

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 also proposed to cover more voluntary Organisations. The additional grants will be given to the Voluntary Organisation for maintenance higher strength (Additional Units).

It is proposed to acquire/ purchase land for the construction of own buildings for the existing Homes and for the new Homes to be opened.

The eligibility percentage of handicapped has been reduced from 75 to 40 for extending the benefits of various schemes to the Disabled Persons.

Payment of financial assistance @ Rs. 500/- per month to the persons with 40% to 74% disability. Payment of financial assistance @ Rs. 750/- per month to the persons with 75% to 99% disability. Payment of financial assistance @ Rs. 1000/- per month to the persons with 100% disability. "Free Distribution of 10 Kg. of rice per month to Disabled Persons" has been started to alleviate their poverty and to feel them secured in the Society.

For massive computerization and speedy implementation of various welfare schemes to the Disabled Persons, a new component viz. 'e-Governance Initiatives' has been started and functioning effectively.

Children constitute the vibrant core of society. 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. 1650 children were benefited trough celebration of children's day and conduct of social service camps during the year 2004-05 and the same is anticipated for the years 2005-06 and 2006-07.

The socio economic status of women has improved over the year with increasing awareness about women rights and privileges. The Scheme "Other programme for the welfare of women" encompasses 12 components to benefit the various strata of Women. In the year 2004-05, 359 No.s of Widow's Daughters, 3 widows, 780 pregnant women, 1199 lactating women and 700 poor brides were benefited by financial assistance through the various components of the above scheme. In the year of 2005-06 the quantum of financial assistance is further increased and more number of women are anticipated to be benefited. Further two new components are added during 2005-06 to encourage parents to adopt birth control measures after giving birth to two girl children and Parents having only one girl child studying 8th to 10th standard by supporting them financially. Apart from providing financial assistance, the scheme also aims at imparting general awareness and entrepreneurship among women folk by celebrating Women's Day, Women's Week, conducting "Swayamsidha Fair" and helping to form Self Help Groups under "Mangalam Society". An estimated 4500 women participated in the above programmes during the year 2004-05. As a whole it is targeted by the Department to cover 12500 women under the above scheme.

The state commission for Welfare of women has been constituted with a Chairperson and 6 members. In order 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 functioning in Pondicherry, Karaikal covering 65 inmates. A 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 with inmate strength of 100. Further 25 women will be covered under the rehabilitation programme for AIDS victims. The Family Counselling Centers run by the Department have given valuable suggestions, advice and guidance to as much as 220 cases with problems in the family during last year. 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 during 2006-07.

Under the social defence programme it is proposed to release pension to 72939 Old age / widow persons who have no means of income. Financial assistance will be granted towards funeral expenses of 1850 old age pensioners. Apart from this, it is proposed to grant medical expenses to 300 old age pensioners who are suffering from T.B / Cancer disease. Free clothing and supply of rice to BPL families will help to mitigate their sufferings to some extent. 1,16,000 persons will be covered under the programme free supply of clothing and rice in the annual plan 2006-07.

OUTLAY AT A GLANCE

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

No. of Schemes : 32

Departments : 1. SOCIAL WELFARE

2. WOMEN & CHILD DEVELOPMENT

(Rs. in lakh)

Tenth Plan 2002-07 Approved Outlay	:	8800.00
Annual Plan 2003-04 Actual Expenditure	:	4332.67
Annual Plan 2004-05 Approved Outlay	:	4348.00
Annual Plan 2004-05 Revised Outlay	:	6348.00
Annual Plan 2005-06 Proposed Outlay	:	8524.46

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	2004-05	2005-06		2006-07
		Actual Expenditure	Approved Outlay	Revised Outlay	Proposed Outlay
(1)	(2)	(6)	(4)	(5)	(6)
SOCIAL WELFARE					
1	Strengthening of Social Welfare Department and e-Governance initiative	52.29	30.25	35.71	70.81
2	Programme Development, Monitoring and Evaluation	7.76	8.60	9.10	9.40
3	Homes for Handicapped	58.71	38.68	61.60	198.70
4	Welfare Programmes for Disabled Persons	974.80	1020.92	1513.51	1621.35
5	Prevention and Early Detection of Handicapped	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40
6	Homes for Juvenile Delinquents	28.80	14.59	25.05	26.15
7	Grants to Voluntary Organisations	34.71	35.41	35.66	39.75
8	Beggar Home	2.39	2.51	2.60	2.70
9	Drug Abuse Prevention Programme	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50

