



PERFORMANCE BUDGET

2022 – 2023

**BACKWARD CLASSES,
MOST BACKWARD CLASSES AND
MINORITIES WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

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1. INTRODUCTION

The Government of Tamil Nadu is implementing various welfare schemes for the benefit of Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes, Denotified Communities and Minorities.

As education is basic for social and economical advancement, the Government is making significant budget allocation for implementation of various educational schemes.

The Department of Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities welfare is headed by the Secretary to Government at the Government level. The Director of Backward Classes Welfare, Director of Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities and the Director of Minorities welfare are responsible for the implementation of the welfare schemes intended for the upliftment of Backward Classes and Most Backward Classes / Denotified Communities and Minorities Welfare respectively in the State.

These schemes are implemented at the district level through the District Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Officers, functioning under the immediate administrative control of the District Collectors. The schemes intended for the welfare of Piramalai Kallars in Madurai, Theni and Dindigul Districts are implemented through the Joint Director (Kallar reclamation) with Headquarters at Madurai.

The Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Economic Development Corporation (TABCEDCO) was formed in 1982 for the economic development of the people belonging to Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities in the State.

The Government have also formed the Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation (TAMCO) during 1999-2000 for the economic development of the minorities in the State.

The State Minorities Commission has been constituted in the year 1989 to safeguard the interests of the religious and linguistic minorities in the State.

In pursuance of the directions of the Supreme Court, the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission has been constituted under the Chairmanship of a Retired High Court Judge.

Tamil Nadu Vanniyakula Kshatriya Public Charitable Trusts and Endowments Board has been established under the Tamil Nadu Vanniyakula Kshatriya Public Charitable Trusts and Endowments (Protection and Maintenance) Act, 2018 (Tamil Nadu Act No. 44 of 2018).

Tamil Nadu Waqf Board is functioning to maintain and safeguard Waqf properties and to administer the works relating to Waqf. Tamil Nadu State Haj Committee is functioning for making necessary arrangement for successful performance of haj pilgrimage. In order to resolve the disputes relating Waqf properties, Tamil Nadu Waqf Tribunal has been constituted under section 83 of Waqf Act 1995, with the Chairman and two members at Chennai and it is functioning from 06.08.2018.

The Government of Tamil Nadu is making substantial allotment of funds every year for the schemes intended for the welfare of Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities and Minorities in the State.

2. RESERVATION

The reservation policy of the Government enables the Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities people to secure admission in educational institutions and to get employment in the services under the State Government for their social and economical advancement. Reservation provided at present is as follows:

1	Backward Classes	26.5%
2	Backward Class Muslims	3.5 %
3	Most Backward Classes / Denotified Communities	20 %*
4	Scheduled Castes	18%
5	Scheduled Tribes	1%
	TOTAL	69%

*Tamil Nadu Act 8/2021 was enacted to provide 10.5% special reservation for Vanniyakula Kshatriya out of 20% reservation for Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities. Hon'ble Madurai Bench of Madras High Court has quashed the above Act. Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the Special Leave Petitions filed against the order of the High Court has confirmed the above orders of the High Court.

3. LAST FIVE YEARS ALLOTMENT OF FUNDS FOR THE DIRECTORATES OF BACKWARD CLASSES AND MOST BACKWARD CLASSES & DENOTIFIED COMMUNITIES

(Rupees in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Year	BUDGET ALLOTMENT		
		BC	MBC/DNC	Total
1	2017-2018	47503.45	49978.89	97482.34
2	2018-2019	47910.93	49375.70	97286.63
3	2019-2020	41716.16	45716.24	87432.40
4	2020-2021	45173.67	53680.62	98854.29
5	2021-2022	53010.75	56533.04	109543.79

4. SCHOLARSHIP SCHEMES

The following scholarship schemes are implemented for BC/MBC/DNC students.

- a) Pre-matric Scholarship.
- b) Post-matric Scholarship scheme.
- c) Free Education scholarship to three year Degree Courses
- d) Free Education scholarship to three year Diploma Courses in polytechnics.
- e) Free Education scholarship for professional Degree courses.
- f) Scholarship to students studying in listed Central Institution like IIT, IIM, IIIT, NIT, Central Universities etc.,
- g) Scholarship to the BC/MBC/DNC students who admitted under 7.5 % reservation in MBBS / BDS Courses

(i) Expenditure details under various scholarship schemes during the last 5 years

a) Pre-matric scholarship:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl . No	YEAR	ACHIEVEMENTS	
		Beneficiaries	Financial
1.	2017-18	130340	301.08
2.	2018-19	348530	670.71
3.	2019-20	117822	180.05
4.	2020-21	116296	133.68
5.	2021-22	98190	112.92

b) Post-matric scholarships:

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No	YEAR	ACHIEVEMENTS	
		Beneficiaries	Financial
1.	2017-18	228661	8317.93
2.	2018-19	258644	8365.21
3.	2019-20	305073	8202.80
4.	2020-21	314293	6929.06
5.	2021-22	301497	7979.84

C) Free Education (Degree Courses):

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	YEAR	ACHIEVEMENTS	
		Beneficiaries	Financial
1.	2017-18	182165	3069.02
2.	2018-19	180077	3181.93
3.	2019-20	183442	3484.19
4.	2020-21	194268	3730.66
5.	2021-22	196688	4095.36

d) Free Education (Polytechnic):

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No	YEAR	ACHIEVEMENTS	
		Beneficiaries	Financial
1.	2017-18	5314	200.62
2.	2018-19	4687	183.43
3.	2019-20	3664	152.88
4.	2020-21	2848	113.91
5.	2021-22	2528	104.05

e) Free education (Professional Courses):

(Rs.in lakhs)

Sl . No	YEAR	ACHIEVEMENTS	
		Beneficiaries	Financial
1.	2017-18	165088	8343.94
2.	2018-19	148864	7673.97
3.	2019-20	130731	6987.08
4.	2020-21	116148	5362.70
5.	2021-22	114957	5946.61

f) Scholarships to BC, MBC and DNC Students of Tamil Nadu Studying in listed Central Institutes like IIT, IIM, IIIT, NIT and Central Universities

A scheme of sanctioning scholarship to the Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities students of Tamil Nadu studying UG/PG courses in listed Central Institutes like IIT, IIM, IIIT, NIT and Central Universities all over India including Tamil Nadu is being implemented by the Government. Scholarship up to Rs.2 lakh per student is sanctioned under the scheme. Annual parental income ceiling for this scheme is Rs. 2.5 lakh. During the year 2021-22 a sum of Rs.282.07 lakh was spent for the benefit of 339 students.

g) Scholarships to BC/MBC/DNC students who admitted under 7.5 % reservation in MBBS / BDS Courses

The Postmatric Scholarship pertaining to Govt School Students who are admitted in MBBS /BDS courses under 7.5 % reservation are reimbursed to Directorate of Medical Education. During the year 2021-22 a sum of Rs.1151.30 lakh was spent for the benefit of 317 students studied in the year 2020-21.

(ii) Details of total expenditure incurred and number of students benefitted under scholarship schemes during the last 5 years.

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No	YEAR	ACHIEVEMENTS	
		Beneficiaries	Financial
1.	2017-18	711568	20232.59
2.	2018-19	940802	20075.25
3.	2019-20	740732	19006.96
4.	2020-21	743853	16270.01
5.	2021-22	714516	19672.16

(iii) Government of India scholarship schemes

The Government of India Scholarship Schemes for Other Backward Classes in Tamil Nadu are being implemented from the year 2003-04. Details of expenditure for the last 5 years are as follows.

a) Pre-matric scholarship (Centrally shared scheme 50:50 basis)

(Rs.in lakh)

Sl. No.	Year	Allotment	Expenditure
1.	2017-18	380.98	380.98
2.	2018-19	1180.50	1180.50
3.	2019-20	2470.00	2470.00
4.	2020-21	2840.00	2613.50
5.	2021-22	5389.52	653.05

b) Post-matric scholarships (Centrally Sponsored Scheme - 100% Government of India assistance)

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No	Year	Allotment	Expenditure
1.	2017-18	4550.00	4997.98
2.	2018-19	6142.00	6142.00
3.	2019-20	7575.00	7575.00
4.	2020-21	11481.00	11481.00

For the year 2021-2022, under the scheme Rs.16,079 lakh has been allotted by Union Government.

c) Dr.Ambedkar Prematric and Postmatric Scholarship Scheme (Centrally and State shared scheme 75 : 25 basis)

This Prematric and Postmatric Scholarship scheme of Government of India is implemented for Denotified Communities in TamilNadu from the year 2019-20 onwards.

During the last 3 years, Rs.732.63 lakh allotment has been received and spent under this scheme.

5. KALLAR RECLAMATION SCHOOLS

The People belonging to Piramalai Kallar Community are predominantly concentrated in Madurai, Dindigul and Theni Districts of Tamil Nadu. For educational advancement of the Piramalai Kallar Community people, 295 Kallar reclamation schools are functioning in these three districts. About 27,607 students are studying in these schools.

(i) Number of Kallar Reclamation schools

Category	Districts			
	Madurai	Theni	Dindigul	Total
Primary schools	105	62	46	213
Middle schools	10	7	5	22
High schools	15	4	3	22
Higher secondary schools	19	11	8	38
Total	149	84	62	295

(ii) Students Strength in Kallar Reclamation schools

Sl. No	Category of schools	Number of schools	Boys	Girls	Total
1.	Elementary (1 st std to 5 th std) including KG Classes	213	5334	5161	10495
2.	Middle Schools	22	793	788	1581
3.	High schools	22	1477	1279	2756
4.	Higher secondary schools	38	6894	5881	12775
	TOTAL	295	14498	13109	27607

(iii) Kindergarten classes (LKG and UKG) in Kallar Reclamation Schools.

Lower Kindergarten English medium classes were started and functioning in 15 Kallar Reclamation Primary Schools in Madurai, Theni and Dindigul districts at the rate of 5 schools in each district. Further, English medium classes were started and functioning from 6th standard in 15 Kallar Reclamation Higher Secondary schools and English medium classes are conducted up to 8th standard in these schools.

Orders were issued to start English Medium classes in 9th standard in the 15 Kallar Reclamation schools from the academic year 2022-2023. Further, in the year 2021-2022, English medium classes have been started in 1st standard in all the 225 Kallar Reclamation Schools having 1st standard. In the academic year 2021-2022, 1709 students are studying in English Medium classes.

District	LKG			UKG			1 st Std to 5 th Std English Medium			6 th Std to 8 th Std English Medium			Grand Total
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	
Madurai	32	34	66	45	45	90	142	128	270	132	71	203	629
Theni	47	36	83	54	45	99	137	137	274	84	127	211	667
Dindigul	17	20	37	43	37	80	124	98	222	45	29	74	413
Total	96	90	186	142	127	269	403	363	766	261	227	488	1709

(iv) Pass percentage of Kallar reclamation schools in 10th, 11th and 12th standard Public Examination for the academic year 2020-2021

Sl. No	District	10 th Standard			11 th Standard			12 th Standard		
		Appeared for exam	Passed	Percentage	Appeared for exam	Passed	Percentage	Appeared for exam	Passed	Percentage
1	Madurai	318	318	100	1110	1110	100	1126	1126	100
2	Theni	489	489	100	509	509	100	470	470	100
3	Dindigul	377	377	100	365	365	100	337	337	100
	Total	1184	1184	100	1984	1984	100	1933	1933	100

* Owing to Pandemic Covid-19, the Government have announced 100 % pass for all the students of standard 10th, 11th and 12th Standard during the year 2020-2021.

