categories.

1. Schemes for educational improvements, training self employment to the Scheduled Castes population.
2. Schemes for social and economic development of scheduled caste population.

In the Annual Plan 2006-07, the entire existing hostel will continue. 8,200 SC girls' students would be benefited under the scheme of opportunity cost to the parents of SC students. 1,700 SC students would be covered under the scheme of award of Post matric scholarship. 1,60,000 SC people would be benefited by supply of clothing items. 200 Homeless persons would be allotted free house sites pattas. Under the scheme of grant-in-aid, 25 works are proposed for providing internal link roads, providing water borne latrines and civic amenities to the SC colonies. Under the scheme of financial assistance to the brides and pregnant lactating women 1,300 SC would be benefited and 3,200 SC students will be covered under the scheme of award of pre-matric scholarship. 1,300 beneficiaries will be benefited under the scheme of Mahatma Gandhi Memorial Award for clean house.

A State Level Commission for Backward Classes has been constituted vide G.O.Ms.No.36 dated 21-12-98 under the Chairmanship of a retired High Court Judge of Chennai in the place of erstwhile State Level Committee for Backward Classes. This Committee will identify among other things the Most Backward Classes and recommend the list to Government. As part of welfare schemes for the BCs under the education development, 6 Hostels have been opened for BCs students, one for Girls at Pondicherry region, 2 for Boys at Pondicherry region, one Boys Hostel and one girls Hostel at Karaikal region and another one at Yanam where they are given free boarding and lodging to provide a conducive atmosphere for furtherance of their study.

It is also proposed to open two Hostels during the Annual Plan period 2005-2006 two at Pondicherry region. Further an equity share capital is also proposed to be paid to the National Backward Class Finance and Development Corporation and National Minorities Finance and Development Corporation, New Delhi. The Pondicherry Backward Classes and Minorities Development Corporation is functioning in Pondicherry for implementing various welfare measures to the Backward Class people and Minorities and grant in aid is released for the same.

It is proposed to distribute tools and implements to the poor building constructions workers/blacksmith/goldsmith/musical artists. The ongoing schemes will also be implemented with increased tempo. The Scheme "Free supply of bicycles to the BC students" is renamed as "Free distribution of cycles to the 9th Standard students studying in the Govt./Govt. aided schools."

OUTLAY AT A GLANCE

Sector : WELFARE OF BACKWARD CLASSES

No. of Schemes : 24

Departments : 1. ADI-DRAVIDAR WELFARE

2. SOCIAL WELFARE

(Rs. in lakh)

Tenth Plan 2002-07 Approved Outlay	:	5300.00
Annual Plan 2004-05 Actual Expenditure	:	1504.87
Annual Plan 2005-06 Approved Outlay	:	1617.00
Annual Plan 2005-06 Revised Outlay	:	1647.00
Annual Plan 2006-07 Proposed Outlay	:	2555.42

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	2004-05 Actual Expenditure	2005-06		2006-07
			Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Proposed Outlay
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
ADI-DRAVIDAR WELFARE					
1	Opening, Maintenance of boys and girls hostels	189.53	176.50	171.50	167.28
2	Award of Post matric Scholarship to SC Students	56.82	59.00	59.00	65.05
3	Construction of housing colonies and purchase, distribution and development of House-sites	77.71	135.00	130.00	148.84
4	Strengthening of the department for welfare of SC	6.46	17.00	17.00	22.17
5	Free distribution of clothing items to the SC people	227.50	202.00	202.00	222.71
6	Assistance to the PADCO	121.00	150.00	150.00	390.19
7	Award of pre-metric scholarship to SC students	37.63	36.00	36.00	39.69
8	Grant of Opportunity cost to the parents of the SC Girls Students	144.72	166.80	166.80	183.90