(1)	(2)	(6)	(4)	(5)	(6)
10	Financial Assistance for economic upliftment of the disabled through Pondicherry Corporation for the Development of Women	--	--	--	--
11	Distribution of Blankets and Chappals to Poor Senior Citizens	159.00	167.48	167.48	175.00
12	Resort for Aged	10.00	50.00	50.00	50.00
13	Home for Aged and infirm	14.62	15.35	19.75	71.25
14	Free distribution of rice to the poor disabled persons	158.90	188.31	251.64	281.00
15	National Programmes for the Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities	0.00	20.00	20.00	20.00
	Sub-total	1502.88	1593.00	2193.00	2567.01
	WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT				
16.	Strengthening of DWCD	19.99	29.82	25.00	28.00
17	Other Programmes for Welfare of Children	1.33	3.00	2.55	3.00
18	Service Home for Destitute Women	--	0.01	--	0.01
19	Hostel for Working Women	1.69	5.00	2.31	2.31
20	Other Programmes for Welfare of Women	131.33	95.00	253.60	304.50
21	PCW & HP	202.28	115.50	115.50	1180.00
22	Rehabilitation Centre for Women	--	0.01	--	0.01
23	Short Stay Home	--	0.01	--	0.01
24	Setting of Women's Welfare Commission	10.00	10.00	31.77	35.10
25	Financial assistance to OAP	1683.26	1922.00	2530.77	3540.69

(1)	(2)	(6)	(4)	(5)	(6)
26	Distribution of Free rice to poor and economically Backward people	438.36	100.00	120.00	120.00
27	Distribution of free clothing to poor and economically Backward people	329.63	311.11	900.00	700.00
28	Construction of Anganwadi centres	8.90	10.00	38.00	39.00
29	State Commission for children	--	0.02	--	0.01
30	Shelter Home for Street Children	--	0.02	--	0.01
31	Family Counseling centers	3.02	3.50	3.50	4.80
32	Pondicherry Family Benefit Scheme	--	150.00	132.00	--
	Sub-Total	2829.79	2755.00	4155.00	5957.45
	Total	4332.67	4348.00	6348.00	8524.46

Scheme No. 1

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Strengthening of Social Welfare 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.

To make the administration of this Department to keep pace with the growing needs and the requirements of the Disabled Persons, Senior Citizens and the Weaker Sections of the Society with speedy processing and implementation of the schemes, it is proposed to computerize the entire functioning of this Department. Through e-Governance initiatives accurate and correct information about the beneficiaries could be easily ascertained and verified. In order to enable to have easy access to the various benefits extended by this Department and also to know the details of the schemes implemented, it is proposed to initiate various steps under this scheme so as to fully computerize all the data available. It is also proposed to conduct a Censes of the Disabled Parsons in the Union Territory, besides issuing identity cards to all Disabled persons. As more than Rs.10 Crores is distributed in a year as Financial Assistance to the Disabled Persons and about 75,000 Old Aged persons are issued with Blankets and Chappals, it is necessary to computerize the eligibility lists, etc. immediately.

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

- i. Release of advertisements.
- ii. Floating of Tableaux and conduct of Cultural programmes during the Republic Day Celebration January'2005.
- iii. Purchase of Computers – 2 Nos.
- iv. Maintenance of computers and its peripherals, photocopier, vehicles and typewriter.
- v. Settlement of POL bills, CCC, water charges, and telephone charges.
- vi. Maintenance of LAN

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

- i. Release of advertisements.
- ii. Floating of Tableaux and conduct of Cultural programmes during the Republic Day Celebration January'2006.
- iii. Settlement of POL bills, CCC, water charges, and telephone charges
- iv. Acquisition/purchase of land for the construction of the Directorate.
- v. Construction of own building for the Directorate and other Homes which are presently run in private premises.
- vi. Installation of fax system.
- vii. Purchase of one computer peripherals, photocopier and Vehicles
- viii. Awareness Generation and dissemination of information for Disabled Persons.
- ix. Preparation of Information Disc on the functioning of the Department and implementation of various schemes.