(v) Award of cash incentive to the PG/BT Teachers of Kallar reclamation schools who achieve 100% pass percentage in their subject in Std X and XII Public Exam.

Details of prizes awarded during the years 2017-2018, 2018-2019, 2019-2020, 2020-2021 and 2021-2022 are as follows.

Sl. No	Details of Teachers	2017-2018 Financial year		2018-2019 Financial year		2019-2020 Financial year		2020-2021 Financial year	
		Phys-ical	Expr (Rs)	Phys-ical	Expr (Rs)	Phys-ical	Expr (Rs)	Phys-ical	Expr (Rs)
1.	B.T. Assistant	198	990000	191	955000	191	955000	---	----
2.	P.G. Assistant	229	1145000	225	1125000	271	1355000	235	1175000
	Total	427	2135000	416	2080000	462	2310000	235	1175000

* Owing to Pandemic Covid -19, the Government have announced 100% pass for all 10th, 11th and 12th students who studied during the year 2020-21. As such the prizes for the BT Assistants/PG Assistants had not been awarded during the year 2021-22.

(vi) Distribution of prizes with certificate of appreciation to the Headmasters of Kallar high/ higher secondary schools who achieve 95% and above pass percentage in 10th and 12th std., Public examinations.

Sl. No	Financial Year	10 th STD		12 th STD	
		Physical	Financial (Rs.)	Physical	Financial (Rs.)
1	2017-18	43	430000	20	200000
2	2018-19	40	400000	18	180000
3	2019-20	39	390000	28	280000
4	2020-21	-	-	17	170000

Owing to Pandemic Covid -19, the Government have announced 100% pass for all 10th, 11th and 12th Std students who studied during the year 2020-21. As such, prizes for the High School/Higher Secondary School Head Masters had not been awarded during the year 2021-2022.

(vii) Financial allotment for major repair works in Kallar schools

A sum of Rs.100 lakh is allotted every year to carry out maintenance and repair works in Kallar Reclamation School Buildings. During the year 2021-2022 additional funds of Rs.600 lakh have been sanctioned and

maintenance works are being carried out in 104 Kallar reclamation schools at an estimated cost of Rs.700 lakh.

(viii) Provision of Infrastructure facilities to Kallar reclamation schools

by obtaining loan assistance from NABARD under RIDF scheme.

Orders have been issued for providing infrastructural facilities to 92 KR schools at cost of Rs. 5,009.18 lakh through NABARD loan assistance under RIDF XXVII for the year 2021-2022 and works are being carried out.

(ix) Administrative expenditure incurred for Kallar Reclamation schools during the last 5 years

Year	Expenditure (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	9136.24
2018-19	10626.34
2019-20	11780.62
2020-21	12169.78
2021-22	12091.30

6. DISTRIBUTION OF UNIFORM

Hostel students studying upto 10th std. are supplied with 4 sets of uniform every year.

Year	No of students benefitted			Expenditure (Rs. in lakh)		
	BC	MBC/DNC	Total	BC	MBC/DNC	Total
2016-17	26742	22445	49187	286.48	170.10	456.58
2017-18	22354	20711	43065	234.05	109.46	343.51
2018-19	20291	17517	37808	244.98	224.73	469.71
2019-20	19750	18811	38561	275.50	264.40	539.90
2021-22	15603	10088	25691	133.37	223.59	356.96

7. HOSTELS

As many as 1354 hostels for Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes, Denotified Communities and Minorities are functioning in the State. Of these hostels, 734 hostels are administered by the Department of Backward Classes Welfare, 602 hostels are administered by the Department of Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities and 18 hostels are administered by the Department of Minorities Welfare. These 1354 hostels facilitate 86514 boarders to stay and to continue their studies.

(i) Details of Hostels with sanctioned strength of Boarders.

Sl. No.	Dept	Hostels	No. of Hostels			Sanctioned Strength of Students		
			Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
1	BC	College	83	63	146	7540	4960	12500
		School	380	208	588	21505	11660	33165
		Total	463	271	734	29045	16620	45665
2	MBC	College	43	52	95	3550	4665	8215
		School	238	113	351	12800	6225	19025
		Total	281	165	446	16350	10890	27240
3	DNC	College	12	8	20	1005	640	1645
		School	90	46	136	7024	3440	10464
		Total	102	54	156	8029	4080	12109
4	MW	College	1	13	14*	100	1050	1150
		School	0	4	4	0	350	350
		Total	1	17	18	100	1400	1500
5	Grand Total	College	139	136	275	12195	11315	23510
		School	708	371	1079	41329	21675	63004
		Total	847	507	1354	53524	32990	86514

(* Out of 14 Minorities hostels, 9 are college girls hostel. 5 Hostels are both for college and school girl boarders)

Admitted students strength

Sl. No.	Dept	Hostels	Admitted Strength of Students		
			Boys	Girls	Total
1	BC	College	6716	4309	11025
		School	17417	9757	27174
		Total	24133	14066	38199
2	MBC	College	3233	4098	7331
		School	11473	5709	17182
		Total	14706	9807	24513
3	DNC	College	663	536	1199
		School	5019	2635	7654
		Total	5682	3171	8853
4	MW	College	56	730	786
		School	0	180	180
		Total	56	910	966
College			10668	9673	20341
School			33909	18281	52190
Total			44577	27954	72531

(ii) Admission of boarders in hostels

School Hostels	4 th Std to 12 th Std
College Hostels	ITI, Diploma, Degree and Post Graduate courses

(iii) Food charges

The food charges for school boarders is Rs.1000/- per month and food charges for college boarders is Rs. 1100/- per month.

(iv) Special Food Charges

In order to provide Special Food to the inmates of Hostels during festivals such as Pongal, Republic day, Tamil New Year, Independence Day and Deepawali, Rs.80/- in respect of each College hostel boarders and Rs.40/- in respect of School hostel boarders are sanctioned for every festival.

(v) Miscellaneous Charges

During the year 2021-2022, the monthly miscellaneous charges sanctioned to the boarders for soap, toothpaste, etc., has been increased from Rs.50 to Rs.100 per month for school hostel boarders and from Rs.75 to Rs.150 for college hostel boarders.

(vi) State level awards to the best three Hostels and Staff.

In order to encourage the Wardens/Matronns and other staff to maintain the hostels in a hygienic manner, Shield and Memento are awarded to the best three hostels and cash prizes are awarded to the staff of these hostels. The details of cash prizes awarded to hostel staff is given below:

Sl. No	Category	First Prize (Rs)	Second Prize (Rs)	Third Prize (Rs)
1.	Warden/Matron	20,000	15,000	10,000
2.	Servant cum Watchman	10,000	5,000	3,000
3.	Cook	10,000	5,000	3,000
4.	Sanitary workers	5,000	3,000	2,000

The cost for awarding Shield and Memento to the best 3 hostels are as follows:-

First Prize (Rs)	Second Prize (Rs)	Third Prize (Rs)
10,000	5,000	3,000

Details of expenditure incurred during the last 5 years are as follows.

Year	Expenditure (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	0.10
2018-19	0.10
2019-20	1.37
2020-21	1.37
2021-22	1.37

vii) District level Awards

In order to encourage the better functioning of the hostels, a new scheme of awarding prizes at district level has been introduced in the year 2021-2022. Under the scheme, 3 best Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities hostels at each district and 3 best hostels among Kallar Reclamation hostels are selected annually and Mementos to hostels and cash prizes to Wardens/Matrons are awarded. Wardens/Matrons are awarded Rs.10,000, Rs.5,000 and Rs.3,000 as first, second and third prizes respectively.

(viii) Administrative expenditure incurred for hostels during the last 5 years.

(Rs. in lakh)

YEAR	BC	MBC	TOTAL
2017-18	12921.89	10683.60	23605.49
2018-19	13675.95	11548.17	25224.12
2019-20	14844.56	12277.53	27122.09
2020-21	10859.70	8632.40	19492.10
2021-22	12898.76	10441.57	23340.33

(ix) Details of funds allotted for the construction of Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified communities hostels constructed under the state and centrally shared schemes

Year	Amount allotted by Central	Amount released from Central Govt.	No. of hostels
2012-13	276.37	276.37	5
2013-14	805.00	805.00	14
2014-15	470.17	446.66	6
2015-16	456.43	228.21	5
2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22	2115.00	1057.50	12

From the year 2014-15, the Government of India allocates 60 % of the total estimate cost of construction of buildings to boys hostel and 90% of the total estimate cost of construction of buildings to girls hostel buildings.

8. BOARDING GRANTS

The Government is providing boarding grants for 10 months in a year to the students of Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities staying in the 39 Government recognized private hostels, subject to the condition that their annual parental income does not exceed Rs.2,00,000/-. The Government is providing boarding grants Rs.1,000/- per month per student.

Details of students benefitted and expenditure incurred during the last 5 years are as follows.

YEAR	No. of students			Expenditure (Rs. in lakh)		
	BC	MBC/ DNC	TOTAL	BC	MBC/ DNC	TOTAL
2017-2018	567	502	1069	36.85	32.61	69.46
2018-2019	487	442	929	43.84	39.78	83.62
2019-2020	486	466	952	43.81	42.00	85.81
2020-2021	486	466	952	9.18	7.32	16.50
2021-2022	480	500	980	16.39	14.60	30.99

9. DISTRIBUTION OF BI-CYCLES

Bicycles are supplied at free of cost to the Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes, Denotified Communities and Minority students studying 11th standard in Government, Government aided and partly aided schools without any income ceiling except for students staying in the hostels situated in the school premises and students of residential Schools.

Action is being taken to distribute 4,00,210 bicycles to BC,MBC,DNC and Minorities students who are studying 11th standard for the academic year 2021-2022 in Govt , Govt Aided Schools, Partially Aided Schools at a cost of Rs.15780.08 lakh.

(Rs. in lakh)

DETAILS OF DISTRIBUTION OF BICYCLES										
Year	Backward Classes				Most Backward Classes				Total no. of students (Both BCs and MBCs)	Expenditure incurred (Both BCs and MBCs)
	No. of students (Boys)	Expenditure incurred	No. of students (Girls)	Expenditure incurred	No. of students (Boys)	Expenditure incurred	No. of students (Girls)	Expenditure incurred		
2013-14	108314	3699.35	143561	4797.18	89742	3119.61	108747	3752.91	450364	15369.05
2014-15	101267	3671.36	133652	4718.67	85388	2979.66	103539	3512.55	423846	14882.24
2015-16	107735	3990.81	139396	5167.37	96435	3431.16	111005	4049.19	455471	16638.59
2016-17	100480	4114.36	129964	5204.69	92668	3560.20	117757	4436.23	440869	17315.48
2017-18 & 2018-19	165889	5923.52	229311	7966.95	150844	5679.67	193592	7113.20	739636	26683.34
2019-20	80947	3272.68	109351	4222.04	75988	3072.19	96207	3714.55	362493	14281.48
2020-21	85178	3443.74	113028	4374.98	80512	3255.10	98568	3805.71	377286	14879.34
2021-22*	93191	3767.71	117648	4542.39	87017	3518.10	102354	3951.89	400210	15780.08

* Action is being taken to distribute 4,00,210 bicycles to BC,MBC,DNC and Minorities, students who are studying 11th standard for the academic year 2021-2022 in Govt , Govt Aided Schools, Partially Aided Schools at a cost of Rs.15780.08 Lakhs.

