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(Details of Schemes for the General Public)

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Introduction

Out of the total population of Tamil Nadu Adi Dravidar is 20.01% and Scheduled Tribe is 1.17%. According to 2011 Population Census the Literacy percentage of Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes are as follows:-

(Percentage)			
Details	Male	Female	Total
General	86.77	73.44	80.09
Adi Dravidar	80.94	65.64	73.26
Scheduled Tribes	61.81	46.80	54.34

2. Welfare Programmes

This Department implements several welfare programmes for the socio-economic development of the Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes in the State. Apart from formulating programmes so as to end the social seclusion and economic deprivation of Adi dravidars and Scheduled Tribes through educational development, the objectives of these programmes are also to speed up the process of integrating them with the national main stream.

21 sectoral departments comprising of 48 HOD's for Scheduled Castes Sub Plan and 49 HOD's for Tribal Sub Plan earmark specific allocations for the benefit of the Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes from their regular planned programmes allocations.

Among various social sector programmes implemented by the Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department, education occupies the prime place as it reforms the society at greater level. Besides this, various other welfare programmes like distribution of house site pattas and construction of houses and provision of basic amenities like laying of roads, street lights,

supply of drinking water, burial ground and pathway to burial ground etc. are also taken up as part of the social development programmes.

In order to ensure livelihood for the **Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups** where habitations are at hilly areas special programmes are framed such as construction of traditional houses, distribution of milch animals, provision of drinking water facilities and street lights

Necessary funds are provided under **Article 275 (1) of Constitution of India** to provide infrastructure facilities in Tribal areas.

For the benefit to the Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes, economic development programmes are implemented by various sectoral departments by fixing particular targets, the economic development programmes implemented through TAHDCO are primarily of three categories namely 1) Micro enterprises development for the poor families 2) Vocational job-oriented skill training programmes and 3) Individual entrepreneur schemes which are supported by appropriate training and subsidy programmes. To create employment opportunities and to strengthen the skill needs specific trades among the youth; suitable skill development training programmes are organized through well-known and recognized institutions.

3. Administrative Machinery:

The Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare and Directorate of Tribal Welfare and TAHDCO, are functioning under the control of the Secretary to Government, Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department. At the State level, the Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare is headed by an I.A.S., officer. Similarly the Directorate of Tribal Welfare is headed by an C.L.S., Officer. At the district level, District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officers and Project Officer (Tribal Welfare) are working with their supporting staff for the Welfare of the Adi Dravidars and the Scheduled Tribes. TAHDCO as a Corporation is responsible for implementing all the economic development programmes for the benefit of the Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes. It is headed by the Managing Director in the cadre of an I.A.S., officer. In the field level, TAHDCO has district offices headed by District Managers.

At the district level District collectors are the main coordinating officers for monitoring all welfare programmes for the benefit of the Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes with the support of the officers of this department such as

District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officers, Project Officers (Tribal Welfare), District Managers, TAHDCO and the heads of the sectoral departments like Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Agriculture, Health and Family Welfare, Higher Education, Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries, Municipal Administration & Water Supply, Revenue, School Education and Social Welfare & Women empowerment Departments etc., are functioning as main coordinating officers.

4. Schools and Hostels

Various welfare programmes are implemented for the Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribe students studying in Adi Dravidar welfare and Government Tribal Residential Schools.

Concessions given to the students studying in schools

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
4.1	Text Books	All Students studying From standard I to XII in Adi Dravidar Welfare Schools and Government Tribal Residential Schools.	Headmaster of the School.
4.2	Note Books	All Students studying in Standard 1 to 10 in Adi Dravidar Welfare Schools and Government Tribal Residential Schools.	Headmaster of the School
4.3	Uniforms	All Students studying from Standard I to XII in Adi Dravidar Welfare Schools and Government Tribal Residential Schools, Hostels run by Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department.	Headmaster of the School Warden / Matron of the Hostel
4.4	Bicycles	Bicycles are supplied free of cost to Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribes and Adi Dravidar Christian Girls & Boys studying in Std XI in Government / Government Aided / Partly aided schools.	Headmaster of the School
4.5	Special Guides and Question Bank	Students studying in Std 10 th and 12 th in Adi Dravidar welfare schools, Government Tribal Residential Schools and inmates of Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Hostels.	Headmaster of the School Warden/ Matron of the Hostel

In order to encourage the students and reduce dropouts due to transportation, education and hostel facilities are provided nearby residing areas of Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes.

Details of Adi Dravidar Welfare Schools and hostels

Sl. No.	Classification	Nos.	No. of Students
1.	Adi Dravidar Welfare Schools	1,138	81,189
2.	Adi Dravidar Welfare Hostels	1,331	98,909

(A) Facilities provided to the students staying in Hostels

- i) Two tier Cots and blanket to the college hostels, Mats, Bed Sheets, Pillow with cover, Stainless Steel Plate and Tumbler, First Aid Box with Medicines, Sport articles etc.,
- ii) Gas connection, Water purifiers, Wet Grinders, Steam boilers, Electronic Weighing machines. Mixer Grinders.
- iii) Washing Machines and Incinerators to Adi Dravidar Welfare girl's hostels.
- iv) Manual and e-Library facilities.

(B) Feeding and Miscellaneous charges

Feeding charges, Special feeding charges during festival days and miscellaneous charges are provided to the students residing in Adi Dravidar Welfare hostels as below;

FACILITIES GIVEN TO STUDENTS IN HOSTELS

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
4.6	Free Boarding and lodging to the Students studying from 4th Standard	Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribe, Christian Adi Dravidar students studying from 4 th Std. till to College Distance between the school and Residence should be more than 5 kms (Restricted distance does not apply for girls) Parents / guardian income limit Rs.2.50 Lakh per annum. For admission in hostel, Students shall apply in the online address tnadw-hms.in	Warden / Matron of the Hostel.
4.7	Mats and Bed Sheets All Boys / Girls boarders staying in the Hostels are provided with one Mat every Year and one Bed Sheet once in two years. (G.O(Ms)No.47,AD&TW(ADW4) Department Date 5.5.2021	Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribe, Christian Adi Dravidar students.	Warden/ Matron of the Hostel.
4.8	Feeding charges An amount of Rs. 1,400/- per month per student for school hostels and Rs. 1,500/- per month per student for College hostels are given.	Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribe, Christian Adi Dravidar students.	Warden/ Matron of the Hostel.
4.9	Miscellaneous charges Rs.100/- for schools students and Rs.150/- for college students are provided for Miscellaneous expenditure like soap and oil	Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribe, Christian Adi Dravidar students.	Warden/ Matron of the Hostel.
4.10	Special feeding charges Special feeding charges of Rs.40/- hostel staying school students and Rs.80/- to college students are provided during (Pongal, Republic Day, Tamil New Year, Independence day and Deepawali festivals)	Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribe, Christian Adi Dravidar students.	Warden/ Matron of the Hostel.

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
4.11	<p>Assistance to Hostels run by NGO's</p> <p>Apart from Government hostels of Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare, there are 18 subsidized hostels run by voluntary organizations. Students studying in these hostels are provided with</p> <p>➤ Food charges, Miscellaneous Expenses, Atlas, Dictionary, Mat, Bed sheet, Uniform and Stitching charges by this department.</p>	Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribe Christian Adi Dravidar students studying in private subsidized Hostels.	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare officer.

5. (a) Educational Scholarship

Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department is implementing various educational scholarship Schemes from 1st Std to P.G & Ph.D degree with the prime objective of providing quality education to Socially and Economically backward communities such as Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribes and Christian Adi Dravidar to ensure socio-economic, educational development, social dignity and self-sustainability.

Some schemes are implemented without insisting caste and income ceiling of the target beneficiaries/students. Many schemes are implemented with the objective of uplifting the poorest by taking into account of the target beneficiaries' community, income and category of the institutions (Government/Government Aided/Private) in which the students are pursuing their education etc.,

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
5.1	<p>Post Matric Scholarship Scheme</p> <p>This educational assistance is being provided to enable students beyond class 10 and upto P.hd., to continue their education without financial constraints and to increase the Gross Enrollment Ratio(GER) of Adi Dravidar students in higher education.</p>	<p>➤ Students studying recognized courses beyond 10th Std in recognized institutions.</p> <p>➤ Parent/ Guardian's Annual Income Ceiling upto Rs.2.50 lakh (Gross income of all Sources will</p>	Headmaster / College Principal / District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer (Students studying in Tamil Nadu)

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
	<p>The expenditure incurred for the implementation of this scheme is shared by the Union and State Governments in the ratio of 60:40.</p> <p>To avail scholarship under this scheme, the annual income of the parent / guardian should not exceed Rs.2.50 lakh.</p> <p>For Adi Dravidar students studying in recognized courses above class 10 in recognized educational institutions in Tamil Nadu, educational fees and academic allowances are credited to the students' bank accounts by the Government as scholarship.</p>	<p>be taken into account)</p> <p>➤ Adi Dravidar Students only</p>	<p>For Adi Dravidar students - Personal Assistant to Director of Adi Dravidar Welfare Chennai-5 (Students studying in Other States)</p>

Rates of Academic Allowance payable under the scheme is given below:			
Group	Courses	Rate of Academic allowance per annum (Rs.)	
		Hosteller	Day Scholar
I	Professional courses leading to Degree, Diploma, Certificate courses in Engineering, Medicine, Fashion Technology, Veterinary and Agriculture PG Diploma Courses in Management and medicine CA/CWA/CS/CFA etc. and M.Phil. Ph.D and Post-doctoral programmes.	13,500/-	7,000/-
II	Professional courses leading to Degree, Diploma, Certificate courses in Pharmacy, Nursing, LLB, Hospitality, Tourism and Hotel Management etc.,(for which entrance qualification is minimum 12 th Std.) B.Sc.(Nursing), B.Pharm, B.O.T, B.P.T, M.Sc.(Nursing), M.Pharm, M.P.T. etc.,	9,500/-	6,500/-

Rates of Academic Allowance payable under the scheme is given below:			
Group	Courses	Rate of Academic allowance per annum (Rs.)	
		Hosteller	Day Scholar
III	U.G and P.G Courses leading to a Degree but not covered under Group I & II. (B.A. B.Sc., B.Com., M.A., M.Sc., M.Com., etc.,)	6,000/-	3,000/-
IV	All Diploma Courses, Certificate courses etc., non degree courses for which entrance qualification is 10 th Std. (e.g. XI, XII, ITI, Polytechnic) etc.,	4,000/-	2,500/-

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person												
5.2	<p>Government of India Pre-Matric Scholarship for SC and others:-</p> <p>The schemes namely Pre-matric scholarship for students studying in IX and X standard and Pre-Matric scholarship for children of those parents engaged in unclean occupation and occupation involving cleaning and prone to health hazards are merged together and implemented as a single scheme from the year 2022-2023. This scheme will have two components as below:</p> <p><u>Component-1:</u></p> <p>Pre-matric scholarship for SC students studying in IX-X standard</p> <p><u>Component-2:</u></p> <p>Pre-matric scholarship for the children of parents /guardians engaged in unclean and hazardous occupation.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="285 1102 935 1543"> <thead> <tr> <th data-bbox="285 1102 597 1262">Rates of Scholarships payable for the Components are:</th> <th data-bbox="602 1102 748 1262">Day Scholar</th> <th data-bbox="753 1102 935 1262">Hosteller</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td data-bbox="285 1268 597 1304"></td> <td colspan="2" data-bbox="602 1268 935 1304">per annum</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="285 1310 597 1419">Component-1</td> <td data-bbox="602 1310 748 1419">Rs.3500/- class (ix-x)</td> <td data-bbox="753 1310 935 1419">Rs.7000/- class (ix-x)</td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="285 1425 597 1543">Component-2</td> <td data-bbox="602 1425 748 1543">Rs.3500/- class (I-X)</td> <td data-bbox="753 1425 935 1543">Rs.8000/- class (III-X)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Rates of Scholarships payable for the Components are:	Day Scholar	Hosteller		per annum		Component-1	Rs.3500/- class (ix-x)	Rs.7000/- class (ix-x)	Component-2	Rs.3500/- class (I-X)	Rs.8000/- class (III-X)	<p>component-1: SC studying IX and X Std in recognized Schools. Parent / Guardian Annual Income limit is upto Rs. 2.50 lakh.</p> <p>Component-2: Irrespective of caste or religion.</p> <p>Irrespective of Income.</p> <p>Either one of the Parent should be engaged in occupations prone to health hazards such as Scavenging, Tanning, Flaying, and Waste Picking.</p>	<p>Head Master of the School / District Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare Officer</p>
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5.3	<p>Higher Education Special Scholarship</p> <p>The Adi Dravidar /Scheduled Tribes / Christian Adi Dravidar students Studying in Government / Government Aided Institution and staying in paid institutional Hostels are provided with a Special Scholarship.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ For degree / polytechnic courses Rs.7500/- p.a. ➤ Post graduate / professional courses Rs. 8000/- p.a. 	<p>Parent / Guardian Annual Income should not exceed Rs.2.50 Lakh.</p> <p>Students staying in paid college hostels</p>	<p>Principal / District Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer (Tribal Welfare).</p>
5.4	<p>Overseas Scholarship</p> <p>In order to encourage Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribes, Christian Adi Dravidar students to pursue postgraduate and doctoral research studies in educational institutions abroad, the scheme is implemented.</p> <p>The value of Scholarship will be provided as follows:</p> <p>Slab-1:- Total Scholarship including tuition fee and living expenses upto Rs.36 lakhs per annum will be provided. If family income limit does not exceed Rs. 8 lakhs per annum.</p> <p>Slab-2:- Total Scholarship including tuition fee and living expenses upto Rs.24 lakhs per annum will be provided. If family income limit does not exceed Rs.12 lakhs per annum.</p> <p>The scholarship is awarded to students who are admitted to the top 1000 institutions ranked by latest Quacquarelli Symonds (QS) in the World University Ranking.</p> <p>Further, only one person</p>	<p>The family annual income should be less than 8 lakh for slab - 1 and 12 lakh for slab-2.</p> <p>Students belonging to Adi Dravidar / Christian Adi Dravidar/ Scheduled Tribes.</p>	<p>Director, Adi Dravidar Welfare, Chennai-5</p> <p>Director Tribal Welfare Chennai-5</p>

