

Tasks Of Adi-Dravidar And Tribal Welfare Schools In Tamilnadu

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Abstract

The state government, the central government and even a number of non – governmental organizations have been helping the Adi-Dravidar and Tribal people well in the education side and achieved victory in executing their plans. A good number of students have placed their foot in greater positions and a lot are being lifted up by these schools. The information about the offers rendered by such governments and the organizations are being collected and presented it as the thesis.

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INTRODUCTION

As indicated by 2011 Census, out of the all out populace of 721.47 lakhs, in Tamil Nadu, the number of inhabitants in Adi-Dravidars is 144.38 lakhs and Tribal populace is 7.95 lakhs. In this manner the Adi-Dravidars comprise 20.01% and Tribals establish 1.10% of the all out populace in Tamil Nadu. Most of the Adi-Dravidars/Tribal populace are financially in reverse and socially underestimated. The greater part of the families need assets and access to instruction, work and other pay acquiring openings. The proficiency rate of the Adi-Dravidars is just 73.26 % and that of Tribal is 54.34 %, which is much lower, contrasted with the State's general education dimension of 80.09 %. This division is worried about by and large approach detailing, arranging and execution of the welfare programs, featuring the honorable arrangements of the State Government for the quickened development in financial, instructive and human advancement to guarantee continued development and social nobility. In its endeavors to

support the development, the Government has dispensed Rs.2971.19 crore for the year 2016-2017.

Welfare Programs

The Government of Tamil Nadu executes a few welfare programs for the financial and instructive advancement of the Adi-Dravidars and Tribals in the State. The goals of these projects are to encourage quicker financial and instructive improvement of the Adi-Dravidars/Tribals in order to end their social segregation and monetary hardship and furthermore to accelerate the way toward coordinating them with the national standard. All the sectoral offices reserve explicit designations to support the Adi-Dravidars/Tribals from their standard arranged projects distributions according to the rules of the Government of India under the "Booked Castes Sub Plan", which is being enhanced with Special Central Assistance. On account of Tribal Welfare, comparable Tribal Sub Plan of various offices is being readied. Extra Grants-in-help are authorized each year for giving framework offices in Tribal regions by the Government of India under Article 275(1) of the Constitution of India. Among different social division projects actualized by the Adi-Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department, instruction possesses the prime spot as it changes the general public at more noteworthy dimension. Other than this, different other welfare projects like appropriation of house site pattas and development of houses and arrangement of essential pleasantries like streets, road lights, supply of drinking water, graveyard and pathway to cemetery and so forth are likewise taken up as a major aspect of the social improvement programmes. TAHDCO executes these financial advancement programs notwithstanding the customary monetary improvement projects actualized by different sectoral divisions to assist the Adi-Dravidars/Tribals in the State. The monetary advancement projects actualized through TAHDCO are fundamentally of three classifications specifically 1) Micro endeavors improvement for the poor families 2) Vocational occupation arranged expertise preparing projects and 3) Individual business visionary plans which are upheld by fitting preparing and sponsorship programs.

Authoritative Machinery

At the Government level, Directorate of Adi-Dravidar Welfare and Directorate of Tribal Welfare and TAHDCO, a select Corporation comprised for advancing financial improvement of Adi-Dravidars/Tribal are under the control of Secretary, Adi-Dravidar

and Tribal Welfare Department. At the State level, the Directorate of Adi-Dravidar Welfare is going by an I.A.S., officer. Likewise the Directorate of Tribal Welfare is going by an I.F.S., Officer. At the local level, District Adi-Dravidar and Tribal Welfare officers are working with their supporting staff for the Welfare of the Adi-Dravidars and the Tribal. TAHDCO as a Corporation is in charge of actualizing all the financial improvement programs to support the Adi-Dravidars. It is going by the Managing Director in the framework of an IAS officer. In the field level, TAHDCO has region workplaces headed by District Managers. Authorities at the area level are the principle planning officers for observing all welfare programs to assist the Adi-Dravidar and Tribal individuals with the help of the District Level Officers referenced beneath: a) District Adi-Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Officers b) District Manager, TAHDCO and the leaders of the 21 Sectoral Departments like Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Agriculture, Health and Family Welfare, Higher Education, Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries, Municipal Administration and Water Supply, Revenue, School and Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Departments and so forth.

Education

Proficiency level is one of the primary markers of financial state of the general public and the relative work openings to a great extent rely on these criteria. There is a significant hole in education dimension of the Adi-Dravidars and Tribal individuals with that of generally speaking proficiency level. In Tamilnadu, the general proficiency level is 80.09% according to 2011 enumeration. Nonetheless, the comparing dimension of education among the Adi-Dravidar is 73.26% and that of the Tribal individuals is 54.34% as it were. The hole in the female proficiency is still all the more glaring, mirroring the abnormal state of lack of education and dropouts among the Adi-Dravidar and Tribal Girls. Along these lines, the Government of Tamilnadu has been giving more noteworthy significance to the usage of plans advancing training among the Adi-Dravidars and the Tribal's especially among the young lady youngsters. The quantity of schools working under the Adi-Dravidar is 1,134 with an aggregate of 1, 15,730 understudies. There are 306 Government Tribal Residential Schools (GTR) with an aggregate of 30,933 understudies. For the money related year 2016-17, an entirety of Rs. 2,971.19 crore has been given in the B.E. of which Rs.2645.89 crore (89.05%) has been distributed for training and instruction related plans. Planned Caste and Scheduled

Tribe understudies concentrating in self financing universities are additionally qualified to get grant under this plan. They are exempted from paying obligatory and non-refundable expenses which are straightforwardly dispensed to the schools by the Adi-Dravidar Welfare Department. Upkeep remittance relying on the class they study is likewise paid to the understudies.