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
9	Financial assistance to the parents of SC brides to perform marriages, SC pregnant and lactating mothers, unemployed SC graduates and to SC patients suffering from prolonged diseases	55.87	68.00	68.00	74.97
10	Reimbursement of Tuition and other fees to deserving Degree/ Post graduate and other professional course to SC students to pursue their further studies	2.00	3.00	3.00	3.31
11	Grants-in-aid to Local Bodies for construction of houses for scavengers and sweepers, water borne latrines and providing civic amenities.	114.54	160.00	150.00	163.61
12	Pre matric scholarship to children of whose parents engaged in unclean occupation.	11.80	10.00	10.00	11.03
13	Grant of Mahatma Gandhi Memorial award for clean houses	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.51
14	Financial assistance to poor SC students undergoing professional courses.	4.25	4.25	4.25	4.69
15	Special grant to upgrade the living environment in SC hostels for better learning	--	1.45	1.45	1.60
16	Coaching & allied facilities to SC students	--	6.00	6.00	6.62
17	Opening of Residential Schools	--	--	--	200.00
18	Setting up of State SC Commission in the Union Territory of Pondicherry.	--	--	--	1.00
	Sub-total	1054.83	1200.00	1180.00	1712.17

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
SOCIAL WELFARE					
19	Programme for the Development of the Backward Class People	11.80	13.01	13.01	17.25
20	Hostel for Backward Class Boys and Girls students	47.21	47.89	47.89	158.00
21	Financial assistance to State Level Commission for Backward Classes	41.00	35.00	35.00	38.00
22	Financial Assistance to Pondicherry Backward Class and Minorities Development Corporation	89.00	85.00	85.00	250.00
23	Retention Scholarship to Backward class students	20.84	--	--	--
24	Free distribution of Bi-cycles to 9 th standard students who are below poverty line	240.19	236.10	286.10	380.00
Sub-total		450.04	417.00	467.00	843.25
Total		1504.87	1617.00	1647.00	2555.42

Scheme No. 1Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSESImplementing ADI
DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE1. **Name of the Scheme** : Opening, Maintenance of boys and girls hostels2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To provide hostel facilities to SC students, opening of new hostels, enhancing strength in the existing hostels and construction, improvement and annual maintenance to hostel buildings are contemplated under this scheme.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 389(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 585(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 9004. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme**Scheme No. 2**Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSESImplementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE1. **Name of the Scheme** : Award of Post Matric Scholarship to SC Students2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To provide financial assistance to SC students studying at Post Matriculation or Post Secondary stage to enable them to complete their education

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 870(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** :

To release scholarship to 1500 SC students

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** :

To release scholarship to 1700 SC students

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 3Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSESImplementing ADI
DRAVIDAR

Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Purchase, distribution and development of house sites to SC people.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective of the scheme is to provide free house to SC & OEBC people in the ratio of 80:20 so as to enable them to construct their own houses by acquiring land.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : Nil

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 200 Nos.

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 200 Nos.

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 4Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSESImplementing ADI
DRAVIDAR

Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Strengthening of the department for welfare of SC

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To strengthen the Dept. for the Welfare of S.C. by appointment of additional staff purchase and maintenance

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** :

Purchase of computer, creation of post and office maintenance

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** :

Purchase of computer, creation of post and office maintenance

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** :

Purchase of computer, creation of post and office maintenance

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 5Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSESImplementing ADI
DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE1. **Name of the Scheme** : Free distribution of clothing items to the SC people2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

Under the scheme all married S.C. male and female and unmarried those who have attained the age of 18 years whose annual income is Rs.24,000/- (BPL families) and less are supplied with a dhoti and a towel, a Saree and a blouse piece every year.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 1,51,311 Nos.(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 1,52,000 Nos.(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 1,60,000 Nos.4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme**Scheme No. 6**Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSESImplementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE1. **Name of the Scheme** : Assistance to the PADCO2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

PADCO has been registered as a limited Company, the aim of the corporation is to extend a finance for starting Trade Industry, to create self-employment and to impart training for the development of these skill among SC educated and unemployed youths so as to enable them to cross the poverty line. The corporation is provided with financial assistance as share capital.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 1,100 Nos.(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 1,600 Nos.(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 2,550 Nos.4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme.