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
	from a family can avail scholarship under this scheme.		
5.5	<p>Incentive for Full time Ph.D., Scholar</p> <p>Adi Dravidar / Scheduled Tribes/ Christian Adi Dravidar Students pursuing full time Ph.D courses in recognized institutions in Tamil Nadu are awarded with an incentive of Rs.1,00,000/- per annum for 1600 students.</p>	<p>Students belonging to Adi Dravidar / Christian Adi Dravidar Scheduled Tribes pursuing full time Ph.D., Parent / guardian's annual income is upto Rs.8.00 lakh.</p>	<p>Director Adi Dravidar Welfare, Chennai-5</p> <p>Director Tribal Welfare Chennai-5</p>
5.6	<p>State Special Post-Matric Scholarship (beyond X Std.)</p> <p>All compulsory and non-refundable fees, payable to Govt. / Govt. aided schools and colleges along with Maintenance Allowance as given under Government of India Post Matric Scholarship Scheme are sanctioned as Scholarship.</p>	<p>Students belonging to Adi Dravidar /Scheduled Tribes and Christian Adi Dravidar who cannot benefit under Government of India Post, Matric-Scholarship.</p> <p>Parent / Guardian Annual Income limit is Rs.2.50 lakh.</p> <p>In respect of Tamil Nadu Government Servants, DA should not be included while reckoning income.</p>	<p>Headmaster of the School / College Principal / District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer (Tribal Welfare).</p>

(b) Educational fee concessions

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
5.7	Tuition Fees All Adi Dravidar / Scheduled Tribes and Christian Adi Dravidar students studying in Government / Government aided institutions are exempted from payment of tuition fees and it is compensated to the institutions.	No income limit	Institutions should submit their reimbursement proposals to the Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare and Directorate of Tribal Welfare through their Head of the Departments
5.8	Special Fees and Examination Fees to the Under Graduate girl students All Adi Dravidar /Scheduled Tribes and Christian Adi Dravidar students studying Under Graduate courses in Government / Government aided Arts and Science Colleges are provided with Special Fees and Exam Fees as scholarship.	No income limit.	College Principal / District Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare Officers / Project Officer (Tribal Welfare).
5.9	Special fees and Examination Fees to the Post Graduate Girl students. All Adi Dravidar /Scheduled Tribes and Christian Adi Dravidar girl students studying Post Graduate courses in Government / Government aided Arts and Science Colleges are provided with Special Fees and Exam Fees.	No income limit	College Principal/ District Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare Officers / Project Officer (Tribal Welfare).
5.10	Special Fee concession All Students studying from 6 th to 12 th standard in Adi Dravidar Welfare Department schools are exempted from paying Special fee. The exempted special fee will be compensated to the institutions.	No income limit.	District Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare Officer through Head Master of Schools / Project Officer (Tribal Welfare)
5.11	Exemption of Examination Fees, Application Fees and Registration Fees Students studying in Standards	No income limit Adi	Proposals to be sent by Director of Government examinations to the Director of Adi Dravidar

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
	X, XI and XII in Government, Government Aided Schools are exempted from paying public examination fee, Graduate/Post graduate students studying in Government / Government Aided Colleges are exempted from Application fee and Registration fee	Dravidar, Scheduled Tribe and Christian Adi Dravidar	Welfare / Director, Tribal Welfare, Chennai-5. For Application / Registration Fee, Institutions should send proposals to District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer (Tribal Welfare) concerned.

(C) Prize Money Award Scheme

Prize Money Award Scheme is provided to Adi Dravidar, Scheduled Tribes and Christian Adi Dravidar students who has been secured 60 percentages and above marks in the First attempt in under Graduate, Post Graduate and professional courses.

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person.
5.12	Prize Money Award Rs.3000/- for the students of UG courses. Rs.5000/- for the students of PG courses. Rs.6000/- for the Students of professional Courses.	Adi Dravidar / Scheduled Tribe and Christian Adi Dravidar students. 60% marks and above in Degree, Post-Graduate and Professional course for 1000 students. No income limit	Director of Adi Dravidar Welfare /Tribel welfare through Educational Institutions.

6. Special Incentive Scheme for Girl Students

To reduce the dropouts and to increase enrollment of the Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribe girl students in Government / Government aided schools and to help them to continue their studies from III to V and VI standard incentives are provided. Further from 2013-2014 academic year onwards, the scheme has been extended to the girl students studying in VII & VIII Standard.

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
6.1	Special incentive to girl students. Rs. 500/- per annum is provided to the Girls students studying From 3 rd std to 5 th std in the state Rs.1000/-per annum is provided to the students of 6 th std Rs.1500/-per annum is provided to the students from 7 th and 8 th std The money is deposited in student / Parent's savings account.	No Income limit. Applicable to Scheduled caste and Scheduled Tribe girl students studying in Government and Government aided schools.	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer through Headmaster of the Schools.

7. Provision of basic amenities

Free house site pattas are issued to the houseless Adi Dravidar families. Safe drinking water is one of the schemes of priority among provision of basic amenities. Under infrastructure development, wells, Bore wells are being provided. Further, Government is allocating funds for providing burial grounds and pathways to burial grounds. To cater to the need for conducting weddings, social gatherings, meetings etc., community halls are also constructed.

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
7.1	<p>Iyothee Thas Pandithar Habitation Development Scheme</p> <p>Since the year 2018-19 per annum Rs. 100 crore has been allocated for the Adi Dravidar Habitation Development Scheme which has been renamed as Iyothee thas pandithar habitation development scheme at a cost of Rs 1000.00 crore, the basic facilities required for the rural and urban Adi Dravidar habitants will be improved in 5 years, for which an allocation enhanced to Rs.200 crores per annum from 2023-24.</p>	<p>The works should be selected with priority is given to rural and urban Adi dravidar habitant areas where there are no basic facilities provided such as drinking water, drainage, street lights, roads, pathway to graveyards etc.</p>	<p>District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer</p>
7.2	<p>Provision of Free House site pattas</p> <p>3 cents in rural area and 1.5 cents in municipality area and 1 cent in corporation area are provided</p>	<p>Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes not own a house or house site. Annual income ceiling Rs.1,00,000 - in rural and Urban areas.</p>	<p>Special Tahsildar (ADW) / District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer</p>
7.3	<p>Burial Ground</p> <p>Development of Burial Grounds, Pathways and basic amenities to Burial Grounds</p>	<p>Adi Dravidar habitation without burial ground and pathway facilities to burial ground.</p>	<p>District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer</p>

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Contact Person
7.4	Link Road Link Roads are provided connecting the Adi Dravidar Welfare habitations with the main road / Villages.	Adi Dravidar habitations Without Link roads.	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer DRDA / BDO, Panchayat Union.
7.5	Community Halls Adi Dravidar and Tribal Habitation for conducting social functions like marriages, meetings etc.	Habitations without Community Halls	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / District Manager, TAHDCO.
7.6	Assistance for Funeral Rites A sum of Rs.5,000/- is given as subsidy for meeting expenses on funeral rites of Adi Dravidar, Chirstian Adi Dravidar	Adi Dravidar, Christian Adi Dravidar families who are without House or House land Income Ceiling Rs.72,000/- No House or House land	BDO, Panchayat Union/ Executive Officer, Town Panchayat / Commissioner of Municipality/ Corporation / District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer
7.7	Award to Villages where caste free burial grounds are in use Villages in all the Districts (except Chennai) where caste free burial grounds are in use are selected and a prize award of Rs.30 lakhs to three villages, Rs.10 lakhs per village will be Given	Villages where Caste free burial grounds in use.	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer

8. Pradhan Mantri Anusuchit Jati Abhyuday Yojana (PM-AJAY)

From the year 2021-2022, the Pradhan Mantri – Anusuchit Jaati Abhyuday Yojana (PM-AJAY) has been introduced by Government of India by merging three existing schemes viz., Pradhan Mantri Adarsh Gram Yojana (PMAGY), Special Central Assistance to Scheduled Castes Sub Plan (SCA to SCSP) and Babu Jagjivan Ram Chhatrawas Yojana (BJRCY).

(a) Pradhan Mandri Adarsh Gram Yojana - (PMAGY)

Objective of the Scheme

The main objective of this scheme is to ensure integrated development of the selected villages with more than 40% of scheduled caste population so Funds are allocated by the Government of India so that there is adequate infrastructure and improvement in socio - economic indicators as part of various sectors / Domains. These domains include Drinking water and Sanitation, Education, Health and Nutrition, Social security , Rural Roads and Housing, Electricity and Clean Fuel, Agricultural Practices, Financial inclusion, Digitization, Livelihood and Skill Development. The scheme is implemented by the Rural development and Panchayat raj Department

- **Eligibility** - The scheme is implemented in villages that were living more than 40% of Adi Dravidar.
- **Accessible Officers** – District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Project Director, Rural Development Agency.

(b) Intersnship scholarship to Law Graduate Final year students

A stipend of Rs.10,000/- is given to the students in the final year of Government Law Colleges to undertake Internship with the best Law Firms / Lawyers as per their subject. In the financial year 2023-2024, 774 students have been given internship stipend of Rs.77.40 lakh.

Also, 15 students will be given an additional stipend of Rs.10,000 for training with Hon'ble Madras High Court and Hon'ble High Court Madurai Branch Judges through the Government Directorate of Legal Education. Due to the excellent performance of this scheme, in the financial year 2024-2025, a fund of Rs.65.00 lakh has been allocated.

(c) Special Central Assistance to Scheduled Castes Sub Plan (SCA to SCSP)

Objective of the Scheme

The Government of India is providing Special Central Assistance, as a supplementary grant to the Scheduled Castes Sub Plan of the State to enhance infrastructural facilities, facilitate family income generating schemes, encourage economic development and provide skill development schemes and also to enhance the productivity and income of the Scheduled Caste families.

Fund allocation for this scheme is provided by the Union Government. In this fund, as per the guidelines of the Union Government, 60 % for the economic development projects, 10% to provide skill development training to the unemployed Adi Dravidar Young people and 30% to improve basic infrastructure facilities in Adi Dravidar Habitations are allocated and this scheme is implemented through TAHDCO.

Eligibility: The scheme is implemented in villages who were living more than population are Adi Dravidar.

Accessible Officers: District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, District Manager (TAHDCO)

(d) Babu Jagjivan Ram Chhatrawas Yojana Scheme (BJRCY)

The Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment is allocating funds for the construction of a new Hostel building at Adi Dravidar Welfare Department under the Babu Jegajivanram Chatravas Yojana. The project is being implemented with 100 per cent contribution for the construction of Girls hostel buildings and 50 per cent contribution for construction of Boys hostel buildings.

New buildings have been constructed for 208 hostels under this scheme from 2003-2004 to 2021-2022. Now the works are under progress in 13 Hostel Building for the years 2019-2020, 2021-2022 , out of 13, 10 hostels

construction are completed. In 2023-2024 One hostel construction has been started.