INSTRUCTIVE GRANT SCHEMES

Post-Matric Scholarship

Under the Post-Matric grant plot, help is given to the Adi-Dravidar and Tribal understudies who proceed with their investigations from XI standard and whose parent or gatekeeper's yearly salary does not surpass Rs.2.50 lakh. A help of Rs.230/- to Rs.550/- every month is given as upkeep remittance for day researchers and Rs.380/- to Rs.1200/- every month as support stipend for hostellers relying on the class where they examine.

State Special Post-Matric Scholarship

The State Government is actualizing the Post-Matric Special Scholarship Scheme for the understudies changed over to Christianity who are not qualified for profiting grant under the Government of India Post Matric Scholarship Scheme to seek after higher investigations from eleventh standard and whose parent or watchman's yearly pay does not surpass Rs.2 lakh and the sum given is Rs.100/- to Rs.175/- every month towards the upkeep stipend for day researchers and Rs.175/- to Rs.350/- every month for the hostellers relying on the course where they contemplate.

Higher Educational Special Scholarship

Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and converted to Christianity students who are staying in the hostels, maintained by the educational institutions and pursuing Degree course or Polytechnic are sanctioned a grant of Rs.7,500/- per annum and for Post Graduate and Professional course Rs.8,000/- per annum under this scheme. For availing the scholarship, the parent or guardian's annual income does not exceed Rs.2 lakh. For the year 2016-17, a sum of Rs.2026.47 lakh has been allocated under this scheme.

Financial Assistance to Ph.D. Students

The SC and ST students who pursue full time Ph.D. in the recognized Universities and whose parent or guardian's annual income does not exceed Rs.2 lakh, are sanctioned a financial assistance of Rs.50,000/- per year. For the year 2016-17, a sum of Rs.350 lakh has been allocated for this scheme.

Extraordinary Incentive Scheme for Girl Students

Training carries generally improvement to the Society. The Girls' motivator plan is being actualized to guarantee 100% enlistment of the Adi-Dravidar and Tribal Girls in the rudimentary training level. The Adi-Dravidar and Tribal young ladies concentrating from III to V benchmarks are given a motivation of Rs.500/- in a year. This plan is stretched out to every one of the Districts from the year 2011-12 to profit the Adi-Dravidar and Tribal Girls. A total of Rs.1700 lakh has been apportioned for the year 2016-17.

Grants

The understudies having a place with Adi-Dravidar, Tribal and changed over to Christianity, concentrating Tamil as one of the subjects and verifying most astounding imprints in tenth and twelfth standard Public Examinations are granted prize cash. The Students who secure the most noteworthy stamps in standard X and XII Public Examinations at the District Level are given money grants.

Hostels

Hostel facilities are provided to the students who are studying in Schools, Colleges and I.T.I.s to encourage the rural, Adi-Dravidar and Tribal students to continue their education without any drop out.

Grants

TAHDCO not only assists for Income Generating Programmes and Economic Development by providing loan and subsidy but also supports the youth in pursuit of higher aspiration and the uncovered under other schemes through 100% grant.

Development and Maintenance of School Buildings

Out of 1125 Adi-Dravidar Welfare schools, just 5 schools are working in Private structures and one school is working in the Adi-Dravidar Welfare Hostel Building, while all the 306 GTR Schools are working in Government structures. In numerous schools,

study hall offices are deficient. New structures, extra homerooms with all offices are being developed in a staged way. Amid 2011-2012, 16 extra homerooms and 16 Lab structures were authorized at Rs.313.60 lakhs to the recently overhauled 8 High schools/8 Higher Secondary schools and the works have been endowed to TAHDCO. Amid the year 2011-2012 an aggregate of Rs.38.95 crores was authorized for the development of Toilet Blocks in 779 ADW Schools at an expense of Rs.5 lakhs per school. Out of this Rs.2076 lakhs was discharged to TAHDCO as a second portion amid 2012-13. Rs.1819 lakhs was discharged to TAHDCO amid 2013-2014, and Rs.2098.80 lakhs was discharged to TAHDCO amid the year 2014-2015 for School offices.

Tamil Nadu Government work

Construction of Eklavya Model Residential School, ITI Building, Class rooms, Labs and Hostels, Working Women Hostels, Compound Walls, Community Halls, Toilet Block Constructions and repair works, roads, sewage works, maintenance and renovation of Hostels and school buildings are to be undertaken.

CONCLUSION

The Government is making a few strides for confining proper strategies expected to structure and execute different projects with fundamental legitimate help for accomplishing a target of making great encouraging condition to guarantee fast financial improvement of the Adi-Dravidars and Tribals. The methodology of the Government is two dimensional viz, reinforcing the foundation, especially on training and fundamental courtesies which are straightforwardly profiting the SC/STs on the loose. All the while, endeavors are made to actualize different welfare programs and monetary improvement projects to guarantee supportable social and financial advancement among the Adi-Dravidars and Tribals. A definitive goal is to inspire the Adi-Dravidar/Tribal individuals socio-financially in this manner encouraging their political strengthening.

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