Scheme No. 7

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Award of pre-matric scholarship to SC students

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To provide financial assistance to SC students to enable them to complete their education upto secondary level

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 2,803

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 3,000

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 3,200

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 8

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Grant of Opportunity Cost to the parents of SC girls students in middle and secondary classes (Std. 6th to 12th)

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To eliminate child labour and to encourage SC parents to send their girl children to educational intuitions by paying opportunity cost in lieu of income shortage suffered by them.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 7,290

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 8,000

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 8,200

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 9

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

- 1. Name of the Scheme** : Financial assistance to the parents of SC brides to perform marriages, SC pregnant and lactating mothers, unemployed SC graduates and to SC patients suffering from prolonged diseases.
- 2. Objective of the Scheme** :
To provide financial assistance of Rs.10,000/- to the SC poor brides whose annual income does not exceed BPL families Rs.24,000/- to mitigate financial hardship to perform their two daughters marriage. As regards Pregnant and lactating women an amount of Rs.1000/- (Rs.500/- in cash and Rs.500/- worth in the form of baby kits) is granted.
- 3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 1,340 persons
- (b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 1,050 persons
- (c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 1,300 persons
- 4. Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 10

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

- 1. Name of the Scheme** : Reimbursement of tuition and other fee to deserving degree / post graduate and other professional courses to SC students to pursue their further studies
- 2. Objective of the Scheme** :
To provide opportunity to the deserving bright SC students in degree, PG and other professional technical courses who reimburse the tuition and other fees paid by them to the Govt./Private colleges on the allotment of Seats under Govt. quota on the rates approved by the Govt. to continue their further studies
- 3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 20 SC students
- (b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 20 SC students
- (c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 30 SC students
- 4. Remarks** : Continuing Scheme.

Scheme No. 11Sector : WELFARE OF
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Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Grants-in-aid to local bodies for construction of houses for scavengers and sweepers, water borne latrines and providing civic amenities

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective is to release Grant-in-aid to local bodies based on the estimates prepared by them for construction of quarters for scavengers and sweepers, construction of water borne latrines in the SC colonies to facilitate them to live in hygienic conditions and providing civic amenities such as road, water supply, side drainage, filling up of low lying areas payment of current consumption charges for street lights for SC colonies and providing path way for burial grounds and erection of cremation shed.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 20 Works

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 22 Works

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 25 Works

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 12Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSESImplementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Award of Pre matric scholarship to children of whose parents engaged in unclean occupation.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The object of the scheme is to provide financial assistance to enable the children of scavengers of dry latrines, scavenging to pursue pre matric education.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 1,105

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 1,200

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 1,100

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 13Sector : WELFARE OF
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Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Grant of Mahatma Gandhi Memorial Award for clean houses

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective of the scheme is to motivate SC people to keep their houses neat and tidy. Incentives in the form of household articles worth Rs.500/- to each selected beneficiary is to be given from the year 2003-04.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 1,158 beneficiaries

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 1,184 beneficiaries

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 1,300 beneficiaries

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 14Sector : WELFARE OF
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Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Financial assistance to poor SC students undergoing professional courses.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective of the scheme is to provide additional financial assistance to poor SC Medical /Engineering / Teaching (B.Ed/D.T.Ed) students @ Rs.25,000 each for 5 students, @ Rs.10,000 each for 25 students, @ Rs.5,000 each for 5 students respectively every year.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 2 students

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 35 students

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 35 students

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme.

Scheme No. 15

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Special grant to upgrade the living environment in SC hostels for better learning.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective of the scheme is to upgrade the living environment in SC hostels for better learning by providing financial assistance of Rs.5,000 to each hostel every year.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 29 hostels

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 29 hostels

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 29 hostels

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme.