10. DENOTIFIED COMMUNITIES WELFARE BOARD

Government has formed the Denotified Communities welfare board during the year 2007 to uplift the people belonging to Denotified communities, socially, educationally and economically by providing assistance under various schemes implemented by the Government.

There are 35,194 registered members in the board including 235 members registered in the year 2021-2022.

A sum of Rs.95.24 lakh has been sanctioned as financial assistance to 3,533 members. Details of assistance given during the last 5 years are as follows:

Year	Expenditure (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	2.66
2018-19	7.42
2019-20	9.83
2020-21	2.77
2021-22	14.33

To implement various welfare schemes to the people belonging to Valayar, Ambalakarar (including Servai) communities, the Government issued orders to establish Valayar, Ambalakarar (including Servai) Reclamation Board.

11. NARIKORAVAR WELFARE BOARD

Government has formed the Tamil Nadu Narikoravar welfare board during the year 2008-09 to provide various welfare assistance in the field of education and alternative livelihood to the Narikoravars.

There are 15,776 registered members in the board including 200 members registered in the year 2021-2022.

A sum of Rs.798.49 lakh has been sanctioned as financial assistance to 14,118 members.

Details of assistance given during the last 5 years are as follows.

Year	Expenditure (Rs. in lakhs)
2017-18	75.00
2018-19	17.07
2019-20	18.36
2020-21	8.25
2021-22	17.14

12. TAMIL NADU VANNIYAKULA KSHATRIYA PUBLIC CHARITABLE TRUSTS AND ENDOWMENTS BOARD

To identify and integrate various charitable trusts bequeathed by the Vanniyar philanthropists and to find ways and means to fulfill the objectives of the trusts the Government had formed the Vanniyar Public Property Welfare Board in the year 2009.

To safeguard the properties of such trusts and endowments created by persons or organizations of Vanniyakula Kshatriya Community an act namely "The Tamil Nadu Vanniyakula Kshatriya Public Charitable Trusts and Endowments (Protection and Maintenance) Act 2018" has been enacted. The Act came into force on 04.02.2019.

To enforce this Act, the Government have constituted "The Tamil Nadu Vanniyarkula Kshatriya Public Charitable Trusts and Endowments Board" consisting of Chairperson, 12 Members including two Ex-Officio Members and Member- Secretary. In the year 2021-2022, Government sanctioned Rs.100 lakh to this Board to meet out the administrative expenses.

The Board has identified 97 Trusts till 2020-2021. Subsequently during 2021-2022, 22 new trusts have been identified by the Board. In all, 119 trusts have been identified in 25 districts. Out of the identified trusts, 28 new trusts were registered with this Board during 2021-2022 and so far, totally 64 trusts are registered with this Board. Action is being taken to register the remaining trusts with the Board.

The Board has so far, published the list of 97 properties measuring an extent of 3,01,679.5 square meters belonging to 17 Vanniyakula Kshatriya Public Charitable Trusts/Endowments in the Tamil Nadu Government Gazette. Action is being taken by the Board to publish the list of properties of remaining registered trusts in the Government Gazette.

13. THANTHAI PERIYAR AWARD FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE

The Government is honouring those who made outstanding contribution for social justice in Tamil Nadu with Thanthai Periyar Award for social justice every year. The awardee is selected by the Hon'ble Chief Minister every year. The awardee was awarded a gold medal of 1 sovereign and a cash prize of Rs.1 lakh. The cash prize of Rs.1 lakh has been increased to Rs.5 lakh in the year 2021-2022. Thus the awardee is awarded a gold medal of 1 sovereign and a cash prize of Rs.5 lakh. For the year 2021, Thanthai Periyar Award has been awarded to Thiru K. Thirunavukarasu.

14. INCENTIVE SCHEME FOR MBC/DNC RURAL GIRL STUDENTS

In order to reduce dropouts among the girl children in rural areas and to encourage them to continue their studies an incentive of Rs.500 per year is given to rural girl students of Most Backward classes and Denotified communities, studying in III to V standard and Rs.1,000 per year is given to girl students studying in VI Standard from the year 1999-2000. Parental income limit has been enhanced from Rs.72,000/- to Rs.1,00,000/- per annum to get benefit under this scheme during the year 2021-2022.

Details of students benefitted and expenditure incurred during the last 5 years are as follows.

Year	No of girl students benefitted	Expenditure (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	249784	1528.25
2018-19	246302	1588.26
2019-20	256556	1584.61
2020-21	264898	1655.69
2021-22	271641	1674.00

15. DISTRIBUTION OF MOTORIZED SEWING MACHINES

Motorized Sewing machines are distributed at free of cost to the economically poor Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Community people for improving their livelihood. From the year 2021-2022 annual income of the beneficiaries for availing this benefit has been enhanced from Rs.72,000 to Rs.1 lakh.

Details of implementation of the scheme are as follows.

Year	No. of Sewing Machines	Amount (Rs. in lakh)
2016-17	2467	82.76
2017-18	2785	99.50
2018-19	3000	131.38
2019-20	3000	135.00
2020-21	3000	164.00

16. DISTRIBUTION OF BRASS IRON BOXES

Brass Iron Boxes are distributed at free of cost to the economically poor Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Community for improving their livelihood. From the year 2021-2022 annual income of the beneficiaries for availing this benefit has been enhanced from Rs.72,000 to Rs.1 lakh.

Details of beneficiaries and expenditure incurred during the last 5 years are as follows.

Year	No. of Iron boxes	Amount (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	2092	104.97
2018-19	1965	104.97
2019-20	2238	109.00
2020-21	2238	109.00
2021-22	3000	146.13

17. DISTRIBUTION OF HOUSE SITES

House sites are provided to landless poor Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities people. From the year 2021-2022 annual income of the beneficiaries for availing this benefit has been enhanced from Rs.72,000 to Rs.1 lakh.

Details of beneficiaries and expenditure incurred during the last 5 years are as follows.

Year	No. of beneficiaries	Expenditure (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	278	63.87
2018-19	474	220.75
2019-20	300	123.55
2020-21	548	344.43
2021-22	315	293.71

18. TAMIL NADU BACKWARD CLASSES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

The Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Economic Development Corporation established in the year 1982 and it had been providing loan assistance for the economic upliftment of Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes, Denotified Communities at lower rates of interest for establishing trades or business.

From 1993-94 onwards the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Economic Development Corporation had been acting as State Channelizing Agency of the National Backward Classes Finance and Development Corporation (NBCFDC), New Delhi.

Further from the year 1993-94 up to now National Backward Classes Finance and Development Corporation (NBCFDC), New Delhi has allotted a sum of Rs.96,936.27 lakhs and Rs.1,06,414.37 lakhs has been disbursed to 5,01,248 beneficiaries by TABCEDCO with its contribution.

Loan Schemes

The Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Economic Development Corporation is sanctioning loan to individuals, Self Help Groups. District Level screening Committee consisting of the Joint Register of Co-operative Societies, District Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Officer, General Manager of District Industries Centre and Managing Director of the respective District Central Co-operative Banks, selects beneficiaries for various loan schemes.

Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Economic Development Corporation sanctions and disburses loans to beneficiaries through Central Co-operative Banks /Urban Co-operative banks/Primary Agricultural Co-operative Credit Societies.

DETAILS OF LOAN DISBURSED FROM 2018-19 to 2021-22

Rs. lakh

S. No	Nature of Loan Scheme	2018-19		2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
		No. of Beneficiaries	Amount	No. of Beneficiaries	Amount	No. of Beneficiaries	Amount	No. of Beneficiaries	Amount
1	General Term Loan Scheme	479	642.34	882	567.19	363	381.22	401	508.58
2	Micro Credit Scheme	14121	7081.43	17828	9586.16	13683	8857.26	11853	7699.71
3	New Swarnima Scheme	308	146.90	239	134.58	279	163.18	408	231.77
	TOTAL	14908	7870.67	18949	10287.93	14325	9401.66	12662	8440.06

LOAN CUM SUBSIDY SCHEME FOR SMALL AND MARGINAL FARMERS FOR CREATING IRRIGATION FACILITY:

From 2007-2008, loan cum subsidy scheme for the small and marginal farmers belonging to Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Denotified Communities for the creation of irrigation facility by erecting a

new bore-well is also implemented through this Corporation. Beneficiaries are sanctioned loan assistance upto a maximum of Rs.1,00,000/- with Government subsidy of 50% of the loan amount, subject to a maximum of Rs.50,000/- The amount is released as back-ended subsidy, after asset creation. A total amount of Rs.2409.37 lakhs has so far been released as subsidy, benefitting 5117 small and marginal farmers.

For the year 2021-22, Rs.3.50 Crore has been released for providing subsidies to small and marginal farmers for creating irrigation facilities.

DIRECTORATE OF MINORITIES WELFARE

The Government of Tamil Nadu is implementing various welfare schemes with an objective to safeguard the rights of the Minority people and to elevate the socio Educational and Economic status of Minority communities.

19. SEPARATE RESERVATION FOR BACKWARD CLASS MUSLIMS

The Government received various representations from minority communities to provide for separate representation, on which recommendations were obtained from Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission and the Government have enacted the law providing 3.5% reservation to Backward Class Muslims out of the 30% reservation earmarked for Backward Classes in the year 2007. The Government has ordered to follow the carry forward procedure in filling up of posts earmarked for Backward Class Muslims in direct recruitments.

20. MINORITY SCHOLARSHIPS

The following three kinds of scholarship schemes of Government of India are being implemented for the benefit of Minority community students belonging to Muslim, Christian, Sikh, Buddhist, Parsi and Jain religions studying from 1st std to Professional Degree / Research level courses in

Government / Government Aided and in all Government recognized private Institutions.

1.Prematric Scholarship Scheme

2.Postmatric Scholarship Scheme

3.Merit Cum Means Based Scholarship Scheme

Minority students studying from Class I to Professional Courses / Research level Courses are benefited by these scholarships.Government of India funds 100% of the cost of these schemes.Out of the total beneficiaries, 30% is earmarked for girl students.

Students should apply for the scholarship through the website (www.scholarships.gov.in). The scholarship amount for these schemes is directly credited into the students’ bank account through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT).

The details of scholarships are as follows:

Name of the Scholarship	Classes covered	Parent/ Guardian’s Annual Income limit	Eligibility Criteria for availing Scholarship
Prematric	Std. 1 to X	Rs. 1.00 Lakh	students should have secured not less than 50% marks in the previous year final examination
Postmatric	Std. 11 th to Ph.D	Rs. 2.00 Lakh	
Merit-Cum-Means Based	Professional/ Technical Courses	Rs. 2.50 Lakh	

The details of scholarships disbursed to Minority students during the last 5 years are as follows:-

i. PREMATIC SCHOLARSHIP

Year	Number of students	Amount Sanctioned (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	353184	6927.42
2018-19	324556	6674.51
2019-20	376418	7822.96
2020-21	381333	7645.72
2021-22	446640	8611.96

ii. POSTMATIC SCHOLARSHIP

Year	Number of students	Amount Sanctioned (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	39193	2179.23
2018-19	34667	2051.88
2019-20	43233	2592.25
2020-21	44294	2477.32
2021-22	51828	2882.54

iii. MERIT CUM MEANS BASED SCHOLARSHIP

Year	Number of students	Amount Sanctioned (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	6105	1572.19
2018-19	4338	1139.94
2019-20	5675	1469.21
2020-21	5279	1342.39
2021-22	6822	1737.35

iv. Begum Hazrat Mahal National Scholarship for Girls Students

To recognize the students of Minority community who excel in education and encourage them to continue their pre matric and post matric schooling, the “Begum Hazrat Mahal National Scholarship scheme” was introduced by the Union Government in 2003 and is being implemented through the Moulana Azad Educational Trust of the Ministry of Minority Affairs.