- x. Purchase of Software, Annual Maintenance of Computers and other accessories.

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

- i. Release of advertisements.
- ii. Floating of Tableaux and conduct of Cultural programmes during the Republic Day Celebration January'2006.
- iii. Maintenance of computers, photocopier, vehicles and typewriter and computer LAN system
- iv. Settlement of POL bills, CCC, water charges, and telephone charges bills.
- v. Acquisition/purchase of land for the construction of Directorate complex, other Homes, if not materialised during 2005 -06.
- vi. Purchase of computers and its accessories, vehicles (four wheelers and two wheelers)
- vii. Installation of fax, if not materialized during the year 2005-06
- viii. Construction of own building for the Directorate and other Homes which are presently run in private premises, if not materialized during the year 2005-06
- ix. Maintenance of computers, photocopier, vehicles and typewriter, computer LAN system
- x. Purchase of Lap Tap.
- 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.

4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

Creation of functional and ministerial posts.

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 2004-05 :

Maintenance of 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 2005-06:

Maintenance of 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 2006-07:

Maintenance of 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

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 programmes are organised for the children of the age group between 12 and 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 10th 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, store room, 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 2004-05 :

- i. Maintenance of 150 inmates.
- ii. Admission of 10 new inmates
- iii. Supply of uniforms, bedding items, text books, stationery items, diet and non diet items to the inmates.
- iv. Conduct of Educational Tour.
- v. Major repair works attended in the Handicapped Homes.
- vi. Installation of computers in the Government Special School for Visually Handicapped and Hearing Impaired at Karaikal.
- vii. Diet and Non Diet scales revised upwards. Quantum of packet money was also enhanced.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

- i. Maintenance of inmates – 175
- ii. Admission of inmates and increasing of strength.
- iii. Supply of uniforms, bedding items, text books, stationery items, diet and non diet items to the inmates, hearing aid and brailles.
- iv. Conduct of Educational Tour.
- v. Major repair works in the Handicapped Homes.

- vi. Providing vocational training in various trades through Govt./ Non-Government/Private Organisations
- vii. Construction of own building for the Homes which are run in the private premises.
- ix. Installation of telephones in the Homes.
- x. Creation of essential and functional posts.

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

- i. Maintenance of inmates – 200
- ii. Admission of inmates and increasing of strength.
- iii. Supply of uniforms, bedding items, text books, stationery items, diet and non diet items to the inmates, hearing aid and brailles.
- iv. Conduct of Educational Tour.
- v. Major construction/repair works in the Handicapped Homes.
- vi. Providing vocational training in various trades through Govt./ Non-Government/Private Organisations
- vii. Installation of Telephones in all the Homes.
- viii. Construction of own buildings for the Homes which are run by the private premises.
- ix. Upgrading of primary school level into middle school level at Karaikal Region.

4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

Creation of functional and ministerial posts

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

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.

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.

To supply prosthetic appliances like Motorized four Wheeler (in valid carriage), tricycles, calipers, crutches, hearing aids, spectacle etc. to the needy disabled persons free of cost.

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 2004-05 :

- i. Payment of scholarship to 235 disabled students.
- ii. Supply of sarees and dhotis to 15,000 disabled persons.

- iii. Distribution of State Award to the best employer/employees/ self-employee – 7 Awards.
- iv. Payment of marriage incentive to 38 couples.
- v. Conduct of Tour programmes – 300 disabled persons.
- vi. Grant of fuel subsidy to 71 disabled persons.
- vii. Celebration of World Disabled Day –2000 disabled persons.
- viii. Grant of unemployment allowance to 32 educated disabled persons.
- ix. Supply of hearing aids to 50 disabled persons.
- x. Group Insurance Scheme for disabled persons – Govt. Employee-326, others-6217
- xi. Supply of tri-cycles to 149 disabled persons.
- xii. Payment of financial assistance to 15,169 disabled persons.
- xiii. Payment of Transport Allowance – 1194 persons.
- xiv. Enhancement of Quantum of Financial Assistance to the Disabled persons.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2006-07 :