- **Eligibility** - The scheme is implemented in Adi Dravidar Welfare Hostels only.

9. Removal of Untouchability

This Department is taking various steps to abolish Untouchability and to prevent activities against Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes. For this protection of civil Rights Act 1955 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act 1989 and rules have been enacted by the Government of India and implemented by the State Government effectively, now the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (PoA) Act 1989 and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (PoA) rules 1995 have been amended by the Government of India after getting concurrence from the State Governments as Scheduled castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) (Amendments) Act 2015 and Scheduled castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Rules 2016-2018. The above said Act and Rules have been notified in the Gazette of India (Extraordinary) and came into force on 01.01.2016, 14.04.2016 and 27.06.2018 respectively.

A sum of Rs.10.00 lakh is given to one village in each district (except Chennai) where untouchability is not practiced in any form and the people live in harmony.

Sl. No	Name of the Atrocity and details	Details of Relief measures	Contact Person
9.1	<p>Assistance to SC/ST people affected by Riots.</p> <p>The SC&ST (POA) Act - 2015 and Rules - 2016 to prevent atrocities on the SCs and STs. To protect SC and ST against the riots</p>	<p>A sum of minimum Rs.85,000 and maximum of Rs.8.25 lakh is awarded as compensation for the family who lost life in the riots.</p> <p>Further as per G.O (Ms) No.94, Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare (PA1) Department, dated 24.11.2021 and G.O (Ms) No.4, Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare (PA1) Department, dated 02.02.2022 , the relief amount has been increased minimum from Rs.85,000 to Rs.1.00 lakh and the</p>	<p>District Collector District Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare Officer</p>

Sl. No	Name of the Atrocity and details	Details of Relief measures	Contact Person
		<p>maximum from Rs.8.25 lakhs to 12.00 lakhs in the state fund.</p> <p>For Death / Murder, the following additional relief to be given:</p> <p>(1) Basic pension to the widow or other dependents of deceased persons belonging to SC or ST amounting to Rs.5000 per month as applicable to a Government servant with admissible D.A.</p> <p>(2) Employment to one of the family members of the deceased.</p> <p>(3) Provision of agricultural land and house, etc.,</p> <p>(4) Full cost of the education up to graduation level and maintenance of the children of the victims. Children may be admitted to Ashram schools or residential schools, fully funded by the Government.</p> <p>(5) Provision of utensils, rice, wheat, dals, pulses etc., for a period of three months.</p>	
9.2	<p>Select Village scheme</p> <p>Under this scheme a sum of Rs.10 lakh is sanctioned to each village in a district (except Chennai)</p>	<p>Village where Untouchability is not followed and people are living harmony.</p>	<p>District Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare officer</p>

10. Financial Assistance for Best Writers

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility Condition	Conduct Person
10.1	<p>Sanction of Financial Assistance of Rs.1,00,000/- for Best Writers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The best 10 writers / author from Adi Dravidar / Scheduled Tribes and Christian Adi Dravidar will be selected to award the prize. ➤ One candidate from other communities will also be selected. Total 10+1=11 writers. ➤ Advertisement will be published in the leading Dailies in the months of April / May ➤ The Selected best writers will be awarded Rs.1,00,000/- for their writings. 	Best Literary work.	Director of Adi Dravidar Welfare, Chennai-5.

11. RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT 2005

DIRECTORATE OF ADI DRAVIDAR WELFARE

Sl. No.	Information Officer	Designation	Address and Phone No.
1	Public Information Officer.	Personal Assistant to Director	Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare, Ezhilagam, Chepauk, Chennai – 5. 044-28551424
2	Appellate authority.	Joint Director (General)	Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare, Ezhilagam, Chepauk, Chennai – 5. 044-22221453

District Adi Dravidar Welfare Office

Sl. No.	Information Officer	Designation
1	Public Information Officer	Superintendent
2	Appellate authority	District Adi Dravidar Welfare

12. List of Scheduled Castes

**As per G.O (Ms) No.50, Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare (CV1) Dept,
Dt .01.06.2021.**

1. Adi Andhra
2. Adi Dravida
3. Adi Karnataka
4. Ajila
5. Arunthathiyar
6. Ayyanavar (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
7. Baira
8. Bakuda
9. Bandi
10. Bellara
11. Bharatar (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
12. Chakkiliyan
13. Chalavadi
14. Chamar, Muchi
15. Chandala
16. Cheruman
17. Devendrakula Velalar (Devendrakulathan, Kadaiyan (excluding in the coastal areas of Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Ramanathapuram, Pudukkottai, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur and Nagapattinam districts), Kalladi, Kudumban, Pallan, Pannadi, Vathiriyar)
18. Dom, Dombara, Paidi, Pano
19. Domban
20. Godagali

21. Godda
22. Gosangi
23. Holey
24. Jaggali
25. Jambuvulu
26. Kadaiyan (in the districts of Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Ramanathapuram, Pudukkottai, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur and Nagappattinam)
27. Kakkalan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
28. Omitted
29. Kanakkan, Padanna (in the Nilgiris District)
30. Karimpalan
31. Kavara (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
32. Koliyan
33. Koosa
34. Kootan, Koodan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
35. Omitted
36. Kuravan, Sidhanar
37. Madari
38. Madiga
39. Maila
40. Mala
41. Mannan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
42. Mavilan

43. Moger
44. Mundala
45. Nalakeyava
46. Nayadi
47. Padannan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
48. Pagadai
49. Omitted
50. Palluvan
51. Pambada
52. Panan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
53. Panchama
54. Omitted
55. Panniandi
56. Paraiyan, Parayan, Sambavar
57. Paravan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
58. Pathiyan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
59. Pulayan, Cheramar
60. Puthirai Vannan
61. Raneyar
62. Samagara
63. Samban
64. Sapari
65. Semman

66. Thandan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
67. Thoti
68. Tiruvalluvar
69. Vallon
70. Valluvan
71. Vannan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
72. Omitted
73. Velan
74. Vetan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
75. Vettiyan
76. Vettuvan (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)

13. District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Contact Number and E-mail ID

Sl. No	Designation	Office No.	Mobile Number (CUG No.)	E-mail ID
1	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Ariyalur	04329-228155	7338801252	dadwoalr@gmail.com
2	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Chennai	25225657	7338801253	dadwochennai@gmail.co
3	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Coimbatore	0422/2303778	7338801254	cbedadwo@gmail.com
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5	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Dharmapuri	04342/230226	7338801256	dadwod@gmail.com
6	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Dindugal	0451/2461812	7338801257	dadwodgl123@gmail.com,
7	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Erode	0424/2260455	7338801258	dadwoerd@gmail.com
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9	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Kanniyakumari	04652/232023	7338801260	dadwokkm@gmail.com
10	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Karur	04324/255240	7338801261	adw.karur@gmail.com
11	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Krishnakiri	04343/239030	7338801262	kgidadwo@gmail.com
12	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Madurai	0452/2536070	7338801263	dadwomadurai@gmail.com
13	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Nagappattinam	04365/250900	7338801264	dadwo.ngt@gmail.com
14	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Namakkal	04286/280101	7338801265	namakkaldadwo@gmail.com

Sl. No	Designation	Office No.	Mobile Number (CUG No.)	E-mail ID
15	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Nilgiris	0423/2450227	7338801266	dadwothenilgiris@gmail.com
16	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Perambalur	04328/225235	7338801267	dadwo.perambalur@gmail.com
17	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Pudukkottai	04322/220418	7338801268	dadwpgk@nic.in
18	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Ramanathapuram	04567/232101	7338801269	dadworamnad@gmail.com
19	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Salem	0427/2450241	7338801270	dadwosalem@gmail.com
20	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Sivagangai	04575/240766	7338801271	dadwsvg@nic.in
21	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Thanjavur	04362/230662	7338801272	dadwtmj@nic.in
22	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Theni	04546/255356	7338801273	dadwthn@nic.in
23	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Tirupur	0421/2218820	7338801274	dadwtpr@nic.in
24	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Tirunelveli	0462/2501074	7338801275	dadwtmv@nic.in
25	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Tiruvallur	044-27661222	7338801276	dadwotiruvallur@gmail.com
26	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Thiruvannamalai	04175/232915	7338801277	dadwotntvm@gmail.com
27	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Tiruvarur	04366/220528	7338801278	dadwo.tntvr@gmail.com
28	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Tiruchirapalli	0431/2410116	7338801279	trichydadwo@gmail.com

Sl. No	Designation	Office No.	Mobile Number (CUG No.)	E-mail ID
29	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Thoothukudi	0461/2340607	7338801280	dadwoaw8@gmail.com
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31	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Villupuram	04146/222954	7338801282	dadwovpm@gmail.com
32	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Virudhunagar	04562/252710	7338801283	vnrdadwo@gmail.com
33	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Chengelpet		8925307555	dadwocpt@gmail.com
34	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Tiruppathur		8925407555	dadwotpt@gmail.com
35	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Mayiladuthurai	04364 / 290765	8925437555	dadwo.myld@gmail.com
36	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Kallakurichi		8925697555	dadwokki@gmail.com
37	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Tenkasi		8925047555	dadwotenkasi@gmail.com
38	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer, Ranipet		8925617555	dadworpt@gmail.com

14. Adi Dravidar Welfare Department Websites Details

Sl. No	Website	Usages
1	ssp.tn.gov.in	Education Scholarship Scheme
2	tnadw.in	Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare

II. TRIBAL WELFARE

1. Introduction

The Directorate of Tribal Welfare was bifurcated from the Directorate of Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department with full financial and administrative control from 01.04.2018. The Government of Tamil Nadu is paying special attention for the development of tribal people in 23 Districts where Scheduled Tribes population is more. The prime objective of the Government is overall improvement of Education, Health and Socio Economic status of tribes and also to reduce the gap between tribes and non tribes. Basic needs like provision of drinking water, link roads to the tribal villages, construction of houses and other infrastructural requirements are given special focus.

According to 2011 census, the Scheduled Tribes constitute 1.17% of the total population of Tamil Nadu. In Tamil Nadu, **Tribal Sub Plan** has been implemented since **1976-1977**. It is a part of State's annual plan and constitutes about 1.1% of the annual plan in proportion with the population of scheduled tribes in the State. Under Tribal Sub Plan, all departments allocate funds to implement schemes for tribal welfare, infrastructure improvement of tribal areas, and to create livelihood opportunity for tribals. Tribal Sub Plan ensures that resources spent for the benefit of scheduled tribes is atleast in proportion to their population.

The Government have identified 10 **Integrated Tribal Development Programme (I.T.D.P)** areas covering 7 Districts Viz., Salem (Yercaud, Pachamalai, Aranuthumalai and Kalrayan Hills), Namakkal (Kolli Hills), Kallakurichi (Kalrayan Hills), Tiruvannamalai (Jawadhu Hills), Tiruchirapalli (Pachamalai Hills), Dharmapuri (Sittheri Hills) and Thirupattur (Jawadhu and Yelagiri hills) where Tribal population is 50% or more than the total population to implement all the tribal welfare Schemes by establishing Project Offices.

Out of the 37 Tribal communities in Tamilnadu, 6 Tribal Communities i.e. Toda, Kota, Kurumbas, Irular, Paniyan and Kattunayakan are classified as Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs). Centrally sponsored schemes such as Pradhan Mantri Aadi Adrash Gram Yojana, Assistance under Article 275 (1) of the Constitution of India, Development of PVTG's, Vandhan Vikas Kendra and Minimum Support Price for Minor Forest Produce scheme(MSP to MFP) have been implemented.

Further State scheme such as Comprehensive Tribal Development Programme, Basic infrastructure facilities, Construction of Houses and Community Hall, Fast Track Power supply, Road works, improvement of infrastructure in Government Tribal Residential Schools, provision of drinking water facilities, economic development schemes and training skills are implemented.

Tribal Research Centre (TRC) was established in the year 1983 with the assistance of Government of India at Muthorai Palada, Udthagamandalam in the Nilgiris District, for data collection about the Tribes and to conduct necessary research about their life style, culture, language and socio economic and educational status. A Director, who is specialized in Anthropology is heading TRC. A Library and a Tribal Museum have been setup in which the tribal and photographs and artifacts on the life style of the tribes are displayed.

2. Education:

(i) Schools /Hostels

The details of Students Strength in Schools and hostels functioning under this department are as follows:

Sl. No.	Classification	Nos. of Schools and Hostels	Students Strength
1.	Government Tribal Residential Schools	320	25,337
2.	Tribal Welfare Hostels	51	2,552
3.	Eklavya Model Residential School	8	2,369

Students enrollment in GTR Schools and Hostels are in the following proportion of 85% for SC/ST students, 10% for BC/MBC students, 5% for other category students.