Scheme No. 16

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Coaching and Allied facilities to SC students.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The objective of the scheme is to impart special coaching and provide required facilities to about 6,500 SC students.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : --

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 100 students

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 500 students

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 17

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Opening of Residential Schools.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

It is a felt need to create new environment for SC students for better learning for which it is proposed to establish a residential school exclusively for SCs in Pondicherry and Karaikal region in the next academic year.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : Nil

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : Nil

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2005-06** : 500 students

4. **Remarks** : New Scheme

Scheme No. 18

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing ADI DRAVIDAR
Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Setting up of State SC Commission in the Union Territory of Pondicherry.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To look into the problems of SCs and to review various schemes / welfare measures available for the SCs and for monitoring the implementation of the safeguards provided for SC people.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : Nil

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 100

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2005-06** : 500 students

4. **Remarks** : New Scheme

Scheme No. 19Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSESImplementing SOCIAL
Department : WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Programme for the Development of the Backward Class people.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The aim of the scheme is to improve the Educational and the Economic status of the Backward Class people. Special awards to meritorious BC students and starting of coaching centre exclusively for Backward Class people for professional courses. Free supply of tools and implements to poor OBC people.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** :

- i. Pre coaching to OBC students who are appearing in the entrance exam for professional courses –300 students.
- ii. Free distribution of Tools to OBC People.
- iii. Press Box - 115 persons
- iv. Barber chair and kits - 30 persons.
- v. Thavil - 50 persons.
- vi. Nadaswaram - 50 persons.
- vii. Thiagi V. Subaiah Awards to meritorious OBC students – 16 students.

(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** :

- i. Thiagi V. Subaiah Awards to meritorious OBC students - 15 students
- ii. Pre coaching to OBC students who are appearing in the entrance exam for professional courses- 320 students.
- iii. Free distribution of Press Boxes and Barber chairs and Kits - 114 persons (Press Box – 84, Barber kits – 30, Nadhaswaram – 50 persons and Thavil – 50 persons).
- iv. Thavathiru Kundrakudi Adigalar Award.
- v. Coaching class for the students from 9th to 12th Std. of Other Economically Backward Classes for 27 examinations like I.A.S., I.P.S., etc.

(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** :

- i. Thiagi V. Subbaiah Awards to meritorious OBC students – 15 students
- ii. Pre coaching to OBC students who are appearing in the entrance exam for professional courses – 350 students.
- iii. Free distribution of Press Boxes and Barber kits - 150 persons, Nadhaswaram – 50 persons and Thavil – 50 persons.
- iv. Thavathiru Kundrakudi Adigalar Award.
- v. Coaching class for the students from 9th to 12th Std. of Other Economically Backward Classes for 27 examinations like I.A.S., I.P.S., etc.

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 20

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing SOCIAL
Department : WELFARE

1. Name of the Scheme : Hostel for Backward Class Boys and Girls Students.

2. Objective of the Scheme :

The aim is to provide hostel facilities to the poor BC boys and girls students with food and shelter. It is proposed to open ten hostels in all the four regions of Pondicherry. Students from SC and FC will also be admitted to limited extent to bring in equality and fraternity.

3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05 :

- i. Maintenance of 6 Hostels and maintenance of 175 inmates
- ii. Purchase of uniforms, bedding items, diet and non diet items for distribution to the inmates.
- iii. Admission of 25 new inmates.
- iv. Maintenance of posts.
- v. Purchase of furniture and infrastructure articles for the new hostels at Pondicherry region and Karaikal regions.
- vi. Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

- i. Maintenance of 200 inmates
- ii. Purchase of uniforms, bedding items, diet and non diet items for distribution to the inmates.
- iii. Maintenance of posts.
- iv. Purchase of furniture.
- v. Opening of new boys' Hostels and a new Girls' Hostel at Pondicherry Region for the benefits of the students of Villianur and around. Opening of a new boys hostel at Pathukkannu.
- vi. Purchase/Acquisition of land for the construction of own building for the BC student Hostels at Pondicherry (also at Villianur) and Karaikal regions.
- vii. Construction of own buildings for the Hostel at Pondicherry, Karaikal and Yanam Regions.
- viii. Filling up of the posts already created..
- ix. Purchase of one computer.
- x. Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales.