- i. Payment of scholarship to 250 disabled students.
- ii. Supply of sarees and dhotis to 17410 disabled persons.
- iii. Distribution State Awards to the best employer/employees/ self-employee – 11 Awards.
- iv. Enhancement of quantum of marriage incentive from Rs. 10,000 to Rs. 20,000.
- v. Payment of marriage incentive to 40 couples.
- vi. Conduct of Tour programmes – 300 disabled persons.
- vii. Grant of fuel subsidy to 80 disabled persons.
- viii. Celebration of World Disabled Day – 2000 disabled persons.
- ix. Grant of unemployment allowance to 35 educated disabled persons.
- x. Supply of sports articles/musical instruments to the Physically Handicapped Association – 3 Associations.
- xi. Incentive for Eye Donors – 1 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- 25
- 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 10 disabled persons.
- xviii. Payment of financial assistance to 18500 disabled persons.
- xix. Supply of motorized Tricycles to the Disabled persons – 175 Nos.
- xx. Enhancement of Quantum of exgratia from Rs.1000/- to Rs. 2000/- to the nearest relative of the Disabled Persons to meet the funeral expenses of the Disabled Persons.
- xxi. Insurance scheme to be started to cover all the Disabled Persons.
- xxii. Enhancement of Quantum of financial assistance from Rs.425/- per month to Rs. 500/- to the persons with 40% to 74% disability. Enhancement of Quantum of financial assistance from Rs.525/- per month to Rs. 750/- to the persons with 75% to 99% disability. Enhancement of Quantum of financial assistance from Rs.525/- per month to Rs. 1000/- to the persons with 100% disability.
- xxiii. Supply of Radio to Blind persons – 2600 persons.

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

- i. Payment of scholarship to 375 disabled students.
- ii. Supply of sarees and dhotis to 19000 disabled persons.

- iii. Distribution State Awards to the best employer/employees/ self-employee – 11 Awards.
- iv. Payment of marriage incentive to 25 couples.
- v. Conduct of Tour programmes – 300 disabled persons.
- vi. Grant of fuel subsidy to 80 disabled persons.
- vii. Celebration of World Disabled Day – 2000 disabled persons.
- viii. Grant of unemployment allowance to 32 educated disabled persons.
- ix. The quantum of assistance has been increased.
- x. Supply of hearing aids to 40 disabled persons.
- xi. Supply of sports articles/musical instruments to the Physically Handicapped Association – 3 Associations.
- xii. Release measures for fire victims.
- xiii. Incentive for Eye Donors – 1 persons.
- xv. Payment of Transport allowance to 600 disabled persons.
- xvi. Coverage of Insurance Scheme to 300 disabled persons.
- xvii. Distribution of cooling glasses, Braille watches and walking sticks- 100
- xviii. 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.
- xix. Sponsoring of Office bearers of the disabled welfare Associations to seminars / workshops.
- xx. Supply of tri-cycles to 40 disabled persons.
- xxi. Payment of financial assistance to 19000 disabled persons.
- xxii. Supply of motorized Tricycles to the Disabled persons – 30 Nos.
- xxiii. Payment of exgratia @ Rs. 2000/- to the near relatives of the deceased Disabled persons.
- xxiv. Insurance scheme to be started to cover all the Disabled Persons.
- xxv. Payment of financial assistance @ Rs. 500/- per month to the persons with 40% to 74% disability. Payment of financial assistance @ Rs. 750/- per month to the persons with 75% to 99% disability. Payment of financial assistance @ Rs. 1000/- per month to the persons with 100% disability.
- xxvi. Supply of Radio to Blind persons – 3000 persons.

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 2004-05 :**

Provided training to Anganwadi Workers	-	300 persons.
Provided training to Teachers	-	1000 persons

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Provided training to Teachers and Anganwadi Workers - 300 persons.

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

Provided training to Teachers and Anganwadi Workers - 300 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 the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2000. In order to provide temporary accommodation for the Children in conflict with law pending any enquiry under Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2000, a Observation Home has to be established separately.