In view of implementing the scheme on par with other Minority Scholarship Schemes, Begum Hazrat Mahal National Scholarship Scheme is integrated with National Scholarship Portal from 2021-22 onwards with 100% funding from Government of India.

Girls students who are studying 9th and 10th Standards are sanctioned Rs.5,000 per annum whereas the girls students who are studying 11th and 12th Standards are sanctioned Rs.6,000 per annum and the scholarship amount is directly credited into the students’ bank accounts under DBT Scheme. This scholarship includes admission fee, tuition fee, purchase of books, purchase of stationery and boarding and lodging charges.

During the year 2021-22, applications received from 6,879 students have been forwarded to Union Government for sanction.

21. MINORITY HOSTEL

In order to facilitate minority student to continue their education without any impediments totally 18 Minority hostels are functioning and free boarding and lodging facilities are provided.

(i) Details of Hostels with sanctioned and admitted strength of Boarders

Hostels	No. of Hostels			Sanctioned strength	Admitted Strength
	Boys	Girls	Total		
School Hostels	0	4	4	350	180
School cum College Hostels	0	5	5	250	201
College Hostels	1	8	9	900	585
Total	1	17	18	1500	966

Out of these 18 hostels, 1 is boy hostel (Ambur college boys hostel in Tirupathur District) and 17 are girls hostels. The hostel boarders need not pay any fees and their entire expenditure for boarding and lodging is borne by the Government. In the year 2021-2022, parental annual income ceiling for hostel admission has been enhanced from Rs.1 lakh to Rs.2 lakh.

District Collectors have been empowered to sanction 10% additional strength to the needy hostels. Apart from this, 5 additional seats are allotted in each hostel to accommodate children of Sri Lankan Tamils who reside in camps.

In each hostel 4% seats are allotted to differently abled students. Children who are rescued from child labour practices are admitted in the hostels even during the middle of an academic year.

Children of plantation workers having nativity in Tamil Nadu but working in plantations along the Kerala border adjacent to Theni district have been exempted from producing community and income certificate for admission in the hostels situated in Theni district. They are admitted to the hostels on the basis of self-declaration by the parents.

21.1 Food charges

The Government is sanctioning food charges for hostel boarders at the rate of Rs.1,000 for school students and Rs.1,100 for college students for 10 months in a year.

The Government is sanctioning Rs.40 per student per festival for school hostel boarders and Rs.80 per student per festival for college hostel boarders for providing special food during festivals. Students staying in Minorities hostels are provided with special food during three common festivals of Republic day, Tamil New Year and Independence day. Apart from this, depending on the number of students in the hostel, the Warden/Matron concerned are permitted to provide special food for any of the two festivals from Christmas, Ramzan, Bakrit, Mahaveer Jayanti and Buddha Purnima (G.O. (MS) No.52. BC, MBC & MW Dept (MWRU), Dt.01.11.2021).

Miscellaneous charges of Rs. 100/- per month for school students and Rs. 150/- per month for college students are sanctioned to boarders for purchase of soap, tooth paste, etc. This amount is directly credited into the student's bank account through ECS.

During the year 2021-2022, a sum of Rs.270.22 lakh has been spent towards food charges, administration, maintenance and other expenses for running these hostels.

Details of year wise allotment and expenditure incurred for Hostel administration

Year	Allotment (Rs. in lakh)	Expenditure incurred (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	347.55	324.54
2018-19	383.13	362.65
2019-20	351.74	322.54
2020-21	404.42	189.69
2021-22	402.89	270.22

21.2 Construction of own building for hostels

Out of 18 hostels functioning under this department, 10 hostels are functioning in own buildings. In the remaining 8 hostels, orders were issued for the construction of own buildings to 3 hostels and works are being carried out by Public Works Department and based on the student strength own buildings will be constructed to the remaining 5 hostels.

21.3 Maintenance of Hostel building

Maintenance works in hostels functioning in Government building are taken up through Public Works Department. During the year 2021-2022, special maintenance and repair works were carried out in 3 hostels at a cost of Rs.14.50 lakh through Public Works Department.

22. MUSLIM WOMEN AID SOCIETY

In order to provide assistance to the poor destitute and aged Muslim women, Muslim Women Aid Societies have been formed in all the District Head Quarters of the State in the year 2007 with District Collector as Ex-officio Chairman. These societies are registered under the Societies Registration Act. Matching granted twice amount of donation collected by these societies are sanctioned to each society at the ratio of 1:2 upto a maximum of Rs.20 lakh per annum per society.

Funds available with the societies are used for providing, financial assistance and for imparting training in the field of tailoring, embroidery, shoe making, artisan and other need based training are being given to the destitute widow, poor and aged Muslim women.

An announcement was made in the year 2021-2022, that additional Muslim Women Aid Societies would be formed on need basis. Accordingly, orders were issued to form 3 Muslim Women Aid Societies in Theni, Krishnagiri and Villupuram Districts and seed money of Rs.1 lakh has been provided to each society.

The details of matching grant sanctioned for the past 5 years by the Government are furnished below:

Year	Matching Grant (Rs. in lakh)	Chennai District Matching Grant (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	104.05	11.84
2018-19	126.78	13.32
2019-20	54.50	13.33
2020-21	566.16	20.00
2021-22	416.11	20.00

23. CHRISTIAN WOMEN AID SOCIETY

In order to provide assistance to the poor destitute and aged Christian women, Christian Women Aid Societies have been formed in all the District Head Quarters of the State in the year 2018 with District Collector as Ex-officio Chairman. These societies are registered under the Societies Registration Act. Matching grant twice the amount of donation collected by these societies are sanctioned to each society at the ratio of 1:2 upto a maximum of Rs.20 lakh per annum per society.

Funds available with the societies are used for providing, financial assistance and for imparting training in the field of tailoring, embroidery, shoe making, artisan and other need based training are being given to the destitute widow, poor and aged Christian Women.

An announcement was made in the year 2021-2022, that additional Christian Women Aid Societies would be formed on need basis. Accordingly, orders were issued to form Christian Women Aid Societies in Karur, Madurai and Theni Districts and seed money of Rs.1 lakh has been provided to each society.

The details of matching grant sanctioned for the past 3 years by the Government are furnished below:

Year	Matching Grant (Rs. in lakh)
2019-20	58.50
2020-21	330.00
2021-22	247.49

24. ESTABLISHMENT OF 5 DISTRICT MINORITY WELFARE OFFICES

An announcement was made in the year 2021-2022, that District minority welfare office would be established in 5 minority concentrated districts viz., Chennai, Vellore, Villupuram, Tirunelveli and Coimbatore at a cost of Rs.175.05 lakh. Accordingly, orders have been issued for establishing 5 District minority welfare offices with sanction of posts. (G.O. (MS) No.16. BC, MBC & MW Dept (MWRU), Dt.04.03.2022).

25. ULEMA AND EMPLOYEES WELFARE BOARD

The Ulema and Other Employees Welfare Board was formed during the year 2009 and functioning for the upliftment of educational and economic status of the Ulemas, Aalims, Pesh-Imams, Arabic Teachers, Mothinars, Bilal, and other Employees working in Mosques, Darghas, Burial grounds, Thaikas, Ashurkhanas, Muslim Orphanages and Madarasas in the State (G.O. (Ms) No.74, BC,MBC & MW Dept, Dt. 24.8.2009).

The persons who have completed 18 years and not attained 60 years of age are eligible to get registered as Member of this board. Identity Cards are given to the registered Members of the Board at free of cost. The Identity Cards should be renewed once in 5 years.

There are 13,963 registered members in the board including 1,397 members newly registered in the year 2021-2022.

The scheme wise disbursement of financial assistance to the members of the Board up to 31.03.2022.

Name of the Scheme	Phy.	Fin (Rs.)
Scholarship	1618	2413250
Marriage Assistance	364	726750
Maternity Assistance	305	1819000
Abortion	21	70000
Accident Death	8	635000
Natural Death	172	2615000
Funeral Expenses	179	523000
Reimbursement of cost of Spectacles	1230	615000
Pension	582	8675450
Total	4479	18092450

25.1 Grant for purchase of Two wheelers for Ulemas working in Registered Waqf Institutions.

Orders have been issued to grant Rs.25,000 or 50% of the cost of the vehicle whichever is less to the Ulemas working in the registered Waqf institutions for the purchase of new two wheeler. A sum of Rs.703.50 lakh has been provided for the scheme. So far a sum of Rs.7.75 lakh has been sanctioned as subsidy to 31 ulemas.

25.2 Supply of bicycles to members of Ulemas and Employees Welfare Board

During the year 2021-2022, the Government have ordered that bicycles would be provided to members of the Ulemas and Employees Welfare Board and action is being taken to supply bicycles to members of

the board at a cost of Rs.476.23 lakh.(G.O. (MS) No.67. BC, MBC & MW Dept (MWRU), Dt.18.11.21).

26. SUPPLY OF MOTORIZED SEWING MACHINES TO MINORITIES

During the year 2021-2022, the Government have ordered that 1,000 motorized sewing machines would be provided to poor people belonging to minorities communities for their economic development and action is being taken to supply motorized sewing machines at a cost of Rs.45 lakh.(G.O. (MS) No.90. BC, MBC & MW Dept (MWRU), Dt.09.12.21).

27. CHRISTIAN PRIESTS AND CHURCH EMPLOYEES WELFARE BOARD

An announcement was made in the year 2021-2022, that "Christian Priests and Church Employees Welfare Board" would be established for the benefit of Church Priests and Employees, and action is being taken to establish the board.

28. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR JERUSALEM PILGRIMAGE

The scheme of providing financial assistance for Jerusalem Pilgrimage by all sects of Christians in Tamil Nadu is being implemented by the State. The total number of pilgrims per year is 600. Of this 50 seats are earmarked for Nuns/Sisters. A sum of Rs.60,000 is sanctioned as financial assistance for Nuns/Sisters and Rs.37,000 to other pilgrims. Under this scheme, so far, 4,128 Christians have performed this pilgrimage by availing financial assistance of Rs.825.60 lakh.

The details of beneficiaries performed pilgrimage for the past 5 years are as follows :

Year	No of Beneficiaries performed pilgrimage	Financial Assistance released (Rs. in Lakh)
2017-18	500	100.00
2018-19	570	114.00
2019-20	258	51.60

* Scheme not implemented due to corona pandemic.

29. GRANT IN AID FOR REPAIR AND RENOVATION OF CHURCHES

The scheme of providing financial assistance for Repair and Renovation of Christian churches is being implemented. So far a sum of Rs.700.00 lakh has been allocated for this scheme. Under the scheme so far, a sum of Rs. 65.40 lakh has been released as financial assistance for Repair and Renovation of 25 churches in 18 districts.