Students has to submit their application forms to the respective district collector through Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officers / Project Officers.

Students who fulfill the criteria of residing 5 Km away from the schools are admitted to the Hostels. The above rule is not applicable to the girl students.

(ii) Scholarship schemes

Tribal Welfare Department is implementing various educational scholarship Schemes with the prime objective of providing quality education to Socially and Economically backward tribal people to ensure their socio-economic, educational development, social dignity and self-sustainability.

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Whom to contact.
2.1	<p>Government of India Post Matric Scholarship Scheme for ST</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ All compulsory and non-refundable fees and maintenance allowance, payable to Govt. / Govt. aided schools and colleges and students admitted under Government quota and Management Quota in self-financing colleges are sanctioned as Scholarship. ➤ Scheduled tribe students admitted under Government quota /management in self-financing colleges, the compulsory and non-refundable fees as fixed by the Government/ Fee fixation committee appointed by the Government are sanctioned as scholarship. <p>Maintenance Allowance: Day Scholars Rs. 230/- to Rs. 550/- per month Hostellers ➤ Rs. 380/- to Rs. 1200/- per month depending upon the course</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Students studying beyond 10th Std in recognized courses in recognized institutions. ➤ Parent/ Guardian's Annual Income ceiling is upto Rs.2.50 Lakhs (Gross income of all Sources will be taken into account) ➤ ST students only 	<p>(a) Headmaster / College Principal/ District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer .</p> <p>(b) For ST students studying in other States;</p> <p>Joint Director (Scholarship)of Tribal Welfare Department, Chennai – 600 005</p>

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme and Nature	Eligibility condition	Whom to contact.												
2.2	Pre-Matric Scholarship Scheme for STD IX & STD X ST students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Parent / Guardian Annual Income limit is upto Rs. 2.50 lakhs for Scheduled Tribes ➤ ST studying IX and X Std in recognized schools. 	Head Master of the School / District Adi Dravidar & Tribal Welfare Officer.												
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(iii) Eklavya Model Residential Schools (EMRS)

Eklavya Model Residential Schools are functioning from 1998-1999 under "Tamil Nadu Tribal Welfare Residential and Educational Institution Society" with the financial assistance from Government of India to uplift the quality of education of Scheduled Tribes.

Sl. No.	District	Place	Whom to contact.
1	Kallakurichi	Vellimalai	The Headmaster of the Schools/ District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer (Tribal Welfare). through Headmaster.
2	Salem	Abinavam	
3	Nilgiris	M.Palada	
4	Namakkal	Sengarai	
5	Tiruvannamalai	Puliyampatti	
6	Tirupathur	kizhur	
7	Chengalpattu	Kumizhi	
8	Salem	Yercaud	

3. Tribal Welfare Schemes

3. (i) Centrally Sponsored Schemes

3.1	<p>Article 275 (1) of Constitution of India Provision of funds for infrastructure facilities and economic income generating activities .</p>	<p>➤ Should be a Scheduled Tribe.</p>	<p>District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW) with District Collector recommendation.</p>
3.2	<p>Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Construction of new houses. • Ecotourism activities. • Establishment of Kitchen garden • Distribution of milch animals. • Provision of drinking water facilities. • Street lights. • Provision of Power Tiller for tribal farmers. <p>Viii.Giving driving training to tribal youth and helping them to get license.</p>	<p>➤ Should be a Toda, Kota, Kurumbas, Irular, Paniyan and Kattunayakan tribe.</p> <p>➤ should be below poverty line</p>	<p>Proposals to be submitted with the recommendation of District Collector by District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer (TW)</p>
3.3	<p>Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub Plan the scheme name has been renamed as Pradhan Mantri Aadi Adrash Gram Yojana.</p>	<p>➤ should be an area where the tribal population exceeds 50% or more than 500 Scheduled Tribes lived in the selected village.</p>	<p>District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer (TW)/ proposals through Director of Tribal welfare.</p>

<p>3.4</p>	<p>Vandhan Vikas Kendhra Kariya Kram Each Vandhan Vikas Kendhra (VDVK)) will be created by forming 10 Self Help Groups under Tribal leadership. Self Help Groups will involve in Primary processing / value addition of Minor Forest Produces.</p>	<p>NGO's running for the welfare of Scheduled Tribes in tribal areas. Self Help Groups Minor Forest Producers</p>	<p>District Collector, District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW), Joint Registrar of Co-Operative Societies.</p>
<p>3.5</p>	<p>Minimum Support Price for Minor Forest produces Minor Forest Produce and Agriculture goods produced by tribal people are procured with minimum support price fixed by Government.</p>	<p>Minor produce gatherer</p>	<p>District Collector, District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW), Joint Registrar of Co-Operative Societies.</p>

3 (ii) State Welfare Scheme

<p>3.6</p>	<p>Comprehensive Tribal Development Programme (CTDP): Through this programme Land development activities, improvement of Katcha houses, road work, improvement of Infra structure in GTR schools, provision of drinking water facilities, economic development schemes and training skills for tribals are implemented</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Should be a Scheduled Tribe ➤ should be below poverty line 	<p>District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW), Managing Director, TAHDCO, District Manager, TAHDCO</p>
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3.7	Tribal Students studying in Government & Government Aided schools are given free Diploma in Teacher Education (D.T.Ed.,) in private colleges after getting passed in 12 th standard public exam. Every Year the educational expenses like Tuition Fees, Book Fees, Hostel Fees, Uniform Fees and other expenses for 100 tribal students will be borne by the State Government.	Government, Government Aided school Tribal Students should get 40% of Marks.	Director, Tribal Welfare. District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW).
3.8	100 Tribal Students studying in Government/ Government Aided schools are given free three years Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery Course (D.G.N & M,) after getting passed in 12 th standard public exam.	Government/ Government Aided school Tribal Students should get above 40% of Marks.	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW).
3.9	Tholkudi" "Tholkudi" project is to improve the basic facilities in the tribal habitations and raise the livelihood, a special scheme to improve the livelihood of the tribal habitations by providing roads, drinking water, streetlights and safe houses in the next four years.	Should be tribal. Must be below poverty line.	i. District Collector ii. District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer (TW)
3.10	Development of Basic Infrastructure in Tribal Habitation ➤ Construction of Houses ➤ Provision of Drinking water facilities ➤ Formation of link roads and pathway ➤ Street Light / Solar Light	Tribal Habitation Area	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW). Directorate of Rural Development Agency/ Principal Chief Conservator of Forest

3.11	<p>Provision of Irrigation water facility</p> <p>To develop the Agriculture of Tribals.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Borewells ➤ Open wells ➤ Drip irrigation ➤ Sprinkler irrigation ➤ Pipe linings ➤ Oil engine ➤ Electrical motors ➤ Solar power water pump 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ should be a Scheduled Tribe ➤ should be below poverty line scheduled tribe with land patta. 	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW).
3.12	<p>Industrial Training Institutes</p> <p>Industrial Training Institutes exclusively for the Scheduled Tribes are functioning in Karumanthurai-Salem District, Kolli Hills - Namakkal District, Jamunamarathur-Tiruvannamalai District, Anaikatti - Coimbatore District, Gudalur - Nilgiris District and Sankarapuram - Villupuram District.</p>	Should be a Scheduled Tribe	The Principal of Industrial Training Institutes District Employment Officer District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer(TW)
3.13	<p>Vocational Guidance</p> <p>Vocational Guidance Centre functioning at Udthagamandalam for the guidance of Tribal Youths for employment purposes.</p>	Tribal Youth	Officers of the Employment and Training Department in the Special Vocational Guidance Centre at Udthagamandalam
3.14	<p>Employment opportunities</p> <p>Employment opportunities to Educate Tribal Youth</p>	Unemployed Tribal Youth	Employment Officers of districts concerned

3.15	Providing training for women development Training such as tailoring, bamboo basket knitting, paper bag etc. for women	Scheduled Tribe women	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW)
3.16	Financial Assistance to NGO's. Scheme is proposed to support service minded NGOs who can work with the Government to achieve the goal of imparting quality education to tribal students.	NGO's running schools for tribals in tribal areas.	i. District Collector ii. District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer (TW)
3.17	Free Coaching to competitive exams. Free coaching to educated tribal students for competitive exams conducted by TNPSC.	Tribal Youth	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW)
3.18	Certification of village based tribal healers as traditional community health care providers (TCHP) by Quality Council Of India.	Tribal Healers	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW)
3.19	Provision of free Fast Track Power Supply to tribal farmers	District Manager, TADHCO	District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW)
3.20	Development of Horticulture Distribution of tree saplings, seeds and fertilizers at free of cost.	Scheduled Tribes having one acre of land	Assistant Director / Deputy Director of Horticulture Department.
3.21	Sericulture Scheme Subsidy for raising of ➤ Mulberry plantation ➤ Rearing silk worms	Scheduled Tribes having atleast half acre of land	Assistant Director / Deputy Director of Sericulture Department .
3.22	Provision of Minor Irrigation Construction of check dams, sprinklers etc. for Irrigation facilities at the tribal areas.	50% of the beneficiaries should be Scheduled Tribes .	Executive Engineer Water Resources/ Public Works Department concerned.

3.23	Animal Husbandry Distribution of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Sheep Units ➤ Milch animals at subsidy ➤ Provision of health cover to the animals, artificial insemination, etc. 	Should be a Scheduled Tribe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer / Project Officer(TW) ➤ Director, Animal Husbandry Department. ➤ Veterinary Doctors in the Veterinary Hospital ➤ Livestock Inspectors concerned.
3.24	Development of Agricultural lands Development of Agricultural lands held by Tribal in hilly and sloppy areas by providing Soil Conservation measures (Free of Cost)	Scheduled Tribes who are having agricultural land.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Assistant Engineer ➤ Agricultural Engineering Department concerned.
3.25	Supply of Beehives Supply of 10 Beehives at free of cost for collecting honey	Scheduled Tribes living in forest areas	Assistant / Deputy Director, Tamil Nadu Khadi and Village Industries Board concerned.
3.26	Afforestation Programmes Providing saplings for afforestation and incentives to Tribal in Forest Operation.	Scheduled Tribe in forest areas	District Forest Officer concerned.

<p>3.27</p>	<p>LAMP Societies.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Providing interest free loan to tribals. ➤ Selling of their essential articles at reasonable price. ➤ To provide essential commodities like rice, salt, kerosene at a reasonable rate. ➤ To sell the agricultural products at reasonable rate. <p>Marketing the Minor Forest produces to ensure better returns to the tribals through LAMP Societies.</p>	<p>Should be a Scheduled Tribe</p>	<p>District Forest Officer Concerned. Joint Registrar, Large sized Multipurpose Co-operative Society.</p>
<p>3.28</p>	<p>Special Area Development Programme (SADP)</p> <p>In order to provide special attention to Hill Areas of Tamil Nadu, the Government in the Budget 2015-16 announced a new programme called "Special Area Development Programme" with an outlay of Rs.75.00 Crores.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Development of livelihood opportunities through skill development programmes that maximize the use of traditional knowledge systems. 2. Establishment of Village based bio-enterprises. 3. Providing safe drinking water facilities to the tribal hamlets. Additional Buildings to GTR schools, community hall, computers, driving licences, footpath etc. 	<p>Should be Scheduled Tribe</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The District Collector ➤ Project Officer, Special Area Development Programme, Udhagamandalam ➤ District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW) Dindigul, Madurai, Theni, Virudhunagar, Tirunelveli and Kanyakumari Districts.

4. Implementation of Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006

- Individual Rights on land upto a maximum of 10 acre.
- Community Rights for the villages for various rights in forest areas.

Eligibility

- Tribes who have been residing in the forests prior to 13.12.2005
- Non tribes who have been residing in the forests for 3 generations i.e. for 75 years prior to 13.12.2005.

Contact Person:

- District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer/ Project Officer (TW)
- Forest Right Committee of Gram Sabha.