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

- i. Maintenance of 60 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 of temporary accommodation to the Children in conflict with law during the pendency of the inquiry under Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2000.
- v. Building repair works.
- vi. Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

- i. Maintenance of 60 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 of temporary accommodation to the juvenile Delinquents during the pendency of the inquiry under Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2000.
- v. Building repair works.
- vi. Purchase of two wheeler.
- 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.

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

- i. Maintenance of 80 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 of temporary accommodation to the juvenile Delinquents during the pendency of the inquiry under Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2000.
- vi. Building repair works.
- vii. Construction of new building for Observation Home at Pondicherry.
- viii. Purchase of Two wheeler.

4. Remarks : Continuing Scheme.

Creation of functional and ministerial posts.

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 2004-05 :

- 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).
- iv. Tour Programme to the inmates of NGOs - 100 persons

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

- i. Release of Grant-in-aid to 29 Voluntary Organisations.
- ii. Maintenance of post.
- iii. Tour Programme to the inmates of NGOs - 100 persons

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

- 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

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 2004-05 :

- i. Maintenance of posts
- ii. Purchase of raw materials for mat weaving.
- iii. Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales.
- iv. Enhancement of pocket money to the inmates.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

- 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.

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

- i. Maintenance of posts.
- ii. Purchase of raw materials for mat weaving. Purchase of Diet and Non Diet items.
- iii. Acquisition 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 buildings for the Beggar Homes at Pondicherry and Karaikal Regions.

4. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Creation of functional and ministerial posts.

Scheme No. 9

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing Department : SOCIAL WELFARE

1. **Name of the Scheme** : Drug Abuse Prevention Programme2. **Objective of the Scheme**

Drug De-addiction and Counseling center 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 2004-05 :**

Awareness generation programmes were conducted including Seminars, Workshops.

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

Awareness generation programmes will be conducted including Seminars and Workshops.

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

Awareness generation programmes will be conducted including Seminars and 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.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. 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 2003-04** : --(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2004-05** :

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 2005-06 :

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 : 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 2004-05 :

Purchase of chappals and blankets to poor senior citizens – 70,000 sr. citizens.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Purchase of chappals and blankets to poor senior citizens – 75,000 sr. citizens.

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

Purchase of chappals and blankets to poor senior citizens – 76,000 sr. citizens.

4. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 12

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 2004-05 :

Release of Grant to Pondicherry Society for the Care of Aged

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Release of Grant to Pondicherry Society for the Care of Aged

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

Release of Grant to Pondicherry Society for the Care of Aged

4. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 13

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 2004-05 :

- i. Purchase of furniture/utensils
- ii. Maintenance of posts.
- iii. Purchase of Diet and Non diet items, cloths, bed materials etc. for the use of the inmates.
- iv. Revision of Diet and Non-diet scales.
- v. Enhancement of pocket money to the inmates.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

- i. Purchase of furniture.
- ii. Purchase of utensils for the 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.

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

- 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.
- v. Opening of a new Home for Aged and Infirm at Mahe Region if not materialized during the year 2005-06.

4. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Creation of functional and ministerial posts.

Scheme No. 14

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 2004-05** :

Free Distribution of rice made to 17400 beneficiaries.

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

- i. Free Distribution of 10 Kg. of rice every month to 18000 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 2006-07** :

- i. Free Distribution of 10 Kg. of rice every month to 19000 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.

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme

Scheme No. 15

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 2004-05** : Token provision

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

Running of Rehabilitation Center for the Disabled by releasing GIA to the State Social Welfare Advisory Board.

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

Running of Rehabilitation Center for the Disabled by releasing GIA to the State Social Welfare Advisory Board.

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 2004-05 :

- i. Created Website to DWCD, Pondicherry.
- ii. Purchased 10 computer systems for the use of this department.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

- i. To Maintain Website to DWCD, Pondicherry.
- ii. Creation of 26 Daily Rated Clerk posts.
- iii. Acquisition of land for construction of a new building for Directorate of Women and Child Development.
- iv. To purchase computer systems to the outlying region of this department.
- v. To purchase of 3 vehicles.