(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 :

- i. Maintenance of 225 inmates
- ii. Purchase of uniforms, bedding items, diet and non diet items for distribution to the inmates.
- iii. Maintenance of posts.
- iv. Purchase of furniture.
- v. Opening of new boys' Hostels and a new Girls' Hostel at Pondicherry Region for the benefits of the students of Villianur and around. Opening of a new boys hostel at Pathukkannu.
- vi. Purchase/Acquisition of land for the construction of own building for the BC student Hostels at Pondicherry (also at Villianur) and Karaikal regions.

- vii. Construction of own buildings for the Hostel at Pondicherry, Karaikal and Yanam Regions.
- viii. Filling up of the posts already created.
- ix. Purchase of one computer.

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 21

Sector : WELFARE OF BACKWARDCLASSES
 Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Financial Assistance to State Level Commission for Backward Classes.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :
 Identification of Backward Classes in this Union Territory of Pondicherry. Most Backward Classes among the OBC's and other functions assigned by the Government as per terms of reference consisting the Commission.

3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05 :

Release of Grant in aid to the Pondicherry State Level Commission for Backward Classes

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Release of Grant in aid to the Pondicherry State Level Commission for Backward Classes

(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 :

Release of Grant in aid to the Pondicherry State Level Commission for Backward Classes

4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 22

Sector : WELFARE OF BACKWARDCLASSES
 Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Financial Assistance to Pondicherry Backward Classes and Minorities Development Corporation.

2. **Objective of the Scheme** :
 To implement schemes for economic development for the Backward Classes & Minorities by offering Margin Money Assistance linked loans. To secure concessional finance (MMA short term loans) from the respective national Corporation and extend the same to the Backward Classes for removal of poverty and improve entrepreneurial skills, promote self employment and other venture of Backward Classes.

3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05 :

Release of Grant in aid and Share Capital to the Pondicherry Backward Classes and Minorities Development Corporation for implementing welfare programmes for Backward Class people.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Release of Grant in aid and Share Capital to the Pondicherry Backward Classes and Minorities Development Corporation for implementing welfare programmes for Backward Class people.

(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 :

Release of Grant in aid and Share Capital to the Pondicherry Backward Classes and Minorities Development Corporation for implementing welfare programmes for Backward Class people.

4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 23

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing SOCIAL
Department : WELFARE

1. Name of the Scheme : Payment of retention scholarship to Backward Class Students.

2. Objective of the Scheme :

The objective of the scheme is to pay retention scholarship to poor backward class students to meet their petty financial requirements in respect of their educational needs and betterment.

3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05 : 8,300 students

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 : --

(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 : --

4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 24

Sector : WELFARE OF
BACKWARDCLASSES

Implementing SOCIAL
Department : WELFARE

1. Name of the Scheme : Free distribution of Bi-cycles to 9th standard students who are studying in the Government / Government aided schools.

2. Objective of the Scheme :

The objective of the scheme is to provide a bicycle at free of cost to all 9th Standard students who are studying in the Government / Government aided schools.

3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05 :

Distribution of cycles to 16,000 students.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Free distribution of Cycles to 9th Standard student – 16,000 Nos.

One raincoat also to be supplied to all students along with the bi-cycle – 16,000 nos.

(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 :

Free distribution of Cycles to 9th Standard student – 16,000 Nos.

One raincoat also to be supplied to all students along with the bi-cycle – 16,000 nos.

4. Remarks : Continuing scheme