5. List of Scheduled Tribes

As per the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Orders (Amendment) Act 1976, 37 tribes are designated as scheduled tribes of Tamil Nadu

1. Adiyan
2. Aranadan
3. Eravallan
4. Irular
5. Kadar
6. Kammara (excluding Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
7. Kanikaran, Kanikkar (in Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
8. Kaniyan, Kanyan
9. Kattunayakan
10. Kochu Velan

11. Konda Kapus
12. Kondareddis
13. Koraga
14. Kota (excluding Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)
15. Kudiya, Melakudi
16. Kurichchan
17. Kurumbas (in the Nilgiris District)
18. Kurumans
19. Maha Malasar
20. Malai Arayan
21. Malai Pandaram
22. Malai Vedan
23. Malakkuravan
24. Malasar
25. Malayali (in Dharmapuri, North Arcot, Pudukottai, Salem, South Arcot and Tiruchirapalli Districts)
26. Malayakandi
27. Mannan
28. Mudugar, Muduvan
29. Muthuvan
30. Pallayan
31. Palliyan
32. Palliyar
33. Paniyan

34. Sholaga

35. Toda (excluding Kanyakumari District and Shenkottah Taluk of Tirunelveli District)

36. Uraly

37. Narikuravan, Kuruvikaran

6. Verification of Genuineness of Scheduled Tribe Certificates

Three State Level Scrutiny Committees (SLSC) have been constituted based on Judgment of Hon'ble Supreme court in Kumari Madhuri Patil case in W.P. No.5854/94, Dated.02.09.1994. The Constitution of the Committees are as follows:-

1	Secretary to Government / Additional Secretaries to Government, Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department	Chairman	To scrutinize the genuineness of the Scheduled Tribe Community Certificates and pass final orders. If aggrieved by the orders, appeal will lie only with Hon'ble High Court of Madras under Article 226 of the Constitution of India and then with Hon'ble Supreme Court under Article 136 of the Constitution of India.
2	Director, Tribal Welfare / Deputy Conservator of Forests	Member Secretary	
3	Director, Tribal Research Centre/ Anthropologists	Member	

7. Project Office Address and Contact Number

Sl. No.	Address	Office Phone No.	CUG No.	E-Mail ID
1	Project Office, Tribal Welfare Department, Collectorate Campus Dharmapuri-636 903.	04342-292732	93840 47482	potribaldpi@gmail.com
2	Project Office, Tribal Welfare Department, Special Thasildar Office Campus. Thuraiyur - 621 010, Trichy District.	0461-2340607	93840 47486	potribaltry@gmail.com
3	Project Office, Tribal Welfare Department, Room No.415, District Collector Office, Salem District-636001	0427-2450241	93840 47468	poslm2017@gmail.com
4	Project Office, Tribal Welfare Department, District Collector Office, Thiruvannamalai- 606 604.	04175-232915	93840 47464	potwtvm@gmail.com
5	Project Office, Tribal Welfare Department, Tahsildar Office, (1 st Floor), Semmedu, Kollimalai Taluk, Namakkal District- 637 411.	04329-228155	93840 47460	pokhnkl@gmail.com
6	Project Office, Tribal Welfare Department, Tahsildar Office Complex, Kallakurichi - 606 202.	04146-222954	93840 47454	potribalvpm@gmail.com

Sl. No.	Address	Office Phone No.	CUG No.	E-Mail ID
7	Project Office, Tribal Welfare Department, Special Tahsildar (ADW) office Complex, (First Krishnagiri Main Road, Thiruppathur – 635 601.	04179-220095	93840 47490	potwvlr@gmail.com

8. Tribal Welfare Department Website Details

Sl. No.	Website Address	Usage
1	ssp.tn.gov.in	Education Scholarship Scheme
2	tn.tribalwelfare.tn.gov.in	To know about Tribal Welfare Department
3	tntwd.org.in	To apply for the Department Welfare Schemes

9. RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT, 2005

Sl. No.	Information Officer	Designation	Address and Phone No.
1	Public Information Officer	Joint Director (General)	Directorate of Tribal Welfare, Ezhilagam, Chepauk, Chennai -5. 044-28584370
2	Appellate authority	Director of Tribal Welfare	Directorate of Tribal Welfare, Ezhilagam, Chepauk, Chennai - 5. 044 28516689

District Tribal Welfare Project Office

Sl. No.	Information Officer	Designation
1	Public Information Officer	Superintendent
2	Appellate authority	Project Officer (Tribal Welfare)

III. TAMILNADU ADI DRAVIDAR HOUSING AND DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION LTD (TAHDCO)

1. Introduction

The Tamil Nadu Adi Dravidar Housing and Development Corporation (TAHDCO) was started in 1974 as a Government agency to build houses for the homeless Adi Dravidar people. It has now grown into an organization that implements various entrepreneurship and skill development programmes of the Government for the economic upliftment of the Adi Dravidar and Scheduled tribe people, at the base of the society.

The main objective of the organization is to improve the socio and economic status of the Adi Dravidar and Tribal people so that their socio economical standards can be raised.

In this connection, steps are being taken to implement various welfare schemes to ensure sustainable socio and economic development among the Adi Dravidar and the tribal people.

- Ensuring the livelihood of the poor through employment and training schemes.
- Construction of Adi Dravidian and tribal welfare schools, hostel buildings, drinking water, toilets etc.
- Ensuring the livelihood of poor people through self-employment and training programs considering the interests of Adi Dravidian and tribal families living below the poverty line.

2. Economic Development Programmes

ADI DRAVIDAR AND TRIBAL - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES IMPLEMENTED BY TAHDCO				
Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Details of the scheme	Eligibility Condition	To whom contact
1.	Land Purchase Scheme	The scheme is designed to increase the land ownership of Adi Dravidian and tribal people and to uplift the social status of women. The scheme is	➤ The applicant should be women belonging to Adi Dravidar community. <u>Non availability of women in that family priority given to</u>	District Manager, TAHDCO Application can be filled online in the web portal www.tahdco.com

ADI DRAVIDAR AND TRIBAL - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES IMPLEMENTED BY TAHDCO				
Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Details of the scheme	Eligibility Condition	To whom contact
		<p>designed to ensure land development resources needed to convert people's lands into agricultural land</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ 50% of the Project Cost or maximum of Rs.5.00 Lakh whichever is lower will be released as TAHDCO subsidy. ➤ Exemption of 100% stamp duty and registration fees to the land value. ➤ The subsidy will be released as Front end subsidy 	<p><u>husband or son.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The applicant should be in the age group of 18-65. ➤ The occupation of the applicant should be agriculture. ➤ The annual family income should not exceed Rs.3.00 Lakh. ➤ The land should have been registered in the name of applicant. ➤ Applicants and their family members should not have availed any subsidy so far. 	
2.	Fast Track Power Supply Scheme.	<p>The aim of the scheme is to develop irrigation; cultivation and productivity of the land of scheduled caste thereby increase in income generation.</p> <p>This scheme is implemented to provide TATKAL Power supply service connection to</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The applicant should be farmer belongs to Adi Dravidar and Tribal community. ➤ No age limit ➤ The annual family income should not exceed Rs.3.00 lakh. ➤ The applicant should possess land and Patta in his/her name. ➤ Presence of Well/Bore well in 	<p>District Manager, TAHDCO.</p> <p>www.tahdco.com.</p>

ADI DRAVIDAR AND TRIBAL - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES IMPLEMENTED BY TAHDCO														
Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Details of the scheme	Eligibility Condition	To whom contact										
		<p>eligible Adi Dravidar and Tribal Farmers on seniority basis with 90% subsidy payment by Government as motor HP wise detailed below:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Horse Power</th> <th>Amount (Rs. in Lakh)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>5 HP</td> <td>2.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7.5 HP</td> <td>2.75</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10 HP</td> <td>3.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>15 HP</td> <td>4.00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Balance 10% amount should be paid as promoter contribution by Applicants.</p>	Horse Power	Amount (Rs. in Lakh)	5 HP	2.50	7.5 HP	2.75	10 HP	3.00	15 HP	4.00	<p>the land of applicant.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The applicant should have registered in TANGEDCO for EB. ➤ Applicant and his/her family members should not have availed TAHDCO subsidy under this scheme. 	
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3	Enterprenuer projects CM-ARISE	<p>Adi Dravidars and tribals are being implemented with the aim of promoting them as entrepreneurs so that they can do their own business to generate their income.</p> <p>35% or a maximum of Rs.3.50 lakh will be given as subsidy.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The Applicant belongs to Adi Dravidian and Tribal community ➤ The annual family income should not exceed Rs.3.00 lakh. ➤ The applicant should be in the age group of 18-55 years. ➤ Applicant and his family should not have received any subsidy under TADCO scheme. 	<p>District Manager, TAHDCO.</p> <p>www.tahdco.com.</p>										

ADI DRAVIDAR AND TRIBAL - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES IMPLEMENTED BY TAHDCO				
Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Details of the scheme	Eligibility Condition	To whom contact
4	Economic Assistance to SHG	<p>Adi Dravidar and Tribal Women Self Help Groups which are graded twice are eligible for Economic Assistance.</p> <p>Adi Dravidar women's economic development is ensured by disbursing required loans to Self Help Groups at timely and reasonable rates of interest.</p> <p>The Group consists of 12 members.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ 50% of the Project Cost or maximum of Rs.6.00 Lakh whichever is lower will be released as TAHDCO subsidy. <p>The subsidy will be a Front end subsidy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The members of the Self Help Group shall belong to Adi Dravidar and Tribal women. ➤ The member age group is between 18-65 years. ➤ The Annual family Income of the Self Help Group members should not exceed Rs.3.00 lakh each. ➤ The Self Help Group should have qualified in second rating for Economic Assistance. ➤ The members of Self Help Group and their family members should not have availed any subsidy so far from any other Government scheme for Economic Assistance. 	<p>District Manager, TAHDCO.</p> <p>www.tahdco.Com.</p>
5.	Tamil Nadu Cement Sales agent	<p>The aim of the scheme is to develop and create a Tamil Nadu Cement Sales Agent of Scheduled Caste And Scheduled Tribe</p> <p>The subsidy will</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The applicant should belong to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe ➤ The applicant should be in the age group of 18-55. ➤ The applicant should have 	<p>District Manager, TAHDCO</p> <p>Application site: www.tahdco.com</p>

ADI DRAVIDAR AND TRIBAL - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES IMPLEMENTED BY TAHDCO				
Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Details of the scheme	Eligibility Condition	To whom contact
		be front end subsidy	GST/PAN Card/Address proof. ➤ The applicant or family members should not availed subsidy from TAHDCO. ➤ TANCEM application shall be given to committee selected applicants	
6	Purchase of Milch Animal	The aim of the scheme is to increase income generation activity and to enhance the socio-economic status of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes	The applicant should belong to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes ➤ The applicant should be in the age group of 18-55. ➤ The occupation of the applicant should be agriculture. ➤ The annual family income should not exceed Rs.3.00 Lakh. ➤ The applicant or family members should not availed subsidy from TAHDCO.	District Manager, TAHDCO Application site: www.tahdco.com
7	Formation and Modernization of New Women's Cooperative Milk Society	The aim of the scheme is to improve the milk productivity and formation of Cooperative Milk society belonging to Scheduled Caste and	➤ The self-help group should belong to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes women. ➤ The applicant of self-help group should be in the	District Manager, TAHDCO Application site: www.tahdco.com

ADI DRAVIDAR AND TRIBAL - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES IMPLEMENTED BY TAHDCO				
Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Details of the scheme	Eligibility Condition	To whom contact
		Scheduled Tribes	<p>age group of 18-55.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The self-help group must have 50 members. ➤ The annual family income should not exceed Rs.3.00 Lakh. ➤ Priority shall be given to Women Self Help Groups ➤ Seed package will be procured from Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Science University, Aavin and distributed to the applicants. ➤ The program is implemented through the network of milk producers cooperatives to provide training on fodder grass cultivation. 	
8.	Aavin Parlour	The aim of the scheme is to promote income generation activity and upliftment of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes and to enhance the socio-economic status.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The applicant should belong to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes. ➤ The applicant should be in the age group of 18-55. ➤ The annual family income should not exceed Rs.3.00 Lakh. 	<p>District Manager, TAHDCO</p> <p>Application site: www.tahdco.com</p>

ADI DRAVIDAR AND TRIBAL - ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES IMPLEMENTED BY TAHDCO				
Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Details of the scheme	Eligibility Condition	To whom contact
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The applicant or family members not availed subsidy from TAHDCO. ➤ The shop area proposed should be minimum of 100 sq.ft. (own/rent/lease) ➤ Applicant and Aavin should have agreement for 2 years and renewed. 	

3. Skill Development Training

Under the Government of India (GOI)'s Special Financial Assistance for Adi Dravidar Sub-Programme (SCA to SCSP), TADCO has been implementing various Skill development training for Adi Dravidar and Tribal students from the year of 2013-14.