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

- i. To Maintain Website to DWCD, Pondicherry.
- ii. Establishment for continued scheme of 26 Daily Rated Clerk posts.
- iii. Construction of a new building for Directorate of Women and Child Development
- iv. Purchase of 3 vehicles to this directorate.

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 2004-05 :

Children's Day	-	1350 Children
Social Service Camp	-	300 Children

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Children's Day	-	1350 Children
Social Service Camp	-	300 Children

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

Children's Day	-	1350 Children
Social Service Camp	-	300 Children

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 :

To set up a service home for destitute women.

3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2003-04 : --

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2004-05 : Token provision

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

4. Remarks : Scheme dropped.

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 2004-05 : 65 inmates

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Administrative approval accorded for acquisition of land it is proposed to purchase of a land at Karaikal to construct own building to Hostel for Working Women during 2005-06.

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

It is proposed to construct own building to Hostel for Working Women during 2006-07.

4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

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 objective of the scheme is to improve the socio-economic status of the poor and downtrodden women in the society by assisting them financially and imparting general awareness. The scheme comprises of 12 components intended to benefit pregnant women, lactating mothers, daughters of widows/destitutes, widows, poor girl students and poor brides. It also focus on general awareness and safeguarding women rights by conducting programmes through celebration of Women's Day and Women's week. It also promotes women Self Help Groups through its Agency "Mangalam Society".

3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05 : **9550**

1	Women's Week	1500
2	Women's Day	1500
3	Widow's Daughter's Marriage Allowance	359
4	Incentive to Widow's Remarriage	--
5	Kulavillakku	780
6	Aravanaippu	1199
7	Mangalam Society	2000
8	Financial Assistance to perform marriage of Poor Brides	700
9	Reimbursement of Tuition fees for Widow's Children in respect of typewriting and shorthand.	12
10	Swayamsidha Fair	1500

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 : **10317**

1	Women's Week	1500
2	Women's Day	1500
3	Widow's Daughter's Marriage Allowance	301
4	Incentive to Widow's Remarriage	2
5	Kulavillakku	900
6	Aravanaippu	1500
7	Mangalam Society	2000
8	Financial Assistance to perform marriage of Poor Brides	835

9	Reimbursement of Tuition fees for Widow's Children in respect of typewriting and shorthand.	40
10	Swayamsidha Fair	1500
11	Financial assistance to family having two girl children and the parents undergone sterilization.	4
12	Financial assistance to family with one girl child studying 8 th to 10 th std.	235

(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 : 12277

1	Women's Week	1500
2	Women's Day	1500
3	Widow's Daughter's Marriage Allowance	500
4	Incentive to Widow's Remarriage	4
5	Kulavillakku	1100
6	Aravanaippu	1500
7	Mangalam Society	2000
8	Financial Assistance to perform marriage of Poor Brides	860
9	Reimbursement of Tuition fees for Widow's Children in respect of typewriting and shorthand.	45
10	Swayamsidha Fair	3000
11	Financial assistance to family having two girl children and the parents undergone sterilization.	8
12	Financial assistance to family with one girl child studying 8 th to 10 th std.	260

4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 21

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD
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 who are 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 workingwomen 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 Ceramics articles making, Sea shell articles, Tanjore Art painting, Soft toys making, Autorikshaw driving training etc., are given to selected women under the poverty line. Moreover, 677 Multipurpose Women Development coordinators and 677 Multipurpose Women Development Helpers were regularized in the Corporation w.e.f 05/2005.

3.(a) Actual physical Achievement 2004-05	:	1517
1 Bank Loan Subsidy		87
2 Auto Rikshaw Subsidy		8
3 Training		0
4 Awareness Camp		840
5 Workshop		400
6 Women Individual Loan		87
7 NHFDC Loan		95

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06	:	4905
1 Bank Loan Subsidy		600
2 Auto Rikshaw Subsidy		30
3 Training		525
4 Awareness Camp		1600
5 Workshop		1600
6 Women Individual Loan		300
7 NHFDC Loan		250

(c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 :	:	4905
1 Bank Loan Subsidy		600
2 Auto Rikshaw Subsidy		30
3 Training		525
4 Awareness Camp		1600
5 Workshop		1600
6 Women Individual Loan		300
7 NHFDC Loan		250

4. Remarks : Continuing Scheme.

Scheme No. 22

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD
Department DEVELOPMENT

1. Name of the Scheme : Rehabilitation Centre for Women

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 2004-05 : --
- (b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 : Token provision
- (c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 : --
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 2004-05 : --
- (b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 : Token provision
- (c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 : --
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. The State Commission for Women has been formed with a Chairperson and six members.

