GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
ADI DRAVIDAR WELFARE & SCHEDULED TRIBES WELFARE SECRETARIAT
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No.B.17039/01/2021/Wel(SCW) 104 Puducherry, the 28.05.2021

ORDER

Sub: Secretariat(ADW & STW) - Grant of Financial Assistance to Scheduled Caste People to perform Funeral Rites in Puducherry and Karaikal region for the year 2021-22 – Expenditure Sanction with advance drawal – Orders – Issued.

Ref: 1.G.O.Ms.No.2/2016/Wel/SCW, dated 16.12.2016 of the A. D. Welfare Dept.(Secretariat Wing), Puducherry.

2.G.O.Ms.No.5/2016/Wel/SCW, dated 22.03.2017 of the A. D. Welfare Dept.(Secretariat Wing), Puducherry.

3.I.D.Note No.190321/ADW&STW/Gen/G4/2021-22, dt.37.05.2021 from the ADW & STW Department, Puducherry
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The Adi Dravidar Welfare & Scheduled Tribes Welfare Department, Puducherry is distributing financial assistance to poor Scheduled Caste people to perform funeral rites under the scheme, "Grant of Financial Assistance to Scheduled Caste People to perform Funeral Rites" in the U.T. of Puducherry. The financial assistance of Rs.15,000/- is provided to the relative of the deceased Scheduled Caste person by cash for performing funeral rites vide reference 1st & 2nd cited above. During the year 2020-21, expenditure sanction has been issued in six spells for Rs.1,62,00,000/- and covered 1080 beneficiaries in Puducherry (900) and Karaikal (180) region. Now, the Director, Adi Dravidar Welfare & Scheduled Tribes Welfare Department has sought for expenditure sanction with advance drawal for Rs.60,00,000/- towards the grant of Financial Assistance under the scheme to the *expected* applications proportionate figures of the previous year 2020-21 in respect of Puducherry and Karaikal region as detailed below.

Name of Region	Applications expected (proportionate figures of the previous year 2020-21)	Financial implication involved	Total
Puducherry	300	300 X Rs.15,000	Rs.45,00,000/-
Karaikal	100	100 X Rs.15,000	Rs.15,00,000/-
TOTAL	400	400 X Rs.15,000	Rs.60,00,000/-

2. Therefore, in exercise of the powers delegated in G.O. Ms. No.47/2014/F3 dated 09.12.2014 of Finance Department, Puducherry, sanction of the Secretary (Welfare) is hereby accorded to incur an expenditure not exceeding Rs.60,00,000/- (Rupees sixty lakh only) towards release of financial assistance @ Rs.15,000/- each to the family of deceased poor Scheduled caste people to perform funeral rites in Puducherry and Karaikal region during the year 2021-22.

3. Sanction is also conveyed for the drawal of the amount sanctioned in para (2) above in advance by the DDO, ADW & STW Department, Puducherry and Karaikal and kept in the Bank account of the DDO concerned for releasing the financial assistance to the family member of the deceased on the day of death itself @ Rs.15,000/- for each case, subject to rendering of relevant accounts to the DAT, Puducherry.

4. The Financial Assistance shall be granted to the eligible persons as per rules in force and against proper acquaintance.

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5. The list of beneficiaries shall be furnished by the Director, AD Welfare & ST Welfare Department, Puducherry while rendering the accounts to the Director of Accounts and Treasuries, Puducherry, for the advance drawn as per rules in force and a copy addressed to the undersigned.

6. The Director shall ensure that the beneficiaries satisfy all the conditions stipulated under the rules of the scheme before disbursement of the assistance and to upload the list of beneficiaries in the Department website immediately.

7. The details of the deceased persons shall be furnished to Director, Department of Women & Child Development for updating Old Age Pension database immediately.

8. The expenditure shall be debitable to the following Heads of Account in the Vote on Account 2021-22:-

2225–Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes and Minorities - 01-Welfare of Scheduled Castes - 01/789-Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes – 01/789(30)-Financial Assistance to Scheduled Caste Persons to Perform Funeral Rites	
01/789(30)(01)–Puducherry Region (50)-Other Charges	Rs.45,00,000/-
01/789(30)(02)–Karaikal Region (50)-Other Charges	Rs.15,00,000/-
TOTAL	Rs.60,00,000/-

-// BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY TO GOVT.(WELFARE)//-

(S. YESVANTHAIYAH)
UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVT. (ADW&STW)

To

1. The Director, AD Welfare & ST Welfare Department, Puducherry.
2. The Assistant Director, AD Welfare & ST Welfare Department, Karaikal.

Copy to:-

1. The Finance Department, Puduhcerry.
2. The Director, Women and Child Welfare Department, Puducherry.
3. The Director of Accounts & Treasuries, Puducherry.
4. The Deputy Director of Accounts & Treasuries, Karaikal.
5. The Junior Accounts Officer, A.D. Welfare & S.T. Welfare Department, Puducherry.
6. The Principal Accountant General (Civil Audit), Chennai 18.
7. The Accountant General (Civil Audit), Puducherry.
8. The Central Record Branch, Puducherry.
9. The Web Master - With a instruction to upload in Dept. website/Govt. of Puducherry.
10. File No.B.17039/01/2021-Wel(SCW)/Spare Copy.

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