During the year 2021-2022, a sum of Rs.6.00 lakhs has been sanctioned as financial assistance for Repair and Renovation of Churches, the details are given below.

Sl. No.	District	Name of the Church	Financial Assistance Sanctioned in (Rs. in lakh)
1.	Madurai	Deva sabaichurch.peraiyur	3.00
2.	Krishnagiri	St.Peters church	3.00
Total			6.00

Year wise Financial Assistance granted under this scheme are furnished below:

Year	No.of Churches	Amount Sanctioned (Rs. in lakh)
2017-18	9	21.70
2018-19	7	17.92
2019-20	2	5.00
2020-21	5	14.78
2021-22	2	6.00
Total	25	65.40

30. SETTING UP OF KABARSTAN AND BURIAL GROUND

Based on the requests of Muslims and Christians, a scheme for acquiring lands for setting up of Kabarstan and Burial ground is implemented. Government has accorded administrative sanction of Rs.100 lakh for this scheme.

31. PRIME MINISTER'S NEW 15 POINT PROGRAMME

The Prime Minister's New 15 Point Programme is being implemented to ensure equitable share are extended to Minorities in proportion to their population under various schemes in Tamil Nadu.

A State Level Committee under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary and District Level Committee under the Chairmanship of the District Collector have been constituted to monitor an review this schemes implemented by various Department.

The scheme wise progress under Prime Minister's New 15 point programme are given below.

I. EQUITABLE AVAILABILITY OF ICDS SERVICES (SW & WE Dept.)

In Tamil Nadu 54439 Anganwadi centers (Main anganwadi Centers – 49499 and Mini Anganwadi Centers – 4940) are functioning under the control of Social Welfare and Women Empowerment Department. 3416008 children are benefitted, of which 263311 children belong to minority communities. Under this scheme, out of the total expenditure of Rs.161614.43 lakh, a sum of Rs.12457.47 lakh has been spent for the minorities for the year 2021-2022.

II. IMPROVING ACCESS TO SCHOOL EDUCATION (School Education Dept.)

There is no access barrier for the minority children in admission to schools functioning under the control of School Education Department in the State. The areas concentrated with religious and linguistic minority children are served with sufficient number of schools.

The details of achievements made under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) and Kasturibha Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya Schools (KGBVS) schemes for the year 2021-2022 are as follows.

Name of the scheme	Total amount allotted (Rs in Lakh)	Expenditure (Rs. in Lakh)	Percentage of Expr.	Remarks
SSA & KGBV	144003.766	113718.870	78.97	This expenditure is inclusive of Minorities

III. GREATER RESOURCES FOR TEACHING URDU (School Education Department)

Primary/Middle/High and Higher Secondary Schools having Urdu as first language are functioning under the control of Education Department in the State. In these schools, Urdu Teachers have been appointed and students are studying with Urdu as first language.

IV. MODERNIZING MADARASA EDUCATION (School Education Dept.)

The “**Madarasa Modernization Programme**” has been modified as **Infrastructure Development of Minority Institutions (IDMI)**. As per the revised scheme, proposals received from Minority Institutions will be placed in the State Level Grant-in-Aid Committee under the Chairmanship of the Secretary, School Education Department and the Committee would scrutinize, prioritize and recommend proposals to the Government of India for sanction of grant.

V. SCHOLARSHIP FOR MERITORIOUS STUDENTS FROM MINORITY COMMUNITIES

This Government is implementing three kinds of scholarship schemes of Government of India for the students belonging to Minority Communities studying from 1st Std. to Professional Degree/Research level courses in Government / Government Aided and in all recognized private institutions.

(i) PRE-MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP

Under this scheme, scholarships have been awarded for Rs. 8611.96 lakh to the 446640 Minority students studying from 1st to 10th Std during the year 2021-22.

(ii) POSTMATRIC SCHOLARSHIP

Under this scheme, scholarships of Rs.2882.54 lakh have been awarded to the 51828 Minority students studying from 11th Std. to Ph.D. (including ITI, ITC. vocational courses of NCVT, Polytechnic, Diploma in Teacher Training / Nursing, UG and PG level Degree Courses, MPhil) during the year 2021-22.

(iii) MERIT-CUM-MEANS BASED SCHOLARSHIP

Under this scheme, scholarships have been awarded to the 6822 Minority students amounting to Rs.1737.35 lakh studying Professional and Technical courses during the year 2021-22.

VI. IMPROVING EDUCATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE THROUGH MAULANA AZAD EDUCATION FOUNDATION (EDUCATION DEPARTMENT)

Begum Hazrat Mahal National Scholarship for Girls Students

To recognize the students of Minority community who excel in education and encourage them to continue their pre matric and post matric schooling, the “Begum Hazrat Mahal National Scholarship scheme” was introduced by the Union Government in 2003 and is being implemented through the Moulana Azad Educational Trust of the Ministry of Minority Affairs.

In view of implementing the scheme on par with other Minority Scholarship Schemes, Begum Hazrat Mahal National Scholarship Scheme is integrated with National Scholarship Portal from 2021-22 onwards with 100% funding from Government of India.

Under the scheme during the year 2021-22, applications received from 6,879 students have been forwarded to Union Government for sanction.

VII.SELF EMPLOYMENT AND WAGE EMPLOYMENT FOR THE POOR

a. Deendayal AntyodayaYojana – National Rural Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM)

Tamil Nadu State Rural Livelihoods Mission (TNSRLM)

TNSRLM are to build strong and vibrant institutional platforms of the poor in the rural areas which enable them to increase their household incomes through livelihood enhancements and access to financial and other services. Under this scheme the target group comprises of poor and vulnerable sections of the community. The target people are organized into active Community Based Organisations (CBOs) to provide sustainable livelihood opportunities. The Mission activities are funded by Government of India and the State Government in the ratio of 60:40.

i. Formation of new Self Help Groups (SHGs)

During the year 2021-2022, 12000 SHGs (both new and revival) have been formed under TNSRLM. Of which 1800 belongs to Minorities.

ii. Revolving Fund to SHGs

At the rate of Rs.15,000 / - per SHG from 2021-2022, the target has been set at 1800 for 12000 SHGs out of which Rs.0.21 crore has been provided to 140 SGH for minorities.

iii. Community Investment Fund

The target for minorities has been set at 4500 out of 30000 SHGs. Under this scheme, a sum of Rs. 75,000/- per SHG is provided as loan at 9% rate of interest to undertake economic activities. Of which for 254 Minority SHG, Rs.1.27 crore has been sanctioned to Minorities.

b. Skill and Placement Programme

Skill Training with Placement

The skill training has been implemented since 2012 and subsequently the scheme was renamed as Deen Dayal Upathyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana **(DDU-GKY)**.

The training programme is given to the following trade.

Automotive, Health Care, Leather, IT/ITES, Retail, Garments, Banking Financial Services and Insurances (BFSI), Beauty and Wellness, Tourism and Hospitality, Electrical and Electronics, Construction, Farm Equipment Maintenance, Welding, Industry Production and Manufacturing, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, Renewable Energy.

For the year 2020-2021, the total target for beneficiaries was fixed as 10000, of which the target earmarked for minorities is 1600 and financial target is Rs.60.00 crore and Rs.Rs.9.60 crore respectively.

c. Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY- NULM)

Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM) scheme is funded by both the Central and the State Governments in the ratio of 60:40. It aims at reducing poverty and vulnerability of the urban poor households by enabling them to access gainful self-employment and skilled wage employment opportunities.

Details of scheme wise achievement during the year 2021-22 are given below.

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Target for minorities	Achievement on Minorities Target		Percentage of Achievement
			Physical	Financial (Rs. in cr)	
1	Social Mobilization & Institution Development	6000	2559	-	43%
2	Revolving Fund to SHGs	6000	101	0.10	2%
3	Self-Employment Programme-Individual	900	239	1.24	27%
4	Self-Employment Programme - Group	1202	750	16.69	62%
5	Employment & Skill Development Training	2790	-	-	-

VIII. UPGRADATION OF SKILLS THROUGH TECHNICAL TRAINING (Labour and Skill Development Dept.)

Under this scheme, Technical training is given to minority people to upgrade their skills and earning capabilities. New ITIs will be located and existing ITIs will be upgraded as Centers of Excellence in areas where the minority communities are predominantly located.

There are 578 Industrial Training Institutes (Govt. ITIs 91 and Private ITIs 487) functioning in the State and 34521 students studied in these ITIs during the year 2021-22. Of which 3714 students belongs to Minority Communities.

IX. (a) ENHANCED CREDIT SUPPORT FOR ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES (TAMCO)

Loans with low rate of interest are being disbursed to the people belonging to Minority Communities through Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation (TAMCO).

During the year 2021-2022, a total loan amount of Rs.3,618.29 lakh has been disbursed to 6,034 beneficiaries by this corporation.

(b) CREDIT FLOW TO MINORITIES COMMUNITIES THROUGH BANKS (SLBC)

Public Sector Banks should allocate 15% of its sector lending to Minority Communities. Loans amounting to Rs.72838 Crore were disbursed to 2361350 beneficiaries of Minority communities through all banks during the quarter ended 31.12.2021

X. RECRUITMENT TO STATE AND CENTRAL SERVICES

A separate reservation of 3.5% has been given to Backward Class Muslims for appointments in State Govt. services and admission in the educational institutions based on the revised communal rotation.

XI.EQUITABLE SHARE IN RURAL HOUSING SCHEME (Rural Development & Panchayat Raj Dept.)

Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY) scheme provides financial assistance for shelter to the rural poor living below poverty line.

Under this scheme, 200000 houses has been fixed as annual target for the year 2019-20, this has been brought forward for the year 2021-2022, of which 10000 houses and Rs.12000 lakh has been allocated for minorities and the work has been carried out continuously and construction of 1328

houses to the tune of Rs.2020.89 lakh have been completed by the Rural Development & Panchayat Raj Department.

XII. IMPROVEMENT IN CONDITION OF SLUMS INHABITED BY MINORITY COMMUNITIES (Housing & Urban Development Dept.)

Under Government of India's housing for all, for the year 2021-2022 a target of constructing 5000 houses at an outlay of Rs.25000 lakh for the Minorities Communities has been fixed, and 4000 houses at an expenditure of Rs.20000 lakh has been constructed for the benefit of Minority Communities. 100 % of the target achieved.

XIII & XIV. PREVENTION OF COMMUNAL INCIDENTS AND PROSECUTION FOR COMMUNAL OFFENCES

As per the guidelines of the Government of India, Nodal cell was set-up in the office of the Director General of Police. The Superintendent of Police, CID (Special Branch), Chennai-4 has been appointed as Nodal officer. This cell takes all precautionary steps to prevent communal violence in the State by collecting and maintaining necessary details.

XV. REHABILITATION OF VICTIMS OF COMMUNAL RIOTS

With a view to give a new hope of life to the minority families who have lost their livelihood due to communal riots and to assist the discharged prisoners of petty offences to lead a decent life in the society, a rehabilitation scheme is being implemented. Under this scheme, financial assistance is given upto Rs.10,000/- per family to set-up petty trades.

So far, Rs.1.40 lakh has been spent to 14 beneficiaries of the discharged prisoners of petty offences.

