

## **DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND NMP**

### **MARRIAGE ASSISTANCE SCHEME**

The announcement of 8 gram gold for Thirumangalyam along with financial assistance for marriage by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamilnadu for marriage conducted from 17-05-2011 onwards is a flagship scheme implemented by the Social Welfare Department. This scheme has been extended to 8 grams gold from 23-05-2016 onwards. Under the scheme, Marriage Assistance of Rs.25,000/- and 8 gram gold is given for brides who have studied 10th and 12th and Rs.50,000/- and 8 gram gold for Degree / Diploma holders.

#### **1. MOOVALUR RAMAMIRTHAM AMMAIYAR, MEMORIAL MARRIAGE ASSISTANCE SCHEME**

The Moovalur Ramamirtham Ammaiyar, Memorial Marriage Assistance Scheme I being implemented by the Tamil Nadu Government to improve the educational status of the poor girls. The assistance is given to girls who have completed 10th Standard, +2, Diploma or Degree.

##### **SCHEME – I**

Objectives of the Schemes

To help financially poor parents in getting her daughter's married and to promote the educational status of poor girls.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.25,000/- and gold coin of 8 grams. The bride should have Completed 10th Std, at the time of marriage. If the Bride belongs to ST, She should have completed Vth Std. Parent's income should not exceed Rs.72,000/- per annum. The bride should have completed 18 years and bridegroom should have completed 21 years at the time of marriage. Only one girl from a family is eligible. Application should be received before 40 days or atleast one day prior to the marriage incase of un avoidable circumstances.

Documents to be enclosed

10th Marksheet, Transfer Certificate, Community Certificate, Income Certificate, . Ration Card Photo Copy, Marriage invitation, Passport size photo of the applicant and parents.

##### **SCHEME – II**

Objectives of the Schemes

To help financially poor parents in getting their daughter's married and to promote the educational Degree / Diploma, status of poor girls.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.50,000/- and gold coin of 8 grams. The bride should have passed Degree /

Diploma, at the time of marriage. Parent's income should not exceed Rs.72,000/- per annum. Parent's income should not exceed Rs.72,000/- per annum. The bride should have completed 18 years and bridegroom should have completed 21 years at the time of marriage. Only one girl from a family is eligible. Application should be received before 40 days or atleast one day prior to the marriage incase of un avoidable circumstances.

Documents to be enclosed

10th Marksheet, Degree Certificate, Provisional Certificate, Transfer Certificate, Community Certificate, Income Certificate, . Ration Card Photo Copy, Marriage invitation, Passport size photo of the applicant and parents.

## **2. E.V.R. MANIYAMMAIYAR, MEMORIAL WIDOW DAUGHTER'S MARRIAGE ASSISTANCE SCHEME**

The E.V.R. Maniyammaiyar, Memorial Widow Daughter's Marriage Assistance Scheme is being implemented by the Tamil Nadu Government to improve the educational status of the poor girls. The assistance is given to girls who have completed 10th Standard, +2, Diploma or Degree.

### **SCHEME – I**

Objectives of the Schemes

To help the poor mothers who are widows by providing financial assistance for their daughter's married and to promote the educational status of poor girls.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.25,000/- and gold coin of 8 grams. The bride should have passed 10th or no education qualification required. The bride should have completed 18 years and bridegroom should have completed 21 years at the time of marriage. Only one daughter of the poor widow is eligible. Application should be received before 40 days or atleast one day prior to the marriage incase of un avoidable circumstances.

Documents to be enclosed

10th Marksheet, Transfer Certificate, Widow Certificate, Husband Death Certificate, Income Certificate, Marriage invitation, Passport size photo of the applicant and community Certificate.

### **SCHEME – II**

Objectives of the Schemes

To help the poor mothers who are widows by providing financial assistance for their daughter's married and to promote the educational status of poor girls.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.50,000/- and gold coin of 8 grams. The bride should have passed Degree / Diploma, at the time marriage. The bride should have completed 18 years and bridegroom should have completed 21 years at the time of marriage. Only one daughter

of the poor widow is eligible. Application should be received before 40 days or atleast one day prior to the marriage incase of un avoidable circumstances.

Documents to be enclosed

10th Marksheet, Degree/Diploma, Transfer & Provisional Certificate, Widow Certificate, Husband Death Certificate, Income Certificate, Marriage invitation, Passport size photo of the applicant and community Certificate.

### **3. Dr. DHARMAMAL AMMAIYAR NINAIVU WIDOW REMARRIAGE ASSISTANCE SCHEME**

The Dr. Dharmambal Ammaiyar Ninaivu Widow remarriage Assistance Scheme is being implemented by the Tamil Nadu Government for rehabilitating the life of destitute widows in the society.

#### **SCHEME – I**

Objectives of the Schemes

To encourage remarriage of widows to ensure their rehabilitation.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.15,000/-, NSC Bond of Rs.10,000/-, and gold coin of 8 grams. Age limit 20 to 40 years. Should apply with in 6 months from the date of marriage.

Documents to be enclosed

Death Certificate of the First husband of the remarried widow, Marriage Photo, Widow Certificate, 1st and 1nd Marriage invitation of the remarried widow, Community Certificate, No Income limit.

#### **SCHEME – II**

Objectives of the Schemes

To encourage remarriage of widows to ensure their rehabilitation.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.30,000/- NSC Bond of Rs.20,000/-, and gold coin of 8 grams.

Documents to be enclosed

The bride should have passed Degree/Diploma, at the time of marriage. No Income limit. Age 20 to 40 years. Should apply with in 6 Months from the date of marriage.

