

**CHAPTER – 7 (Manual – 6)****A Statement of Boards, Council, Committees and Other Bodies constituted as its part****Puducherry Corporation for Development of Women and Handicapped Persons Ltd.**

❖	Name and address of the Affiliated Body	Puducherry Corporation for Development of Women and Handicapped Persons Ltd.
❖	Type of Affiliated Body (Board, Council, Committees, Other Bodies)	Registered Company, Registered under Companies Act, 1956.
❖	Brief Introduction of the Affiliated Body (Establishment Year, Objective/ Main Activities)	March 1993. To uplift the poor women and welfare activities to the women as well as Physically Handicapped Persons.
❖	Role of the Affiliated Body (Advisory/ Managing/ Executive/ Others)	Executive
❖	Structure and Member Composition	Chairperson, Board of Directors, Managing Director
❖	Head of the Body	Chairperson of the Board
❖	Address of main office and its Branches	<b>Head Office :</b> No:30, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Cross Street, Pon Nagar, Reddiyarpalayam, Puducherry-605 010. Ph.-0413-2203155 <b>Branch Office :</b> No. 13/1, Nehru Street, Karaikal.
❖	Frequency of Meetings	Every Quarterly
❖	Can public participate in the meetings?	No
❖	Are minutes of the meetings prepared?	Yes
❖	Are minutes of the meetings available to the public? If yes please provide information about the procedure to obtain them	No

**Mangalam Society**

❖	Name and address of the Affiliated Body	Mangalam (Society Registered under Societies Registration Act, 1860)
❖	Type of Affiliated Body (Board, Council, Committees, Other Bodies)	Society (NGO) funded by the Government of Puducherry, Department of Women and Child Development.
❖	Brief Introduction of the Affiliated Body (Establishment Year, Objective/ Main Activities)	1995 To promote literacy among the villages and to undertake programs for the general development and promotion of education, legal education and to provide legal aid services among them.
❖	Role of the Affiliated Body (Advisory/ Managing/ Executive/ Others)	Advisory/Executive
❖	Structure and Member Composition	President, Vice President, 12 Members and Member Secretary
❖	Head of the Body	Chairperson.
❖	Address of main office and its Branches	No. 21, I Cross Street, Brindhavan, Puducherry.
❖	Frequency of Meetings	One General Body meeting once a year and 4 Executive meeting @ every quarter.
❖	Can public participate in the meetings?	No
❖	Are minutes of the meetings prepared?	Yes
❖	Are minutes of the meetings available to the public? If yes please provide information about the procedure to obtain them	No

**Puducherry Women's Commission**

❖	Name and address of the Affiliated Body	Puducherry Women's Commission No. 20, 100 Feet Road, Natesan Nagar, Puducherry – 605008.
❖	Type of Affiliated Body (Board, Council, Committees, Other Bodies)	Autonomous Statutory Body
❖	Brief Introduction of the Affiliated Body (Establishment Year, Objective/ Main Activities)	2004, To improve status of Women, to enquire into unfair practice affecting women.
❖	Role of the Affiliated Body (Advisory/ Managing/ Executive/ Others)	Commission
❖	Structure and Member Composition	Chairperson and 6 members
❖	Head of the Body	Chairperson
❖	Address of main office and its Branches	No. 20, 100 Feet Road, Natesan Nagar, Puducherry – 605008.
❖	Frequency of Meetings	Once in three months
❖	Can public participate in the meetings?	No
❖	Are minutes of the meetings prepared?	Yes
❖	Are minutes of the meetings available to the public? If yes please provide information about the procedure to obtain them	No

**State Level Coordination Committee**

❖	Name and address of the Affiliated Body	State Level Coordination Committee (Provisions of Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act – 1956) No. 50 Main Street, Sithankudi, Puducherry.
❖	Type of Affiliated Body (Board, Council, Committees, Other Bodies)	Committee
❖	Brief Introduction of the Affiliated Body (Establishment Year, Objective/ Main Activities)	2004 To review the situation and progress made in the implementation of the National Plan of Action and provisions of Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act – 1956, on combating the trafficking and exploitation of Women and Children and to workout strategies for future regarding prevention, rescue and rehabilitation of women and children who are victims of sexual exploitation.
❖	Role of the Affiliated Body (Advisory/ Managing/ Executive/ Others)	Advisory
❖	Structure and Member Composition	Chairperson & 2 Members
❖	Head of the Body	Chairperson
❖	Address of main office and its Branches	No. 50 Main Street, Sithankudi, Puducherry.
❖	Frequency of Meetings	Annually
❖	Can public participate in the meetings?	No
❖	Are minutes of the meetings prepared?	Yes
❖	Are minutes of the meetings available to the public? If yes please provide information about the procedure to obtain them	No

**Complaints Committee**

❖	Name and address of the Affiliated Body	Complaints Committee No. 50 Main Street, Sithankudi, Puducherry.
❖	Type of Affiliated Body (Board, Council, Committees, Other Bodies)	Committee
❖	Brief Introduction of the Affiliated Body (Establishment Year, Objective/ Main Activities)	2000 To examine the complaints received and to make appropriate recommendations to the Heads of the Government Departments/ Organisations and to see
❖	Role of the Affiliated Body (Advisory/ Managing/ Executive/ Others)	Advisory
❖	Structure and Member Composition	Chairman, 2 Members
❖	Head of the Body	Chairman
❖	Address of main office and its Branches	No. 50 Main Street, Sithankudi, Puducherry.
❖	Frequency of Meetings	Once in three months
❖	Can public participate in the meetings?	No
❖	Are minutes of the meetings prepared?	Yes
❖	Are minutes of the meetings available to the public? If yes please provide information about the procedure to obtain them	No

**State Level Steering Committee for Swayamsidha**

❖	Name and address of the Affiliated Body	State Level Steering Committee for Swayamsidha No. 50 Main Street, Sithankudi, Puducherry.
❖	Type of Affiliated Body (Board, Council, Committees, Other Bodies)	Committee
❖	Brief Introduction of the Affiliated Body (Establishment Year, Objective/ Main Activities)	2001 Establishment of self-reliant women's Self Help Groups, creation of confidence and awareness among members of Self Help Groups regarding women's status, health, nutrition, education, sanitation and hygiene, legal rights, economic upliftment and other social, economic and political issues, strengthening and institutionalizing the savings habit in rural women and their control over economic resources, improving access of women to micro credit, involvement of women in local level planning and convergence of services of Department of Women and Child Development and other Departments
❖	Role of the Affiliated Body (Advisory/ Managing/ Executive/ Others)	Executive
❖	Structure and Member Composition	Chairman, 5 Members & Members Secretary
❖	Head of the Body	Chairman
❖	Address of main office and its Branches	No. 50 Main Street, Sithankudi, Puducherry.
❖	Frequency of Meetings	Once in six months
❖	Can public participate in the meetings?	No
❖	Are minutes of the meetings prepared?	Yes
❖	Are minutes of the meetings available to the public? If yes please provide information about the procedure to obtain them	No