32. PRADHAN MANTRI JAN VIKAS KARYAKRAM (PMJVK)

The Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK) aims to improve socio-economic conditions of the Minorities by providing basic amenities

to them for improving the quality of life of the people and reducing imbalances in the identified Minority Concentrated Areas. Projects under the scheme would be related to creation of infrastructure mainly in the sectors of education, health and skill development. The scheme is being implemented in the Minority concentrated areas(25% of Minority Population in the area) which have been identified by the Ministry of Minority Affairs based on census 2011.

The scheme is implemented in the following 4 blocks and 18 towns notified by the Ministry of Minority Affairs as Minority Concentrated Areas:

1. List of Blocks

Sl.No	District	Panchayat
1.	Ramanathapuram	Thiruvaadani
2.	Ramanathapuram	Mandapam
3.	Nilgiris	Gudalur
4.	Pudukkottai	Manamelkudi

2. List of Towns

Sl.No	District	Sl.No	Urban areas
1.	Coimbatore	1.	Kurichi
		2.	Kuniamuthur
2.	Dindigul	3.	Dindigul
3.	Vellore	4.	Vellore
		5.	Pernampattu
4.	Ranipet	6.	Melvisharam
5.	Nagapattinam	7.	Nagapattinam
6.	Ramanathapuram	8.	Keelakarai
7.	Tirunelveli	9.	Tirunelveli
8.	Thoothukudi	10.	Thoothukudi
		11.	Kayalpattinam
9.	Tirupathur	12.	Ambur
		13.	Vaniyambadi
10.	Karur	14.	Pallapatti
11.	Tenkasi	15.	Tenkasi
		16.	Kadayanallur
12.	Kanniyakumari	17.	Kollancode
		18.	Nagercoil

The fund sharing pattern between Union and State would be in the ratio of 60:40. Further 80% of the resources under this programme would be utilized for projects related to education, health and skill development of which atleast 33-40% will be earmarked for creation of assets/facilities for women/girls.

Among the other admissible projects under this scheme, infrastructures like Construction of Sadbhav Mandap, residential school, smart class facility, construction of additional classrooms in existing Government ITIs / polytechnics, providing health care facilities, construction of school buildings, construction of working women hostels, construction of hostels in State/Union Government Universities and establishing coaching classes within the premises of Universities, providing computers with internet facilities to Government recognized Madrasa schools, etc. and various infrastructural facilities recognized by Ministry of Minority Affairs will be provided in the selected Minority Concentrated Areas.

For the year 2020-2021, approval has been accorded for implementing 61 projects in 11 districts of Tamil Nadu at an estimate cost of Rs.4268.79 lakh in which central share and state share of Rs. 2,134.39 lakh has been released as 1st installment for the projects which are under various progress. The details are as follows:

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instale-ment released Total
1.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS centre in Poonga Nagar	1	7.50	3.75
2.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in Thulasi Garden	1	7.50	3.75
3.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in NP Ittery Street	1	7.50	3.75
4.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS centre in AndalThotam	1	7.50	3.75
5.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in Gandhi Nagar, Pillayarpuram.	1	7.50	3.75
6.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS centre in Kondies Colony.	1	7.50	3.75
7.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in M.G.R. Nagar	1	7.50	3.75
8.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in Chithannapuram	1	7.50	3.75
9.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in Mettur School.	1	7.50	3.75
10.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in Annapuram	1	7.50	3.75
11.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in Easwaran Street	1	7.50	3.75
12.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre in Ammanpudur	1	7.50	3.75
13.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centre & Toilet in Middle School Campus at Genesapuram	1	7.50	3.75
14.	Coimbatore	Kuniamputhur (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS centre in Visalakshi Nagar, Ramachettipalayam.	1	7.50	3.75
15.	Coimbatore	Kuniamputhur (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS centre in School Street, Sundakkamuthur	1	7.50	3.75
16.	Coimbatore	Kurichi (M. Corp)	Construction of Toilet Block in Corporation Middle School, Konavaikalpalayam	1	20.00	10.00

Sl. No	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instale-ment released Total
17.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centres Karunanithi Nagar.	1	7.50	3.75
18.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centres Kumaran Thirunagar	1	7.50	3.75
19.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centres Arockiamatha Street, VMR Patti.	1	7.50	3.75
20.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centres Arockiamatha Street, Bodinaichen Patti.	1	7.50	3.75
21.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centres West Marianathapuram, New Street	1	7.50	3.75
22.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centres Poochinaickenpatti	1	7.50	3.75
23.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of ICDS Centres West Care street, kamarajapuram	1	7.50	3.75
24.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of Sub Health Centre Old Maternity Centre, Mariyanathapuram.	1	30.00	15.00
25.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of Sub Health Centre Santhai road MCC Plant near.	1	30.00	15.00
26.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of Sub Health Centre Muthalagupatti Old Maternity Home.	1	30.00	15.00
27.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of Sub Health Centre Madurai Road Old Pump Road (Madurai Road Pettai Road Junction)	1	30.00	15.00
28.	Dindigul	Dindigul (M. Corp)	Construction of Sub Health Centre Baska Ground Left side near ICDS centre	1	30.00	15.00
29.	Kanniyakumari	Nagercoil (Corp)	Construction of 6 Anganvadi Building at Nagarcoil Corporation	1	45.00	22.50

Sl. No	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instale-ment released Total
30.	Kanniyakumari	Nagercoil (C)	Construction of bistershall in Government Ayurveda Medical College, Kottar	1	90.00	45.00
31.	Kanniyakumari	Nagercoil (C)	Construction of Boys reception unit building, Construction of Child welfare Committee building and Construction of Govt. Home for Children	1	716.50	358.25
32.	Kanniyakumari	Kollancod e TP	Construction of Library Building at Govt. HSS Kollancode	1	20.00	10.00
33.	Kanniyakumari	Kollamcode (TP)	Construction of Anganvadi Building at Manjathoppu Village AtKollancode Town Panchayat	1	7.50	3.75
34.	Kanniyakumari	Kollamcode (TP)	Construction of Anganvadi Building at Vallavilai in Kollancode Town Panchayat	1	7.50	3.75
35.	Kanniyakumari	Kollamcode (TP)	Construction of Anganvadi Building at Pazhayamudipurai in Kollancode Town Panchayat	1	7.50	3.75
36.	Kanniyakumari	Kollamcode (TP)	Construction of Toilet for Students (Girls &Boys) to Kollancode Govt. Hr. Sec. School in KollancodePanchayat	1	15.00	7.50
37.	Thoothukudi	Kayalpatt inam (M)	Construction of CSC I in Kayalpattinam Village.	1	140.00	70.00
38.	Karur	Karur (Pallapatti Town)	Construction of New Building for exizting Damaged old building at Health Sub centre Manmari.	1	30.00	15.00
39.	Karur	Hospital Building	Additonal New Building in Government Hospital, Pallapatti Town Panchayat	1	637.20	318.6

Sl. No	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instale-ment released Total
40.	Nagapattinam	Nagapattinam(M)	Construction of CSC @ Nagore Bus Stand	1	140.00	70.00
41.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	Krishnajipattinam Fish drying yard in Krishnajipattinam Panchayat	1	7.46	3.73
42.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	Kottaipattinam Fish Drying Yard in Kottaipattinam panchayat	1	7.55	3.78
43.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	Construction of Anganwadi Building @kottaippattinam Yohop PUPS in Kottaippattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	3.75
44.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	Construction of Anganwadi Building @ Vettivayal PUPS in Vettivayal Panchayat	1	7.50	3.75
45.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre building with bore well in alaganvayal(Kattumavadi)	1	46.50	23.25
46.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre building with bore well in PR Pattinam	1	46.50	23.25
47.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with bore well in Mumbalai	1	46.50	23.25
48.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with bore well in Manamelkudi	1	46.50	23.25
49.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with bore well in Ammapattinam	1	46.50	23.25
50.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with bore well in Vitchoor	1	46.50	23.25
51.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with bore well in Kottaipattinam	1	46.50	23.25
52.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with bore well in Jegathapattinam	1	46.50	23.25
53.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with bore well in Ambavayal	1	46.50	23.25

Sl. No	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released Total
54.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with bore well in Nelveli	1	46.50	23.25
55.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	New Health Sub Centre Building with Bore well in Ambalavanenthal	1	46.50	23.25
56.	Pudukkottai	Manamel kudi(B)	Common Service Center	1	140.00	70.00
57.	Tirunelveli Corporation	Tiru-nelveli Corporation	Construction of community Hall at jinnahThidal park Site in ward No. 37	1	140.00	70.00
58.	Tenkasi	Tenkasi (M)	Construction of Health care Centre at Kizhapuliyur Maternity Centre in Ward No. 31	1	50.00	25.00
59.	Vellore	Pernambut	Out Patient Block in Govt. Hospital at Pernambut	1	758.58	379.29
60.	Vellore	Pernambut	Improveement of Priamery health Centre, Melpatti, Pernambut	1	223.75	111.88
61.	Ranipet	Melvisharam	Additional Building for up gradation of P.H.C as 30 Bedded Hospital at Melvisharam	1	223.75	111.88
Total				61	4268.79	2134.41

During the year 2021-2022, approval has been accorded for implementing 62 projects in 10 districts of Tamil Nadu at an estimate cost of Rs.61,575.41 lakh in which central share of Rs. 18,422.22 lakh has been released as 1st installment for the projects. The details are as follows:

(Rs. in Lakh)

SL. No.	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released by GoI
1.	Coimbatore	Kurichi	Construction of class rooms in Corporation Middle School, Noyyal Palam, NPittery Street.	1	65.50	19.65
2.	Coimbatore	Kuniamuthur	Providing 2 Lab in Government Higher Secondary School, Kulathupalayam. (Kuniamuthur)	1	28.00	8.40
3.	Kanniyakumari	Nagercoil	Construction of Multipurpose Hall at Vattavilai	1	140.00	25.20
4.	Kanniyakumari	Nagercoil	Construction of Skill Training Centre Cum Market Shed	1	240.00	72.00
5.	Karur	Pallapatti	Construction of Community Hall S.F.No: 820 / 3A, 819 / 5 at Metro Garden	1	140.00	25.20
6.	Nilgiris	Gudalur	Modernised HSC Building with compound wall and well at Athipalli	1	7.00	2.10
7.	Nilgiris	Gudalur	Modernised HSC Building with compound wall and well at Gudalur	1	7.00	2.10
8.	Nilgiris	Gudalur	Modernised HSC Building with compound wall and well at Cherangode	1	7.00	2.10
9.	Nilgiris	Gudalur	Modernised Health Sub Centre Building with compound wall and well at Kariyasholai	1	7.00	2.10
10.	Tenkasi	Tenkasi	Construction of Maternity Centre and Paediatric Block at Govt. General Hospital, Tenkasi	1	2200.00	660.00
11.	Tenkasi	Tenkasi	Construction of Urban Health Centre at Melakadayanallur	1	50.00	15.00