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme	Details of the Course	Eligibility Condition	Contact details
1	Placement with Graduation through HCL Techbee Program	TAHDCO provides 10 days training for HCL entrance exam and one year HCL Techbee program for the students who are all passed class XII in the year of 2021-22 and 2022-23 to pursue degree with placement opportunities in HCL.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. ➤ Should have completed 12th standard in the year of 2022-23 and 2023-24 Should have secured 75% of marks in aggregation	www.tahdco.com
2	Training to pursue BS(Data Science and Application) degree in IIT,	TAHDCO provides entrance exam training program and also financial assistance for the students who are all	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have 	www.tahdco.com

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme	Details of the Course	Eligibility Condition	Contact details
	Madras	passed class XII to pursue BS(Data Science and Applications) degree through online in IIT, Madras. Students can simultaneously study their preferred degree course and study BS (Data Science and Application) degree course offered by IIT, Madras through Online.	completed 12th standard in the year of 2021-22 and 2022-23	
3.	Pursue degree/diploma in Institute of Hotel Management Catering Technology and Applied Nutrition	SC/ST students who have passed 10th and 12th standard are offered financial assistance by TAHDCO for B.Sc (Hospitality & Hotel Administration) three year graduation course and Food Production/Craftsmanship course at Institute of Hotel Management Catering Technology.	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have completed 10th or 12th standard	www.tahdco.com
4	Training for Banking, Financial and Insurance services	Bank entrance exam Training program is provided by the best training institutes to SC/ST graduates to participate in the competitive exams conducted by the government and private banks to get employment.	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have completed Any degree	www.tahdco.com
5	Training for Medical Coding and Billing	The students who have passed Bachelor /Masters of degree in Science are trained for the purpose of online training and are trained to get medical coding related jobs in Indian software companies	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have completed BSc(Life Science) degree	www.tahdco.com
6.	Drone Training	Madras Institute of Technology, Center for Aerospace Research provides training in Drones to students who	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have	www.tahdco.com

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme	Details of the Course	Eligibility Condition	Contact details
		have passed minimum class 10th to carry out agriculture related activities like pesticide and micro-fertilizer spraying on agricultural land using drones. Also TAHDCO provides subsidy to buy own drones and use them for agriculture.	completed minimum 10th standard	
7.	Goods and Service Tax Training	Provides Account executive training to the students who have completed any degree to get job opportunities like Accounts executive in private banking institutions.	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have completed Any degree	www.tahdco.com
8.	Aviation Course(Customer Care Executive in Airline)	Provides customer executive training to the students who have completed class XII and completed any degree to get placement opportunities in customer executive in Airport.	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have completed 12th standard / any degree	www.tahdco.com
9.	Beautician Training	Provides Beautician Training through leading training institutes for SC/ST students who have passed 10th standard to get employment opportunities in beauty salons and also help financial assistance to set up their own beauty salon.	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have completed minimum 10th standard	www.tahdco.com
10	AMCAT(Aspiring Minds Common Aptitude Test) Training	To prepare undergraduate and post-graduate final year students in colleges to face competitive examinations for employment.	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have studying final year in Under Graduate/Post Graduate	www.tahdco.com

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme	Details of the Course	Eligibility Condition	Contact details
11	CAT(Common Admission Test)	Provides CAT (Common Admission Test) training for SC/ST Students to pursue MBA degree in reputed educational institutes like IIM and IIT as well as many other top MBA institutions across India	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have studying final year in Under Graduate/Post Graduate	www.tahdco.com
12	Certificate for the course of Air Cargo Introductory + DGR, Passenger Ground Services + Reservation Ticketing, Foundation in Travel and Tourism	Training for IATA - CANADA Certificate and best placement opportunity in International & Domestic Airlines across the World	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. Should have completed Any degree	www.tahdco.com
13	CNC Operator Training	Comprehensive training in CNC operations for turning and vertical machining to prepare students for job opportunities in the manufacturing and engineering sectors	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. ➤ Should have completed Minimum 10th standard	www.tahdco.com
14	Training for Industrial Automation and Digital Manufacturing	Job Secured Training Program in Upskilling program in Digital Manufacturing and Upskilling in Industrial Automation to equip students with the necessary skills and knowledge for immediate entry into the industry	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community ➤ Should have completed Diploma / Engineering Graduates	www.tahdco.com
15	Various Entrance Exam Training (NEET, JEE, CLAT, TNPSC, TOFEL, IELTS, GRE, GMAT)	Training provided to the students who have undergo class XII to clear entrance eligibility test like NEET, JEE and CLAT to secure admission in various higher Technical Education in Medicines, Engineering, and National LAW Universities and also provides TNPSC Group-2,	➤ Applicant Should be Adi Dravidar community. ➤ Should have completed 12th std or completed any degree	www.tahdco.com

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme	Details of the Course	Eligibility Condition	Contact details
		Group-4 Training to the students who have completed any degree.		

The following trainings will be provided to SC/ST candidates who have studied in this or other fields

- Apparel, Made-Ups & Home Furnishing
- Automotive sector and allied courses
- Electronics and hardware sector and allied courses
- Leather sector and allied courses
- IT –ITES sector and allied courses.

4. RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT 2005

TAHDCO – Head Office

Sl. No.	Information Officer	Designation	Address and Phone No.
1	Public Information Officer	Manager (Admin)	No.31, Cenotaph Road, 2nd Lane, Teynampet, Chennai-18 044 - 24310221
2	Appellate authority	General Manager (Admin)	No.31, Cenotaph Road, 2nd Lane, Teynampet, Chennai-18 044 - 24310221

District Office

Sl. No.	Information Officer	Designation
1	Public Information Officer	Assistant District Manager
2	Appellate authority	District Manager

5. Head Office and District Manager's Office Address and Contact Number

Sl. No	District	Address	STD Code	Office Phone No.	Mobile No.	Email ID
1	HEAD OFFICE	No.31, Cenotaph Road, 2nd Lane, Teynampet, Chennai-18	44	24310221	9445029558	tahdcoheadoffice@gmail.com
2	Ariyalur	2nd Floor, Collectorate, Ariyalur-621704	4329	228315	9445029554	dmalrtahdco@yahoo.com
3	Chennai	Singaravelan Maligai,#33, Rajaji Salai,Chennai-600001.	44	25246344	9445029456	dmmastahdco@yahoo.com
4	Coimbatore	Govt.Boys Hostel Compound, Dr.Balasundaram Road, Coimbatore-641 018.	422	221087	9445029457	dmcbetahdco@yahoo.com
5	Cuddalore	313/316, 2nd Floor, New Collectorate Building, Thideerkuppam, Allpet post, Cuddalore-607001.	4142	289525	9445029458	dmcuddtahdco@yahoo.com
6	Dharmapuri	Salai Vinayagar Koil Street, Virupachipuram, Dharmapuri - 636701.	4342	260007	9445029459	dmdmptahdco@yahoo.com
7	Dindigul	Collector's Office Compound, Dindigul-624008.	451	2460096	9445029460	dmdngtahdco@yahoo.com
8	Erode	Collectorate VI Floor, Erode-638 011.	424	2259453	9445029461	dmerdetahdco@yahoo.com
9	Kancheepuram	No.55A,3rd Street,Ellapppanagar,Kancheepuram-631501	44	27237842	9445029462	dmkapmtahdco@yahoo.com
10	Karur	Collectorate, Karur-639 005.	4324	256703	9445029463	dmkurtahdco@yahoo.com
11	Krishnagiri	Collectorate, Krishnagiri-635001.	4343	238881	9445029464	dmkgrtahdco@yahoo.com

Sl. No	District	Address	STD Code	Office Phone No.	Mobile No.	Email ID
12	Madurai	DRDA Complex, Collectorate, Madurai-625 020.	452	2529848	9445029465	dmmduahdco@yahoo.com
13	Nagapattinam	Collectorate, Nagapattinam-611 003	4365	250305	9445029466	dmngptahdco@yahoo.com
14	Namakkal	Arthanari Pillai Street, Mohanur Road, Namakkal-637 001.	4286	291178	9445029467	dmmkltahdco@yahoo.com
15	Kanniyakumari	#36/1, President Sivadhanu Street, SLB (South), Nagercoil-629 001.	4652	227532	9445029468	dmkkmtahdco@yahoo.com
16	The Nilgiris	3rd Block, District Collectorate Additional Building Campus, Finger Post, Udthagamandalam, Nilgiris-643 006.	423	2443064	9445029469	dmotyahdco@yahoo.com
17	Perambalur	#29, Post Office Road, Ist Cross Street, Perambalur-621 212.	4328	276317	9445029470	dmpmbtahdco@yahoo.com
18	Pudukkottai	Panchayat Union Office Road, Kattupudukulam, Pudukkottai-622 001.	4322	221487	9445029471	dmpdktahdco@yahoo.com
19	Ramanathapuram	Collectorate Post Office, Ramanathapuram - 623 501.	4567	231039	9445029472	drrmptahdco@yahoo.com
20	Salem	Erumaipalayam Road, Seelanaickenpatti, Dasanaickenpatti Post, Salem-636 201.	427	2280348	9445029473	dmslmtahdco@yahoo.com
21	Sivagangai	Collectorate, Sivagangai-623 560.	4575	240501	9445029474	svg_tahdco@yahoo.com
22	Tiruvallur	No.19, 2nd St., Judges Colony, Periyakuppam, Tiruvallur-602 001.	44	27665539	9445029475	dmtlrtahdco@yahoo.com
23	Tiruvannamalai	1st Floor, Collectorate Complex, Vengikkal, Tiruvannamalai-606 604.	4175	232366	9445029476	dmtvmtahdco@yahoo.com

Sl. No	District	Address	STD Code	Office Phone No.	Mobile No.	Email ID
24	Thanjavur	Nangikottai Road, Near Khadi Complex, Thanjavur-613 006.	4362	256679	9445029477	dmtnjtahdco@yahoo.com
25	Thiruvarur	#26, Near Govt.Boys Hostel, Nagai Bye-pass Road ,Tiruvarur-610001.	4366	250017	9445029478	tprdmthahdco@yahoo.com
26	Thiruchirappalli	Collector Office Road, Trichy-620 001.	431	2463969	9445029479	dmtvrtahdco@yahoo.com
27	Theni	Collectorate, Theni-626 531.	4546	260995	9445029480	dmtrytahdco@yahoo.com
28	Tirunelveli	Elandakulam Reserve Lane, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli-627 002.	462	2561012	9445029481	dmtnitahdco@yahoo.com
29	Tiruppur	Collectorateoffice, Room no.501, 502,503 palladam road, Thiruppur-641604	421	2971112	9445029552	dmtvltahdco@yahoo.com
30	Tuticorin	Collectorte 4th Floor, Tuticorin-628 101.	461	2341281	9445029532	dmtahdcotkd@gmail.com
31	Vellore	Officers Line, Old DistrictBoard Office Building, Vellore-632 001.	416	2210546	9445029483	dmvlrtahdco@yahoo.com
32	Virudhunagar	Collectorate, Virudhunagar-626 003.	4562	252324	9445029484	dmvntahdco@yahoo.com
33	Villupuram	Collectorate, Villupuram-605 602.	4146	222863	9445029485	dmvpmthahdco@yahoo.com
34	Kallakurichi	District Collectorate campus, Kallakurichi District-606213.	4151	225411	7448828489	dmklktahdco@gmail.com
35	Tenkasi	Taluk Office 2nd Floor, Tenkasi,Tenkasi District - 627 811.			7448828513	dmtkstahdco@gmail.com
36	Chengalpattu	District Collector's Campus, Chengalpattu 603001.			7448828470	dmcgptahdco@gmail.com

Sl. No	District	Address	STD Code	Office Phone No.	Mobile No.	Email ID
37	Tirupathur	A-Block, 5th Floor, District Collectorate, Tirupathur District - 632 601.			7448828517	dmtpttahdco@gmail.com
38	Ranipet	C-Block, 4th Floor, District Collectorate, Ranipet District - 632 401.	4172	299012	7448828512	dmrpttahdco@gmail.com
39	Mayiladuthurai	Mayranathar kovil East Street, Collectorate Complex Ground Floor, Mayiladuthurai District, Pin Code 609 001.	####	211727	7448828509	dmmltdahdco@gmail.com

6. Website detail of TAHDCO

Sl. No	Website	Usages
1	www.tahdco.com	To enquire all schemes related to TAHDCO

IV. State Commission for Tamil Nadu Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes

1. Introduction

The Tamil Nadu State Commission for Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes has been established as an autonomous body to protect the legal rights of Adi Dravidar and Scheduled Tribes at the State Level and to address their issues and functioning from 13.10.2021.

The Commission functions under the Chairmanship of retired Justice. A Vice Chairman and four members have also been nominated to this commission. The managing Director, TAHDCO acts as the Member-Secretary to the commission. The term of office of the Chairman, Vice Chairman and members is three years.

So far, 2945 cases have been closed out of the 3695 petitions received by the commission and action is being pursued on the remaining 750 cases.

