

WELFARE OF SCH. CASTES

Schemes proposed to be implemented for Welfare of Sch. Castes during 2006-2007 are briefly discussed below :-

(A) SCHEMES FOR EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT :-

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of Scheme	Objects	Target (2006-07)	
			Financial	Physical
1	2	3	4	5
1	Boarding house stipend to SC students (VI to X)	Rs. 20/- per day per students i.e. Rs. 600/- per month for 10 month in an academic year	43.00	900 Boarders
2.	Pre-matric scholarship to SC students. (VI to X)	Day scholars reading in any class from VI to VIII @ Rs. 40/- per month and those reading in class IX & X @ Rs. 50/- per month for 10 months in an academic year.	201.90	45,000 students

3.	Supplementary grant to post-matric scholarship	SC students are getting post matric scholarship from the G.O.I. since the rate of postmatric scholarship is lower than that of the boarding house stipend in the state, the state Govt. is paying supplementary grant to make the amount equal to the rate of boarding house stipend.	2.00	250 Students.
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The rate of additive is as follows :-

Group - I - --
Group - II - --
Group - III - Rs. 95/- P. M.
Group - IV - Rs. 215/- P. M.

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4	Outfit allowance to SC students for prosecuting higher studies outside the State.	A lumpsum amount of Rs. 2,000/- towards cost of journey, dress etc. is paid to all SC students. Who are prosecuting studies outside the State and whose guardians monthly income does not exceed Rs. 5,000/-	0.50	10 Students.

5	Repair/Renovation of SC boys/girls hostel.	For maintenance of the old hostels	20.00	2 hostels.
6	Distribution of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Memorial Award.	Those who secure at least 60% marks in average in the Annual Examination/Final Exm. are paid case award at the following rates :- Rs. 400/- in classes VI to VIII, @ Rs. 700/- to students of class IX, @ Rs. 1500/- for students of Madhyamik & H. S. +2 stage.	10.00	2,500 students
7	Supplementary grant (additive) to pre-Matric scholarship for the children of those engaged in unclean occupation.		0.50	58 Students.
		Class	Rate of G.O.I.	Rate of G.O.T.
		VI to VII	Rs. 300/-	150/- Per month
	IX to X	Rs. 375/-	75/- Per month	
8.	Special coaching in core subject.	Coaching in imparted to students of Madhyamik & H.S. +2 stage in core subject like Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, English etc. to prepare them for annual examination.	4.00	300 Students.

9.	Payment of stipend/ scholarship to the SC students who are reading in Mission Schools.	For both hostellers and day scholars.	3.00	11 students.
10.	Folk arts/ Culture/ Publicity/ Exhibition/ Seminar etc.	To develop Art & Culture and to create awareness about the constitutional safeguards amount the SC population.	5.00	Need Based
11.	Construction of wardens quarter boundary walls/ wardens quarters for SC hostel.	To run tot he hostels properly.	0.00	Need Based
12	Supply of furniture and utensils for SC Girls and boy's Hostels.	To keep the hostels running.	2.00	5 hostels.
13.	Pre-Examination coaching training in I.T.I./ Shorthand / Type writing etc.	Stipend to SC students during the coaching period is paid @ Rs. 200/- for day scholar and Rs. 450/- for hostler p.m. respectively.	8.00	400 Students.

Centrally Sponsored Schemes :-

14	Pre-matric scholarship for the children those engaged unclean occupation (50:50 sharing)	Under this scheme the SC students of vulnerable group from Class I to X get in this scholarship at the following rates	43.00	4,000 students.
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Rate fixed by G.O.I. under CSS :-

Day Scholars		Hostellers
Class	Rate/pm	
I to V	Rs. 40/- p.m.	
VI to VIII	Rs. 60/- p.m.	Rs. 300/- p.m.
IX to X	Rs. 75/- p.m.	Rs. 375/- p.m.

		In addition to this scholarship, all students with in the purview of this scheme get an adhoc grant @ Rs. 600/- per year for hosteller and Rs. 550/- for day scholar.		
15.	Construction of SC boys' hostel (50:50)	To encourage education of SC boys	98.00	2 hostel
16	Construction of SC girls' hostel.	To encourage education of SC girls.	1.00	1 Hostel on going

B. SCHEME FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT :-

1.	Aid to Non-Government Organisation	Under this scheme 90% of expenditure of Non-Govt. orgn. towards Welfare of SC communities is borne by the state Govt. Harijan Savak Sangha or such other NGOs engaged in Welfare activities are assisted under this scheme.	1.00 lakhs	2 Orgns.
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Nucleus Budget Scheme :

2	Financial assistance to SC families	Under this scheme financial to SC families. assistance up to Rs. 2,500/- for treatment inside the state and upto Rs. 5000/- for treatment outside the state is sanctioned to SC patients as per laid down rules.	38.97	4,500 Nos.
3	Dev./ Improvement/ purchase of house site/ cost of house for Harijans etc.	The object of the scheme is to improve the living conditions of vulnerable group of SC & other SC families residing at various places in Tripura. In the scheme there is provision for giving them other common benefit in urban and rural areas.	20.00	2 Coloney

4. 'B' Class Share Capital assistance for the Tripura Sch. Castes Co-operative Development Corporation Ltd. (Sharing 49:51)

The Government of India and the state government contribute to the Share Capital of the Corporation at the ratio 49 : 51. Target for 2006-2007 is given below :-

FINANCIAL

6.00

PHYSICAL

600 'B' Class share

5. Direction and Administration

FINANCIAL

27.33 lakhs

PHYSICAL

Need Based.

SCHEME FOR PROTECTING THE SCH. CASTES FROM VARIOUS SOCIAL EXPLOITATION AND TO SAFEGUARD THEIR CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS.

5.13. To protect the SCs from various economic and social exploitations the following schemes are implemented in the state :-

1. Enforcement of the money lenders Act.
2. Extension of credit facilities through the state SCDC, other financing banks and co-operative Societies.
3. Procurement of Agri-produce/ forest-produce through Co-operative Societies at the reasonable rate.
4. Inter-caste marriage award.
5. Financial assistance for treatment so that the SC are not in debated.
6. Enforcement of PCR Act and Atrocities/ Act.
7. Establishment of special courts.
8. Sanction of legal aid.

PROTECTIVE MEASURES

To protect the constitutional rights of the Sch. Castes following measures have been taken.

1. Reservation for SC in employment under the state government/ government under takings is strictly follows.
2. The State Govt. have enacted a special law, namely “The Tripura SC & ST (Reservation of vacancies in services and posts) Act, 1991 to prevent violation of the principle of reservation in services.
3. Reservation of SCs in admission of students to educational institutions and in selection of students for higher studies is strictly enforced.
4. Cancellation of false SC certificates.