SL. No.	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released by GoI
12.	Tenkasi	Tenkasi	Construction of Siddha cum yoga consulting & Training Centre at Govt. General Hospital, Tenkasi	1	50.00	15.00
13.	Tenkasi	Tenkasi	Construction of Six Anganwadi Centres	1	45.00	13.50
14.	Tenkasi	Tenkasi	Construction of Anganwadi Centres at Ward No.33 Mallampattai Road, Ward No.6 Vadakkuvilai Street, Ward No.9 Railway Feeder Road, Ward No.26 Mallampatti Road and Ward No.7 Jawahar Street	1	37.50	11.25
15.	Thoothukudi	Thoothukudi	Construction of Super Specialty Blocks in Government Medical College Hospital at Thoothukudi in Thoothukudi District.	1	13635.07	4090.52
16.	Thoothukudi	Thoothukudi	i) Construction of Maternity and Child Health and Accident Emergency care Unit Buildings in Government Hospital at Tiruchendur, in Thoothukudi District (2408.00) ii) Equipments (409.57)	1	3852.76	1155.83
17.	Kayalpattanam	Kayalpattanam	i) Construction of Out Patient Block and Special ward Buildings in Government Hospital at Kayalpattanam in Thoothukudi District. (1896.00) ii) Equipments (300.49)	1	6235.49	1870.647

SL. No.	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released by GoI
18.	Tirunelveli	Tirunelveli (M.C)	Construction of Hospital Block for Enhanced Care for Cardiac, Neural, Renal and Liver Disadvantaged Population in Tirunelveli Medical College at Tirunelveli	1	7210.00	2163.00
19.	Tirunelveli	Tirunelveli (M.C)	Construction of Maternal and Child care Unit, NCD Block and Dialysis Unit in Government Hospital at Melapalayam in Tirunelveli	1	583.02	174.91
20.	Vellore	Pernambut Municipality	Construction of Urban PHC at Pernambut in Vellore District	1	108.90	32.67
21.	Vellore	Vellore Corporation	Construction of Multi Super Specialty Hospital building in Government Pent land Hospital at Vellore in Vellore District	1	19781.00	5934.30
22.	Pudukottai	Manamalkudi	Construction of Ayush Wing, Multipurpose Hall, Sanitation Block and Medical Equipments in Singavanam PHC	1	96.00	28.80
23.	Pudukottai	Manamalkudi	Construction of Library Hall in Government Boys Hr.Sec. School in Manalmelkudi	1	97.87	29.36
24.	Pudukottai	Manamalkudi	Construction of Library Hall in Government Boys Hr.Sec. School in Kottaipattinam	1	97.87	29.36
25.	Pudukottai	Manamalkudi	Construction of Library Hall in Government High School in Krishnajipattinam	1	97.87	29.36

SL. No.	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released by GoI
26.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Library Hall in Government Boys Hr.Sec. School in Kattumavadi	1	97.87	29.36
27.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Science Lab in Government Boys Hr.Sec. School in Manamelkudi	1	47.23	14.17
28.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Science Lab in Government Boys Hr.Sec. School in Kottaipattinam	1	47.23	14.17
29.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Science Lab in Krishnajipattinam	1	47.23	14.17
30.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Science Lab in Kattumavadi	1	47.23	14.17
31.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Science Lab in Government Boys Hr.Sec. School in Ammapattinam	1	47.23	14.17
32.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Community Hall @ Kattumavadi in Kattumavadi Panchayat	1	140.00	25.20
33.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Kottaipattinam Meenavar Colony in Kottaipattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
34.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Pathakadu in Manamelkudi Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
35.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Puthukudi in Kottaipattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
36.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Aathipattinam in Ammapattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25

SL. No.	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released by GoI
37.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Ayyampattinam in kelamanchakudi Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
38.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ LanchiyadiMariyammanKovil in Kelamanchakudi Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
39.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Palakudi in Vettivayal Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
40.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Tajmahal (Sathamnagar) in Kottaipattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
41.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Angawadi Building @ AmmapattinamPaththar Street in Ammapattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
42.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Ammapattinam South in Ammapattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
43.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Ammapattinam Middle Street in Ammapattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
44.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Karkkamalam in Manaloor Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
45.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ AlaganVayal in Kattumavadi Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25

SL. No.	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released by GoI
46.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Edaiyathur in Edaiyathur Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
47.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Katumavadi Muslim Street in Katumavadi Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
48.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Vethiyankudi in Edaiyathur Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
49.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Neervelangulam in Edaiyathur Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
50.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi building @ PR Pattinam in Krishanajipattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
51.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Panavayal in Karakottai Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
52.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Ammapattinam North in Ammapattinam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
53.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Karakathikottai in Karakathikottai Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
54.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Challanedal in Keelamanjakudi Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25

SL. No.	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released by GoI
55.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Seyyanam in Seyyanam Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
56.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Jagathapattinam (Light House) in Keelamanjakudi Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
57.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of New Anganwadi Building @ Kattumavadi Muslim Street in Kattumavadi Panchayat	1	7.50	2.25
58.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Building for District Training Centre for Sewing Machine Operator, Domestic Data Entry Operator, Beauty Therapist, Welding and Quality Technician, Assistant Electrician in Manalmelkudi	1	360.00	108.00
59.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of 1. Maternity and Child Health Wing Building with Furniture 2. Training Centre for Health Staff 3. Sanitation Block 4. Essential Medical Equipments in Ammapattinam PHC	1	469.72	140.92
60.	Pudukottai	Manamel kudi	Construction of Maternity Child Health Wing Building with Furniture, Sanitation Block and Essential Medical Equipments in Kottaipattinam PHC	1	469.72	140.92

SL. No.	District	Name of the Blocks / Town	Name of the Project	No. of Units	Estimated cost	First instalment released by GoI
61.	Tirupattur	Ambur	Construction of OP block and ICU Male Ward, Female Ward, Lab, Scan, Pharmacy and X-ray Room in Government Hospital at Ambur, Tirupattur District	1	2430.60	729.18
62.	Tirupattur	Vaniyambadi	Construction of OP block and ICU Male Ward, Female Ward, Lab, Scan, Pharmacy and X-ray Room in Government Hospital at Vaniyambadi, Tirupattur District	1	2364.00	709.20
Total				62	61,575.41	18422.22

33. TAMIL NADU MINORITIES ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

The Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation (TAMCO) was established on 31.8.1999 as a Company under Companies Act, 1956 for the benefit of Minorities viz. Muslims, Christians, Sikhs, Buddhists, Parsis and Jains in Tamil Nadu. The prime mandate of TAMCO is to provide concessional finance to Minorities for Self Employment and income generation activities. Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation is acting as State Channelising Agency of National Minorities Development and Finance Corporation (NMDFC), New Delhi. TAMCO is lending Term Loan, VIRASAT loan, Micro Credit Loan and Education Loan for economic advancement of Minorities. The authorized Share Capital of this Corporation is Rs.500 lakh and a paid up Share Capital is Rs.205 lakh. The Corporation obtains loan from NMDFC upon guarantee given by State Government for funding various loan schemes of NMDFC.

Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation Ltd sanctions and disburses loans to beneficiaries through Central Co-operative Banks /Urban Co-operative banks/Primary Agricultural Co-operative Credit Societies.

The funding pattern of Term Loan, Virasat Loan and Micro Financing are as follows:

NMDFC Share : 90%
 TAMCO Share : 5%
 Beneficiary Share : 5%

33.1 Individual Term Loan Scheme

Individual term loans are provided by Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation for economically backward Minorities for carrying out business/trade as detailed below:

Sl. No	Loan Amount	Interest Rate (per annum)	Annual Income Ceiling
1	Credit line I Scheme Upto Rs.20.00 lakh	6%	Rural Areas Rs.98,000 Urban Areas Rs.1,20,000
2	Credit line II Scheme Upto Rs.30.00 lakh	Male 8%. Female 6%	Persons who cannot avail benefit under credit line-I and having annual income uptoRs.8,00,000 (For both Rural and Urban Areas)

During the year 2021-2022 loan amount of Rs.1,335.95 lakh has been disbursed to 2,002 beneficiaries under this scheme.

33.2 VIRASAT Scheme

For the economic advancement of poor minority crafts persons, credit is extended at lower rate of interest for purchase of raw material,

equipment/tools/machineries under VIRASAT scheme. The details of the scheme are as follows:

Sl. No	Loan Amount	Interest Rate (per annum)	Annual Income Ceiling
1	VIRASAT Scheme Upto Rs.10 Lakhs	5% for Male 4% for Female	Rural Areas Rs.98,000 Urban Areas Rs.1,20,000

33.3 Micro- Financing through Self-Help Groups

Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation is providing Loan assistance under Micro-Finance to the members of Minority Self Help Groups (both Men and Women self help groups) to take up various small trades like sweet stall, Tiffin shop, textile business, manufacturing of pickles, snacks, appalam, basket weaving etc., as detailed below.

Sl. No	Loan Amount	Interest Rate (per annum)	Annual Income Ceiling
1	Credit line I Scheme Upto Rs.1 lakh (per member of SHG)	7%	Rural Areas Rs.98,000 Urban Areas Rs.1,20,000
2	Credit line II Scheme Upto Rs.1.5 lakh (per member of SHG)	Male 10% Female 8%	Persons who cannot avail benefit under credit line -I and having annual income upto Rs.8,00,000 (For both Rural and Urban Areas)

Under this scheme Rs.2,273.84 lakh has been disbursed to 4,025 beneficiaries through Self Help Groups during the year 2021-2022.

33.4 Educational Loan

Educational Loan is sanctioned to the Minorities who pursue Professional Courses and Job oriented degree courses in the Government/Private Institutions recognized by the Government as detailed below.

Sl. No	Loan Amount	Interest Rate (per annum)	Parental Annual Income Ceiling
1	<p>Credit line I Scheme Upto Rs.20 Lakh for professional job oriented degree courses in India with a maximum duration of 5 years at Rs.4 lakh per annum.</p> <p>Upto Rs.30 lakh for Courses Abroad with a maximum duration of 5 years at Rs.6 lakh per annum.</p>	3%	Rural Areas Rs.98,000 Urban Areas Rs.1,20,000
2	<p>Credit line II Scheme Upto Rs.20 lakh for courses in India with a maximum duration of 5 years at Rs.4 lakh per annum.</p> <p>Upto Rs.30 lakh for Courses Abroad with a maximum duration of 5 years at Rs.6 lakh per annum.</p>	Male Students 8% Female Students 5%	Persons who cannot avail benefit under credit line -I and having annual income upto Rs.8,00,000 (For both Rural and Urban Areas)

Under this scheme Rs.8.50 lakh has been disbursed to 7 students during the year 2021-2022.

During the year 2021-2022, a total loan amount of Rs.3,618.29 lakh has been disbursed to 6,034 beneficiaries by this corporation.

33.5. Skill Development Training (“Kaushal Se Kushalta”)

Skill Development Training “Kaushal Se Kushalta” is imparted to Minority youth. Through this scheme minority youth can start self-employment and get employment in other organizations. To avail benefit under the scheme, the annual parental income should not exceed Rs.6 lakh. Training is imparted through Institutions empaneled by National Skill Development Council / Related Sector Skill Council / State Skill Mission/Directorate of Technical Education for a duration of 200 to 250 hours. The Training institutes are approved by NMDFC.

Under this scheme, so far 3 courses namely, Tailoring (Goods and Garments), Pre-Assembly operator and Hand Embroidery training were conducted through two training institutes i.e., Central Footwear Training Institute (CFTI) and Apparel Training and Design Centre (ATDC) and training was given to 250 beneficiaries at a cost of Rs.30.72 lakh.