Documents to be enclosed

Death Certificate of the first husband of the remarried widow. Marriage Photo, Widow Certificate, 1st and 2nd Marriage invitation of the remarried widow, Community Certificate, 10th Marksheet, Degree/Diploma Marksheet and Transfer Certificate.

#### **4. ANNAI TERESA NINAIVU ORPHAN GIRLS MARRIAGE ASSISTANCE SCHEME**

The Annai Teresa Ninaivu Orphan Girls Marriage Assistance Scheme is being implemented by the Tamil Nadu Government to improve the educational status of the poor orphan girls. The assistance is given to girls who have completed 10th Standard, +2, Diploma or Degree.

##### **SCHEME – I**

Objectives of the Schemes

To financially help the orphan girls at the time of their marriage.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.25,000/- and gold coin of 8 grams. The bride should have passed 10th or no education qualification required. The bride should have completed 18 years and bridegroom should have completed 21 years at the time of marriage. Only one daughter of the poor widow is eligible. Application should be received before 40 days or at least one day prior to the marriage incase of un avoidable circumstances.

Documents to be enclosed

Certificate showing that the applicant is a total Orphan or Father and Mother Death Certificate, Guardian's Income Certificate, Age Certificate of the Applicant, Marriage Invitation, Passport Size Photo, Ration Card Photo Copy.

##### **SCHEME – II**

Objectives of the Schemes

To financially help the Orphan girls at the time of their marriage.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.50,000/- and gold coin of 8 grams. The bride should have passed Degree / Diploma, at the time marriage. The bride should have completed 18 years and bridegroom should have completed 21 years at the time of marriage. Only one daughter of the poor widow is eligible. Application should be received before 40 days or at least one day prior to the marriage incase of un avoidable circumstances.

Documents to be enclosed

Certificate showing that the applicant is a total Orphan and Death Certificate of Father, Death Certificate of Mother, 10th Marksheet, Degree/Diploma Transfer & Provisional Certificate, Community Certificate, Guardian's Income Certificate, Marriage Invitation, Passport Size Photo, Ration Card Photo Copy.

#### **5. Dr. MUTULAKSHMI REDDY MEMORIAL INTER CASTE MARRIAGE ASSISTANCE SCHEME**

The Dr. Dharmambal Ammiyar Ninaivu Widow remarriage assistance scheme is being implemented by the Tamil Nadu Government to abolish untochability in the community. Inter caste marriage Assistance Scheme.

### **SCHEME – I**

Objectives of the Schemes

This scheme aims to abolish caste based discrimination.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.15,000/-, NSC Bond of Rs.10,000/-, and gold coin of 8 grams. The bride should have completed 18 years and bridegroom should have completed 21 years at the time of marriage. Should apply with in 2 years from the date of marriage.

Documents to be enclosed

Marriage Invitation or Marriage Registration Certificate, Marriage Photo, Age Certificate of the bride, Community certificate of the bride & bride groom, Nativity Certificate of the bride and bride groom, No Income limit.

### **SCHEME – II**

Objectives of the Schemes

This scheme aims to abolish caste based discrimination.

Assistance Provided and eligibility

Cheque of Rs.30,000/- NSC Bond of Rs.20,000/-, and gold coin of 8 grams. 18 years and bridegroom should have completed 21 years at the time of marriage. Should apply with in 2 years from the date of marriage.

Documents to be enclosed

10th Marksheet, Degree/Diploma Marksheet and Transfer Certificate, Marriage Invitation, Marriage Registration Certificate, Marriage Photo, Age Certificate of the bride, Marriage Photo, Age Certificate of the bride, Community Certificate of the bride & bridegroom, Nativity Certificate of the bride and bridegroom, No Income limit.

#### **6. SATHIYAVANIMUTHU AMMAIYAR NINAIVU FREE SUPPLY OF SEWING MACHINE SCHEME**

Free supply of Sewing Machine Scheme is being implemented by the Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department., in order to enhance the income of widows, deserted wives, women from economically weaker sections, differently abled men and women, and socially affected women through self-employment.

#### **7. CHIEF MINISTER'S GIRL CHILD PROTECTION SCHEME**

This scheme aims to Promote enrollment and retention of the girl child in school and to ensure her education at least up to High School level, Encourage girls to get married only after the age of 18 years, Encourage parents to adopt family planning methods after two children, Protect the rights of the girl child and provide social and financial

empowerment of girl child and Strengthen the role of the family in improving the status of the girl child.

#### **SCHEME – I**

An amount of Rs.50,000/- is deposited in the name of the girl child born on or after 01-08-2011, in the form of fixed deposit with the Tamil Nadu Power Finance and Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited, for a family with one girl child only.

#### **SCHEME – II**

An amount of Rs.25,000/- is deposited in the names of two girl children born on or after 01-08-2011 in the form of fixed deposits with Tamil Nadu Power Finance and Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited, for a family with two girl children only. The copy of the fixed deposit receipts are given to the family of the girl children. To receive the benefit under this scheme i.e., maturity amount, the girl child should appear for the SSLC Exam conducted by the State Government and should have completed 18 years of age.

**TAMIL NADU THIRD GENDERS WELFARE BOARD**

The Government has taken initiatives in interests of the welfare of Third Genders so as to mainstream them in all walks of social life. The Government has implemented various schemes for the educational and financial development of the third genders. Third genders after undergoing medical examination by the medical board are issued identify cards, Further, third genders self help groups are given loan for economic development there also given training on economic generation activities, Housing sites pattas and houses will be given through slum clearance board.