

CHAPTER – 4 (Manual – 3)**Rules, Regulations, Instructions, Manual and Records for Discharging Functions**

| Sl. No | Name Of The Scheme | G.O. Ms. No. & Date | Brief Write-Up Of The Scheme |
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| 1) | Grant Of Marriage Allowances To The Widow's Daughter | 73/81-HEW(SW) dated 06-04-1981 | To Help/Assist The Widow Financially In Performing Her Daughter's Marriage. |
| 2) | Incentive To Widow's Remarriage | 55/81-HEW(SW) dated 18-03-1981 | To encourage widows to remarry a bachelor/ widower to lead a normal life. |
| 3) | Grant of financial assistance for performance of marriage of Poor Brides | 44/2003-Wel(SW-IV) dated 15-10-2003 | To help the poor parents financially for performing their daughter's marriage |
| 4) | Kulavilakku | 4/2001-Wel(SW-IV) dated 30-01-2001 | To improve nutritional status of Pregnant Women. |
| 5) | Aravanaippu | 5/2001-Wel(SW-IV) dated 30-01-2001 | To improve the status of the girl child and to provide nutritious food to the girl child; The assistance is provided to the Lactating mother. |
| 6) | Balika Samrithi Yojana | 25/98-Wel(SW-IV) dated 27-08-1998 | To improve the status of the girl child and to provide nutritious food to the girl child; The assistance is provided to the Lactating mother. |
| 7) | Educational Allowances to the Children Of Widows (This scheme is being withheld for time being) | 74/81-HEW(SW) dated 06-04-1981 | To help the poor widow to educate the children upto higher secondary or equivalent by providing financial assistance for purchase of text book, note book etc. |
| 8) | Reimbursement Of Tuition Fees For The Typewriting Shorthand For The Children Of Widows | 16/86-Wel(SW) dated 28-03-1986 | To encourage the children of Widows for learning Typewriting and Shorthand and reimburse the amount paid for the course. |
| 9) | Grant of Incentive to the Family Having One Girl and Parents Who Have Undergone Family Planning | 3/2004-Wel(SW-IV) dated 30-01-2004 | To create awareness among the Parents about the desirability about the girl child and to raise the status of the girl child in the family. |
| 10) | Hostel For Working Women | 50/86/Wel(SW) dated 10-09-1986 | To provide fully furnished, rented accommodation to women who are working away from home. |
| 11) | Grant Of Financial Assistance To The Poor Parents Having Only One Girl Child Who Is Studying 8 th To 10 th Std | 23/2005-Wel(SW-IV) dated 20-05-2005 | The scheme aims at small family norms and promoting the welfare of the girl children and treats them as an asset and to share the burden of the parents at the time of marriage of the girl child. |
| 12) | Prohibition Of Dowry Act | 29/98-Wel(SW-IV) dated 27-10-1998 | An act to prohibit the giving or taking dowry has been enacted by Parliament on 20th May 1961 |

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| | | | viz. "The Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961" Which makes giving taking and abetting of dowry punishable u/s 3 of the said Act, which lays that any person after commencement of this Act gives or takes or abets the giving or taking of dowry, he shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which shall not be less than six months but which may extend to ten thousand rupees or the amount of the value of such dowry, whichever is more. |
| 13) | Family Councelling Centre | 52/2003-Wel(SW-IV) dated 11-11-2003 | To enable the individual to know himself/herself and to solve his/her own problems through face-to-face relationship with the counsellor. |
| 14) | Old Age Persons And Destitutes Pension | 141/81-HEW(SW) dated 18-09-1981 | To provide for a monthly pension of ₹1000/-p.m. to Old Age persons, widows, deserted women, unmarried women and eunuchs. |
| 15) | Grant Of Financial Assistance For The Funeral Expenses Of Old Age Pensioner | 13/2001-Wel(SW-IV) dated 07-03-2001 | To provide for ₹2000/- to defray expenses towards the funeral of the Old Age pensioner |
| 16) | Free Supply Of Sarees And Dhothies To The Poor People | 19/2003-Wel(SW-IV) dated 18-03-2003 | To provide for two sets of clothing to the poor people, each set consisting a saree, blouse, lungi and towel, once a year. |
| 17) | Grant Of Subsidy For Purchase Of Mangalyam To The Bridegroom Of Weaker Section | 8-58/OCH/A2/85-86 dated 04-11-1987 | To provide for a subsidy of ₹ 2500/- from the Chief Minister's Welfare fund for purchase of Mangalyam to the bridegroom of weaker section. |
| 18) | Financial Assistance To Old Age Pensioner Suffering From T.B./ Cancer | 31/2002-Wel(SW-IV) dated 06-08-2002 | To provide for ₹100/- per month to defray the medical expenses of the pensioner suffering from T.B./Cancer |

The above said Rules & Regulations are framed to give guidance to the Officers and Employees of the Department. These Rules & Acts can be had from the Department of Women and Child Development, Puducherry.