33.6 Mahila Samridhi Yojana

Mahila Samridhi Yojana is a scheme linking micro credit with the training to the women members formed into self help group (SHG’s) trades such as tailoring, cutting and Embroidery etc. After the training, need based micro credit subject to a maximum of Rs.1.00 lakh will be made available to each members of Self Help Group (SHG) so formed at an interest of 7% per annum.

Under this scheme, for the year 2021-22, proposals have been recommended to National Minorities Development and Finance Corporation (NMDFC) and NMDFC has sanctioned two training institutes in Pudukottai District to conduct tailoring training programme for 40 members for a duration of 6 months at a cost of Rs.6 lakh.

**DETAILS OF DISBURSEMENT OF LOANS TO MINORITY BENEFICIARIES
THROUGH TAMCO**

(Rs. in lakhs)

Year	No of Beneficiaries	Amount
2017-18	6847	3465.55
2018-19	7708	4019.97
2019-20	7139	3685.48
2020-21	6910	4185.68
2021-22	6034	3618.29

**34. TAMIL NADU LINGUISTIC MINORITIES SOCIAL AND
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (TALMEDCO)**

Government have formed of Tamil Nadu Linguistic Minorities Social and Economic Development Corporation (TALMEDCO) in the year 2021, for the socio-economic development of Linguistic Minorities in Tamil Nadu to provide them better access to various schemes and promote their interests. The authorised capital of the Corporation is Rs.900 lakh.

Under Clause (d) of section 2 of the Tamil Nadu State Minorities Commission Act, 2010 (Tamil Nadu Act 21 of 2010) Government has notified that the persons belonging to the Minority communities who are natives of Tamil Nadu and having Telugu, Urdu, Kannada, Malayalam, Sourashtra and Marathi as their mother tongue as "Linguistic Minorities"

Government have accorded financial sanction for paid up share capital of Rs.500 lakh, seed fund Rs.1,000 lakh and a sum of Rs.109.20 lakh for salaries and other administrative expenses totalling to Rs.1,609.20 lakh.

35. TAMIL NADU STATE MINORITIES COMMISSION

The Tamil Nadu State Minorities Commission has been constituted in 1989 and functioning for safeguarding the right and interests of religious and linguistic minorities of the State.

The State Minorities Commission has been conferred with statutory powers as per Tamil Nadu State Minorities Commission Act,2010 (Act 21 of 2010) with effect from 01.08.2010.

The Commission is undertaking the functions like examination and monitoring the working of various safeguards provided in the Constitutions of India and the laws enacted by the State Government for the protection of Minorities, making appropriate suggestions to the State Government regarding proposed legislations and welfare schemes to be undertaken in respect of Minorities and also making recommendations for ensuring, maintaining and promoting communal harmony in the State.

This Commission has been reconstituted in the year 2021 with Thiru. S. Peter Alphonse as chairman, Dr. Masthan as vice chairman and 8 other members.

This Commission enquire the requests received from minority people and institutions by calling them in person and forward the requests to concerned departments and receive reports from the departments. The Commission is visiting various districts of the State in order to identify the grievances of the minorities and forward it's recommendation to the Government for the effective implementation of the welfare schemes for minorities.

Field visits of the State Minorities Commission in Districts

The Commission has visited Thiruvallur, Kancheepuram, Chengalpattu, Thanjavur, Trichy, Tirunelveli, Tenkasi, Chennai, Coimbatore and Trippur districts and enquired the request of the minorities and advised the district collectors to take immediate action. About 2,400 persons attended these meetings and submitted their requests.

36. Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission

The Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission has been constituted as a permanent body pursuant to the directions of the Supreme Court of India in Indra Sawhney case. The Commission is functioning from 15.3.1993 under the Chairmanship of a retired Judge of High Court with members. This Commission is reconstituted once in 3 years.

The functions of the Commission are quasi-judicial in nature. The following are the terms of reference for the Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission:-

- (i) The Commission shall entertain, examine and recommend upon requests for inclusion and complaints of over-inclusion and under-inclusion in the lists of Backward Classes / Most Backward Classes.
- (ii) Periodic revision of the list of Backward Classes and Most Backward Classes in this State as and when decided.
- (iii) The Commission shall base its recommendations in the light of the provision contained in Article 16(4) read with relevant provisions of the Constitution of India and the various decisions of the Supreme Court bearing on the subject.

- (iv) The Commission shall make recommendations on improved reservation for Christians, Muslims and other Minorities based on their social and educational backwardness.
- (v) The Commission shall examine and recommend upon the demand made by various communities to provide for internal reservation within the reservation provided for Most Backward Classes.
- (vi) The Commission shall examine and make recommendations on any other matter relating to Backward Classes that may be referred to it by Government from time to time.

This Commission has been reconstituted under the chairmanship of Justice Thiru M. Thanikachalam (Retd) with 6 members for the period of 3 years on 08.07.2020.

37. TAMIL NADU WAQF BOARD

The Tamil Nadu Waqf Board was constituted on 18.01.1958 under the Waqf Act, 1954. The board is reconstituted once in 5 years as per the Waqf Act, 1995 (Central Act 43/1995) and the present board is functioning with 11 members. Thiru. M. Abdul Rahman has been elected as chairman of the Board by the members on 22.07.2021. The Tamil Nadu Waqf Board having its head office at Chennai is functioning with 11 zonal offices at district level.

37.1 Survey of Waqf Properties.

Under section 4 of the Waqf Act 1995, the Government have appointed the Commissioner of Survey as Survey Commissioner of Waqfs for the purpose of survey of the Waqfs existing in the State. District Revenue Officers were appointed as Additional Survey Commissioner of Waqfs and Tahsildars in the State have been designated as Assistant Commissioner of Waqfs.

As per the direction of the Government, District-wise particulars of Waqf properties have been extracted from the original registers of the Tamil

Nadu Waqf Board already prepared as per the provisions of Waqf Act, 1954 and handed over to all the District Revenue Officers in the State. As per the details submitted, the Survey Commissioner of Waqfs have completed the survey of Waqf properties relating to 27 districts in the State of Tamil Nadu and the survey of Waqf properties in the remaining districts are under progress.

37.2 Waqf Tribunal

As per section 83 of the Waqf Act, 1995 for determination any disputes relating to Waqf or Waqf Properties, the Government of Tamil Nadu constituted Tamil Nadu Waqf Tribunal in the year 2018 at Chennai. The Tribunal consists of District Judge as Chairman, an officer from the State Civil Services equivalent in rank to that of the Additional District Magistrate as one Member and one person having knowledge of Muslim Law and Jurisprudence as another Member.

The details of the cases at the Tribunal are as follows:-

Cases pending as on 31.03.2021	Cases registered during 2021-2022	Total	Case Disposed during 2021 – 2022	Pending
2445	931	3376	1076	2300

37.3 Waqfs Under Direct Management of Tamil Nadu Waqf Board

For administrative reasons, some of the waqfs are taken under direct management of Tamil Nadu Waqf Board under section 65 of the Waqf Act, 1995 and Executive Officers are appointed to administer the Waqfs under direct management. At the commencement of the last year 85 Waqf institutions were under direct management of Tamil Nadu Waqf Board. Of which, direct management was withdrawn for 36 Waqfs and handed over to

the Waqf institutions by the board and 6 Waqfs institutions newly taken under direct management during the last year. Thus at present 55 Waqf institutions are under direct management of the Tamil Nadu Waqf Board.

37.4 Retrieval of Waqf Properties from Encroachments

Action is being taken for retrieval of Waqf properties under section 54 of the Waqf Act, 1995 and Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthorised Occupants) Act, 1995.

At present, Waqf Properties worth Rs.15800 lakh with an extent of 16 lakh sq.ft. have been recovered from the encroachers and handed over to the concerned Waqf Institutions.

Further, concerned Sub Registrars are addressed under Section 22A of the Registration Act 1908 not to register Waqf properties in favour of third parties without obtaining Non Objection Certificate from Tamil Nadu Waqf Board.

37.5 Administrative Grants Sanctioned to Tamil Nadu Waqf Board

The State Government sanctions Administrative Grant of Rs.250 lakh to Tamil Nadu Waqf Board every year. Orders were issued for sanction of incentive at the rate of 5% as additional administrative grant based on the contribution collected by the Tamil Nadu Waqf Board from the year 2022-2023 onwards.

37.6 Maintenance of Payments to Divorced Muslim Women

As per the Section 4 (2) of the Muslim Women (Protection of rights on Divorce) Act, 1986 maintenance amount is being paid to 7 divorced Muslim Women by the Tamil Nadu Waqf Board as per the orders of the Court. Tamil Nadu Waqf Board sanctions Rs.67,800 per annum for this purpose.

37.7 Government funded schemes implemented by Tamil Nadu Waqf Board

a) Ulema Pension Scheme

Under Ulema Pension Scheme, poor Pesh Imams, Mothinars, Arabic Teachers, Mujawars who have served and retired after rendering service in Tamil Nadu Waqf institutions are paid pension. Under the scheme those who have attained 60 years of age and completed 20 years of service are eligible for the pension. Ulema pension sanction committee under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister is functioning to sanction Ulema pension. At present Ulema pension of Rs.3,000 per month is being paid to the Ulemas. At present 1,314 persons are receiving pension under the scheme.

b) Major Repair and Renovation Grant

The Government sanction grant for renovation and repair of Mosques, Dargahs and other Waqf institutions as Major Renovation Grant. The Government has allotted enhanced grant of Rs.600 lakh for the year 2021-2022 and 70 Waqf Institutions is being benefitted.

c) Corpus fund for repair and renovation of Waqf institutions

In order to carry out major repair and renovation work in Waqf Institutions like Mosques and Darghas a corpus fund of Rs.300 lakh has been created. The interest accrued on this fund will be utilized by Tamil Nadu Waqf Board for sanctioning to the needy and eligible Waqf institutions.

d) Honorarium to Kazis

The Government of Tamil Nadu sanctions a sum of Rs.20,000 per month as honorarium to district Kazis in Tamil Nadu.

38. TAMIL NADU STATE HAJ COMMITTEE

Haj Committee Act, 2002 was enacted by the Government of India to make arrangements pertaining to travel and accommodation to the Haj pilgrims visiting Makkah at Saudi Arabia. As per the provisions contained in the said Act, the Tamil Nadu State Haj Committee is periodically reconstituted by the Government for a period of 3 years.

The Government of Tamil Nadu have been sanctioning grants to Tamil Nadu State Hajj Committee for various purposes such as grant for meeting out administrative expenditure, grants for meeting the expenditure on deputation of representative(s) in Building Selection Team and deputation of Haj volunteers to Saudi Arabia, grants for state haj subsidy and grants for purchase of machinery and equipments.

The details of grants sanctioned during 2021-2022 are as follows:-

- (i) Administrative grant - ₹50.00 lakh
- (ii) Grant to deputation of Haj volunteers and member in Building Selection Team for the Haj season. - **

** Due to Global outbreak of Covid 19, Saudi Arabia has cancelled Haj pilgrimage for Haj 2020 and Haj 2021.

State Government Haj Subsidy

In order to fulfil one of the five religious obligations of Islamic people of Tamil Nadu, the Government is implementing a scheme of providing subsidy to the pilgrims of Tamil Nadu who are performing haj pilgrimage for the first time. Orders have been issued to grant Rs.1000 lakh per annum as subsidy. Under this scheme subsidy is directly credited into the bank accounts of the first time pilgrims.