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

Established Pondicherry Women's commission with a chairperson and six members and an office for the commission with 1 Driver, 1 peon, 1 watchman and 1 Sanitary

Assistant. The office is accommodated in a rented building provided with a Car, Telephone, Fax Machine and a Photo Copier machine.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

Creation of posts.

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

Continued establishment for the Pondicherry Women's Commission.

4. Remarks : Continuing Scheme

Creation of functional and ministerial posts.

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.200/- to Old Aged Persons and Widows, so that they could defray some petty personal expenses without depending on others. The amount of pension is proposed to be enhanced to Rs.225/- for Old Aged Persons and Widows as per the announcement of the Hon'ble Chief Minister during the Legislative Assembly Session in July'2004.
- 2) To grant Rs.1000/- as funeral expenses of the Old Age 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 pensioners suffering from TB/Cancer as medical expenses.

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

72939 Old Age Persons and Widows. 1680 (Funeral) and 300 (Medical).

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06:

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| i) | Payment of Old Age and Widow Pension. | 73039 |
| ii) | Assistance for Funeral Expenses of Old Age Pensioner. | 1850 |
| iii) | Assistance for Medical Expenses of Old Age Pensioner. | 300 |

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

73039	-	OAP + 2000 (New OAP)
1900	-	Funeral
300	-	Medical

4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 26

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD
Department DEVELOPMENT1. **Name of the Scheme** : Distribution of Free rice to poor people.2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

The scheme aims at providing 10 Kgs of Rice to BPL families during natural calamities.

3.(a) **Actual physical Achievement 2004-05** : 1,55,454 Beneficiaries(b) **Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06** : 1,16,530 Beneficiaries(c) **Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07** : 1,16,530 Beneficiaries4. **Remarks** : Continuing scheme**Scheme No. 27**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD
Department DEVELOPMENT1. **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 poor people other than SC/Fisherman once in a year as a measure of social security.

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

1,37,000 Sarees & 1,37,000 Dhoties

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

1,16,000 Sarees & 1,16,000 Dhoties

Distribution of clothing materials to poor people.

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

1,16,000 Sarees & 1,16,000 Dhoties

4. **Remarks** : Continuing Scheme.**Scheme No. 28**

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD
Department DEVELOPMENT1. **Name of the Scheme** : Construction of Anganwadi Centres.2. **Objective of the Scheme** :

To build Anganwadi centres with necessary facilities.

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

5 Anganwadi centres under construction at Thirubuvanai constituency.

(b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 :

11 Anganwadi centres at Villianur & Oulgaret constituency.

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

- i. To construct Nos. of Sanitary Latrines at Anganwadi Centres on Rural Areas under Total Sanitation Campaign, undertaken by DRDA, Pondicherry
- ii. Depending upon the availability of free site from various sources like Government, Public etc. construction of buildings for Anganwadi Centres will be carried out.

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 2004-05 : --

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

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

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 2004-05 : --
 (b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 : Token provision
 (c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 :
 4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 31

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD
 Department DEVELOPMENT

1. Name of the Scheme : Family Counselling centres
 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 2004-05 : Counselling for 225 cases.
 (b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2005-06 : Counselling for 250 cases
 (c) Programme envisaged for Annual Plan 2006-07 : Counselling for 300 cases
 4. Remarks : Continuing scheme

Scheme No. 32

Sector : SOCIAL WELFARE

Implementing : WOMEN & CHILD
 Department DEVELOPMENT

1. Name of the Scheme : Pondicherry Family Benefit Scheme
 2. Objective of the Scheme :

To provide assistance on the death of the primary breadwinner in a BPL family.

3. (a) Actual Physical Achievement 2003-04 : Nil.
 (b) Anticipated Physical Achievement 2004-05 : 130
 4. Remarks : Scheme dropped.