2. RIGHT TO INFORMATION ACT, 2005

Sl. No.	Information Officer	Designation	Address and Phone No.
1	Public Information Officer.	Under Secretary	L.L.A Building, Second Floor, No.735, Anna Salai, Chennai – 2 044 - 28190061
2	Appellate authority.	Joint Director (General)	L.L.A Building, Second Floor, No.735, Anna Salai, Chennai – 2 044 - 28190068

Email id: chair.tnscstcommission@gmail.com

V. WELFARE COMMITTEES

Tribal Advisory Council

To render necessary advice for the welfare and development of Scheduled Tribes in Tamil Nadu, as envisaged in Rule 4 (1) of the 5th schedule in the Constitution of India, Tribal Advisory Council was constituted on 04.09.1961.

Tribal Advisory Council has been reconstituted on 30.11.2023 comprising the Hon'ble Minister for Adi Dravidar Welfare as the Chairperson and 3 official members, 15 Non-official Members and 2 Non-Scheduled Tribe members. The Director, Tribal Welfare is the Member – Secretary of this Council.

VI. WELFARE BOARDS

1. Tamil Nadu Puthirai Vannar Welfare Board

The "Puthirai Vannar Welfare Board" was established on 15.10.2009 under the Chairpersonship of Hon'ble Minister for Adi Dravidar Welfare, for the educational, socio-economic development of the Puthirai Vannar community. It has been reconstituted on 03.08.2023.

The Card holders of this Board are eligible for obtaining Accident Relief Fund / Funeral Assistance, Educational Scholarship for their Children, Marriage Assistance for their Children, Pregnancy Assistance, Spectacles Assistance, Old Age Pension etc.

Sl. No	Details	Amount in Rs.
1.	Accident / Death Dismemberment / Permanent Disability at working places	5,00,000/-
	One Hand Disability	1,00,000/-
	One Leg Disability	1,00,000/-
	One Eye vision loss	1,00,000/-
	Permanent Disabilities due to Other injuries	1,00,000/-
2.	Natural Death Benefit	20,000/-
3.	Funeral Assistance	5,000/-
4.	Old Age Pension	1,000/-
5.	Marriage assistance 1) son 2) Daughter (2 times only)	
	Male	3,000/-
	Female	5,000/-
6.	Education scholarship	
	Regular Graduate Courses	4,000/-
	Studying in Hostel	5,000/-
	Graduate courses in Technical Education	4,000/-
	Studying in Hostel	6,000/-
	Graduate courses in Technical Education	6,000/-
	Studying in Hostel	8,000/-

Documents are to be attached for receiving financial assistance

The members have to submit the welfare assistance application form, Aadhaar card, family card, member ID card etc for receiving welfare assistance in the Tamilnadu Putrai Vannar Welfare Board

2. Cleanliness Workers Welfare Board

The "Cleanliness Workers Welfare Board" has been constituted on 11.06.2007 under the Chairpersonship of Hon'ble Minister for Adi Dravidar Welfare to monitor implementation and progress of the welfare schemes meant for the sanitary workers in the field of education, social and economic development. It has been reconstituted on 03.05.2023.

Welfare measures like natural death, accidental death, funeral rites assistance, educational scholarship, marriage assistance and pension etc., are being provided to the registered members of these boards. So far, 98,478 members have been enrolled in Tamil Tribal Welfare Board.

SI. No	Details of Assistance		Amount in Rs.
1	Accident Insurance Scheme		
	A	Death on accident	5,00,000
	B	Accidental death	1,00,000
	C	Handicapped	10,000 to 1,00,000
2	Assistance to Natural death		20,000
3	Assistance to Funeral rites		5,000
4	Scholarship		
	A	to study 10 th Std. (for Girls alone)	1,000
	B	Pass in X Std.	1,000
	C	to study XI Std. (for Girls alone)	1,000
	D	to study 12 th Std. (for Girls alone)	1,500
	E	Pass in 12 th Std.	1,500

Sl. No	Details of Assistance		Amount in Rs.	
	F	Regular Degree course	Day Scholars	2,000 per annum
			Hostellers	3,000 per annum
	G	Regular Post-Graduate Degree course	Day Scholars	4,000 per annum
			Hostellers	5,000 per annum
	H	Degree in Technical education	Day Scholars	4,000 per annum
			Hostellers	6,000 per annum
	I	P. G Degree in Technical Education	Day Scholars	6,000 per annum
			Hostellers	8,000 per annum
	J	ITI or Polytechnic	Day Scholars	1,000 per annum
			Hostellers	1,200 per annum
5	Assistance to Marriage			
	Scavengers Son and daughter			
	Male		3,000	
	Female		5,000	
6	Maternity Assistance			
	A	Maternity Assistance @ Rs.1, 000/- per month.	6,000	
	B	For Abortion	3,000	
7	For Reimbursement to purchase of Spectacles.(Members only)		Up to 500	
8	Old Age Pension		1000 per month	

Eligibility:

Age-18 to 60years.

Scavengers Welfare Board Membership card must to avail welfare Assistance.

Documents should be for receiving financial assistance

The members who are receiving the welfare allowance in the Tamil Nadu Sanitation Workers Welfare Board have to submit the welfare assistance application form, Aadhaar card, family card, employment identity card etc.

3. Tamil Nadu Tribal Welfare Board

The "Tamil Nadu Tribal Welfare Board" has been constituted under the Chairpersonship of the Hon'ble Minister for Adi Dravidar Welfare on 11.06.2007 for the overall development of the Scheduled Tribes in the fields of Socio, economic and education development. The Director, Tribal Welfare is Member-Secretary of this Board. It has been reconstituted on 08.09.2023.

Welfare measures like natural death, accidental death, funeral rites assistance, educational scholarship, marriage assistance and pension etc., are being provided to the registered members of these boards. So far, 52,790 members has been enrolled in Tamil Tribal Welfare Board.

Sl. No	Details of Assistance		Amount in Rs.	
1	A	Accident / Death / Loss of Organs / Irrecoverable loss of organs	1,25,000/-	
	B	Injuries result in different disability	10,000/- to 1,00,000/-	
2	Assistance to Natural death		30,000/-	
3	Funeral Rites Assistance		5,000/-	
4	Scholarship			
	A	Female Child studying 10 th Std.	1,000/-	
	B	Pass in X Std.	1,000/-	
	C	Female Child studying XI Std.	1,000/-	
	D	Female Child studying 12 th Std.	1,500/-	
	E	Pass in 12 th Std.	1,500/-	
	F	Regular Degree course	Day Scholars	1,500/-
			Hostellers	1,750/-
	G	Regular Post-Graduate Degree course	Day Scholars	4,000/-
			Hostellers	5,000/-
	H	Degree in Technical education	Day Scholars	4,000/-
			Hostellers	6,000/-
	I	P. G Degree in Technical Education	Day Scholars	6,000/-
			Hostellers	8,000/-

Sl. No	Details of Assistance		Amount in Rs.
5	Assistance to Marriage – Worker (or) Son (or) Daughter - two times to one family		
	A	Male	3,000/-
	B	Female	5,000/-
6	Assistance for Maternity / Termination		
	A	Maternity Assistance (for 6 months) month.	6,000/-
	B	Abortion / Termination	3,000/-
7	Assistance for Optical		Up to Rs.500
8	Old Age Pension		1,000/- per month

Age limit:- Those who have completed 18 years and
not more than 65 Years old can be enrolled as members

Contact persons:-

Tribal Welfare Board – District Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare
Officer/Project Officer (Tribal Welfare)

4. Narikuravar Welfare Board

The Narikuravar Welfare Board was established on 27.05.2008. Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department has been under taken the control from Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes, and Minorities Welfare Department vide G.O.(Ms) No.69, Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, dated 23.08.2023. The Narikuravar Welfare Board has been reconstituted on 30.10.2023. There are 16,010 members in the Narikuravar Welfare Board.

Welfare measures like natural death, accidental death, funeral rites assistance, educational scholarship, marriage assistance and pension etc., are being provided to the registered members of these boards.

Sl. No	Details of Assistance		Amount in Rs.
1.	a	Accidental Death	1,25,000
	b	If accidental disability according to nature of disability	From 10,000 to 1,00,000
2.		Natural Death Assistance	30,000
3.		Funeral Assistance	5,000
4.		Education Scholarship	
	a	6 th to 9 th Standard	1,000
		10 th above (Girl only)	1,000
	b	10 th Pass	1,000
	c	Pursuing 11 th (Girls only)	1,000
	d	Pursuing 12 th (Girls only)	1,500
	e	12 th Pass	1,500
	f	1. Regular Graduate Courses	1,500
		2. Staying in hostel	1,750
		Regular Post Graduate Courses	4,000
		PG courses with Hostel facilities	5,000
		Graduate Courses in Technical Education	4,000
	g	Graduate Courses in Technical Education with Hostel facilities	6,000
		Post Graduate Courses in Technical Education	6,000
		Post Graduate Courses in Technical Education with Hostel facilities	8, 000

Sl. No	Details of Assistance	Amount in Rs.
5.	Marriage Assistance	
	Male	3,000
	Female	5,000
6.	a) Maternity assistance (Rs. 1000 / month for 6 month)	6,000
	b) Abortion	3,000
7.	Buying Eye class	Not more than 500
8.	Old Age Pension	1,000 / per month

Eligibility

- Enrollee must have completed 18 years and below 65 years.
- Registration should be renewed once in 5 years
- In case of wrong identity card, you have to pay Rs.20/- and get duplicate card.
- In case of change of residence, new address should be intimated to the Board.
- Board member should apply to Board to change nominee in original application after marriage.
- Original identity card should be submitted to the Board along with the application seeking financial assistance for natural death of the Board member.
- Original Identity Card should be sent along with the application in every case of seeking financial assistance.
- Applications and attachments should be forwarded to the Director's office through the concerned Project Officer and Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officer for seeking financial assistance

Documents to be attached for receiving financial assistance

1. Recommendation letter from Project Officer and District Adi Dravidian and Tribal Welfare Officer.
2. Tribal Welfare Board Card
3. Caste certificate
4. Family card
5. Aadhaar Card

The following documents should be attached for receiving Death Assistance

1. Death certificate
2. First Information Report (FIR) copy only for accidental death.

FOR MORE DETAILS CONTACT THE FOLLOWING OFFICIALS.

Sl. No	Designation	Address
1.	Chairman, Tamil Nadu State Commission for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe.	737, Anna Salai Service Ln, Anna Salai, Thousand Lights, Chennai, Tamil Nadu 600002
2.	The Director, Adi Dravidar Welfare	Ezhilagam Chepauk Chennai – 600 005 Contact No:- 044- 28594780 Fax No:- 044 - 28419612
3.	The Director, Tribal Welfare	Ezhilagam Chepauk Chennai – 600 005 Contact No:- 044- 28516689 Fax No:- 044 – 28419612
4.	The Managing Director, TAHDCO	No. 31, Cenotaph Road 2 nd Lane, Teynampet Chennai – 600 018 Contact No:- 044- 24310197 Fax No:- 044 – 24310196

ANNEXURE-I

[See rule 12(4)]

NORMS FOR RELIEF AMOUNT

Sl. No	Name of the offence	Minimum amount of relief
(1)	(2)	(3)
1	Putting any inedible or obnoxious substance [Section 3(1)(a) of the Act]	One lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to then victim be made as follows: (i) 10 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage for serial numbers (2) and (3) and 25 percent at FIR stage for serial numbers (1), (4) and (5);
2	Dumping excreta, sewage, carcasses or any other obnoxious substance [Section 3(1)(b) of the Act]	(ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court;
3	Dumping excreta, waste matter, carcasses with intent to cause injury, insult or annoyance [Section 3(1)(c) of the Act]	(iii) 40 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court for serial numbers (2) and (3) and likewise 25 percent for serial numbers (1), (4) and (5).
4	Garlanding with footwear or parading naked or semi-naked [Section 3(1)(d) of the Act]	
5	Forcibly committing acts such as removing clothes, forcible tonsuring of head, removing moustaches, painting face or body [Section 3(1)(e) of the Act]	
6	Wrongful occupation or cultivation of land [Section 3(1)(f) of the Act]	One lakh rupees to the victim. The land or premises or water supply or irrigation facility shall be restored where necessary at Government cost by the concerned State Government or Union territory Administration.
7	Wrongful dispossession of land or premises or interfering with the rights, including forest rights. [Section 3(1)(g) of the Act]	Payment to the victim be made as follows:
8	Begar or other forms of forced or bonded labour[Section 3(1)(h) of the Act]	(i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage;
9	Compelling to dispose or carry human or animal carcasses, or to dig graves [Section 3(1)(i) of the Act]	(ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court;
		(iii) 25 percent when the accused are convicted by the lower court. One lakh rupees to the victim.

Sl. No	Name of the offence	Minimum amount of relief
(1)	(2)	(3)
10	Making a member of the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes to do manual scavenging or employing him for such purpose [Section 3(1)(j) of the Act]	Payment to be made as follows: (i) Payment of 25 per cent. First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
11	Performing, or promoting dedication of a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe woman as a devadasi [Section 3(1)(k) of the Act]	
12	Prevention from voting, filing nomination [Section 3(1)(l) of the Act]	Eighty-five thousand rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage;
13	Forcing, intimidating or obstructing a holder of office of Panchayat or Municipality from performing duties [Section 3(1)(m) of the Act]	(ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
14	After poll violence and imposition of social and economic boycott [Section 3(1)(n) of the Act]	
15	Committing any offence under this Act for having voted or not having voted for a particular candidate [Section 3(1)(o) of the Act]	
16	Instituting false, malicious or vexatious legal proceedings [Section 3(1)(p) of the Act]	Eighty-five thousand rupees to the victim or reimbursement of actual legal expenses and damages, whichever is less. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court

Sl. No	Name of the offence	Minimum amount of relief
(1)	(2)	(3)
17	Giving false and frivolous information to a public servant [Section 3(1)(q) of the Act]	One lakh rupees to the victim or reimbursement of actual legal expenses and damages, whichever is less. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
18	Intentional insult or intimidation to humiliate in any place within public view [Section 3(1)(r) of the Act]	One lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage;
19	Abusing by caste name in any place within public view [Section 3(1)(s) of the Act]	(ii) 50 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 percent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
20	Destroying, damaging or defiling any object held sacred or in high esteem [Section 3(1)(t) of the Act]	
21	Promoting feelings of enmity, hatred or ill-will [Section 3(1)(u) of the Act]	
22	Disrespecting by words or any other means of any late person held in high esteem [Section 3(1)(v) of the Act]	
23	Intentionally touching a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe woman without consent, using acts or gestures, as an act of sexual nature, [Section 3(1)(w) of the Act]	Two lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 percent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.

Sl. No	Name of the offence	Minimum amount of relief
(1)	(2)	(3)
24	<p>Section 326A of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860) – Voluntarily causing grievous hurt by use of acid etc.</p> <p>Section 326B of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860)—Voluntarily throwing or attempting to throw acid. [Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]</p>	<p>(a) Eight lakh and twenty-five thousand rupees to the victim with burns exceeding and 2 per cent and above burns on face or in case of functional impairment of eye, ear, nose and mouth and or burn injury on body exceeding 30 per cent;</p> <p>(b) four lakh and fifteen thousand rupees to the victim with burns between 10 per cent to 30 per cent on the body;</p> <p>(c) eighty-five thousand rupees to the victim with burns less than 10 per cent on the body other than on face.</p> <p>In addition, the State Government or Union territory Administration shall take full responsibility for the treatment of the victim of acid attack.</p> <p>The payment in terms of items (a) to (c) are to be made as follows:</p> <p>(i) 50 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage;</p> <p>(ii) 50 percent. after receipt of medical report</p>
25	<p>Section 354 of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860) – Assault or criminal force to woman with intent to outrage her modesty.</p> <p>[Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]</p>	<p>Two lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows:</p> <p>(i) 50 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage;</p> <p>(ii) 25 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court;</p> <p>(iii) 25 percent. on conclusion of trial by the lower court.</p>
26	<p>Section 354A of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860)--Sexual harassment and punishment for sexual harassment. [Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]</p>	<p>Two lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows:</p> <p>(i) 50 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage;</p> <p>(ii) 25 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court;</p> <p>(iii) 25 percent. on conclusion of trial by the lower court.</p>

Sl. No	Name of the offence	Minimum amount of relief
(1)	(2)	(3)
27	Section 354 B of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860)-- Assault or use of criminal force to woman with intent to disrobe [Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]	Two lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 50 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 25 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 percent on conclusion of trial by the lower court.
28	Section 354 C of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860)-- Voyeurism. [Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]	Two lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 10 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage (ii) 50 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court. (iii) 40 percent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
29	Section 354 D of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860) -- Stalking. [Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]	Two lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 10 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 40 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
30	Section 376B of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860)-- Sexual intercourse by husband upon his wife during separation. [Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]	Two lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 50 per cent. after medical examination and confirmatory medical report; (ii) 25 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
31	Section 376C of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860) -- Sexual intercourse by a person in authority. [Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]	Four lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 50 per cent. after medical examination and confirmatory medical report; (ii) 25 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. on conclusion of

Sl. No	Name of the offence	Minimum amount of relief
(1)	(2)	(3)
		trial by the lower court.
32	Section 509 of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860)-- Word, gesture or act intended to insult the modesty of a woman. [Section 3(2)(va) read with Schedule to the Act]	Two lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 percent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
33	Fouling or corrupting of water [Section 3(1)(x) of the Act]	Full cost of restoration of normal facility, including cleaning when the water is fouled, to be borne by the concerned State Government or Union territory Administration. In addition, an amount of eight lakh twenty-five thousand rupees shall be deposited with the District Magistrate for creating community assets of the nature to be decided by the District Authority in consultation with the Local Body.
34	Denial of customary right of passage to a place of public resort or obstruction from using or accessing public resort [Section 3(1)(y) of the Act]	Four lakhs twenty-five thousand rupees to the victim and cost of restoration of right of passage by the concerned State Government or Union territory Administration. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 percent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
35	Forcing of causing to leave house, village, residence desert place of residence [Section 3(1)(z) of the Act]	Restoration of the site or right to stay in house, village or other place of residence by the concerned State Government or Union territory Administration and relief of one lakh rupees to the victim and reconstruction of the house at Government cost, if

Sl. No	Name of the offence	Minimum amount of relief
(1)	(2)	(3)
		destroyed. Payment to be made as follows: 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; 25 percent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court
36 (A)	Obstructing or preventing a member of a Scheduled Caste or Scheduled Tribes in any manner with regard to using common property resources of an area, or burial or cremation ground equally with others or using any river, stream, spring, well, tank, cistern, water-tap or other watering place, or any bathing <i>ghat</i> , any public conveyance, any road, or passage [Section 3(1)(za)(A) of the Act]	Restoration of the right using common property resources of an area, or burial or cremation ground equally with others or using any river, stream, spring, well, tank, cistern, water-tap or other watering place, or any bathing <i>ghat</i> , any public conveyance, any road, or passage equally with others, by the concerned State Government or Union Territory Administration and relief of one lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 percent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
(B)	mounting or riding bicycles or motor cycles or wearing footwear or new clothes in public places or taking out wedding procession, or mounting a horse or any other vehicle during wedding processions [Section 3(1)(za)(B) of the Act]	Restoration of the right of mounting or riding bicycles or motor cycles or wearing footwear or new clothes in public places or taking out wedding procession, or mounting a horse or any other vehicle during wedding processions, equally with others by the concerned State Government or Union territory Administration and relief of one lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage;

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		(ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
(C)	entering any place of worship which is open to the public or other persons professing the same religion or taking part in, or taking out, any religious, social or cultural processions including <i>jatras</i> [Section 3(1)(za)(C) of the Act]	Restoration of the right of entering any place of worship which is open to the public or other persons professing the same religion or taking part in, or taking out any religious procession or <i>jatras</i> , as is open to the public or other persons professing the same religion, social or cultural processions including <i>jatras</i> , equally with other persons, by the concerned State Government or Union territory Administration and relief of one lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 percent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 percent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 percent. When the accused are convicted by the lower court.
(D)	entering any educational institution, hospital, dispensary, primary health centre, shop or place of public entertainment or any other public place; or using any utensils or articles meant for public use in any place open to the public [Section 3(1)(za)(D) of the Act]	Restoration of the right of entering any educational institution, hospital, dispensary, primary health centre, shop or place of public entertainment or any other public place; or using any utensils or articles meant for public use in any place open to the public, equally with other persons by the concerned State Government or Union territory Administration and relief of one lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge

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		sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
(E)	practicing any profession or the carrying on of any occupation, trade or business or employment in any job which other members of the public, or any section thereof, have a right to use or have access to [Section 3(1)(za)(E) of the Act]	Restoration of the right of practicing any profession or the carrying on of any occupation, trade or business or employment in any job which other members of the public, or any section thereof, have a right to use or have access to, by the concerned State Government /Union territory Administration and relief of one lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
37	Causing physical harm or mental agony on the allegation of being a witch or practicing witchcraft or being a witch [Section 3(1)(zb) of the Act]	One lakh rupees to the victim and also commensurate with the indignity, insult, injury and defamation suffered by the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
38	Imposing or threatening a social or economic boycott. [Section 3(1)(zc) of the Act]	Restoration of provision of all economic and social services equally with other persons, by the concerned State Government or Union territory. Administration and relief of one lakh rupees to the victim. To be paid in full when charge sheet is sent to the lower court.

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39	Giving or fabricating false evidence [Section 3(2)(i) and (ii) of the Act]	Four lakh fifteen thousand rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
40	Committing offences under the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860) punishable with imprisonment for a term of ten years or more [Section 3(2) of the Act]	Four lakh rupees to the victim and or his dependents. The amount would vary, if specifically otherwise provided in this Schedule. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court.
41	Committing offences under the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860) specified in the Schedule to the Act punishable with such punishment as specified under the Indian Penal Code for such offences[Section 3(2) (va) read with the Schedule to the Act]	Two lakh rupees to the victim and or his dependents. The amount would vary if specifically otherwise provided in this Schedule. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court;
42	Victimization at the hands of a public servant[Section 3(2) (vii) of the Act]	Two lakh rupees to the victim and or his dependents. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 25 per cent. at First Information Report (FIR) stage; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; (iii) 25 per cent. when the accused are convicted by the lower court;

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43	<p>Disability. Guidelines for evaluation of various disabilities and procedure for certification as contained in the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment Notification No. 16-18/97-NI, dated the 1st June, 2001. A copy of the notification is at Annexure-II.</p> <p>(a) 100 per cent. incapacitation</p> <p>(b) where incapacitation is less than 100 per cent. but more than 50 per cent.</p> <p>(c) where incapacitation is less than 50 per cent.</p>	<p>Eight lakh and twenty-five thousand rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows:</p> <p>(i) 50 per cent. after medical examination and confirmatory medical report;</p> <p>(ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court;</p> <p>Four lakh and fifty thousand rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows:</p> <p>(i) 50 per cent. after medical examination and confirmatory medical report;</p> <p>(ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court;</p> <p>Two lakh and fifty thousand rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows:</p> <p>(i) 50 per cent. after medical examination and confirmatory medical report;</p> <p>(ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court.</p>
44	<p>Rape, unnatural Offences or Gang rape.</p> <p>(i) Rape, etc., or unnatural Offences [Section 375, 376, 376A, 376E and 377 of the Indian Penal Code (45 of 1860)]</p> <p>Gang rape [Section 376D of the Indian Penal Code(45 of 1860)]</p>	<p>Five lakh rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows:</p> <p>(i) 50 per cent. after medical examination and confirmatory medical report;</p> <p>(ii) 25 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court;</p> <p>(iii) 25 per cent. on conclusion of trial by the lower court.</p> <p>Eight lakh and twenty-five thousand</p>

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		rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 50 per cent. after medical examination and confirmatory medical report; (ii) 25 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court; 25 per cent. on conclusion of trial by the lower court.
45	Murder or Death.	Eight lakh and twenty-five thousand rupees to the victim. Payment to be made as follows: (i) 50 per cent. after post mortem report; (ii) 50 per cent. when the charge sheet is sent to the court.
46	Additional relief to victims of murder, death, massacre, rape, gang rape, permanent incapacitation and dacoity.	In addition to relief amounts paid under above items, relief may be arranged within three months of date of atrocity as follows:- (i) Basic Pension to the widow or other dependents of deceased persons belonging to a Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe amounting to five thousand rupees per month, as applicable to a Government servant of the concerned State Government or Union territory Administration, with admissible dearness allowance and employment to one member of the family of the deceased, and provision of agricultural land, an house, if necessary by outright purchase; (ii) Full cost of the education up to graduation level and maintenance of the children of the victims. Children may be admitted to Ashram schools or residential schools, fully funded by the Government; (iii) Provision of utensils, rice,

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		wheat, dals, pulses, etc., for a period of three months.
47	Complete destruction or burnt houses	Brick or stone masonry house to be constructed or provided at Government cost where it has been burnt or destroyed."

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