

**REPORT ON THE RESETTLEMENT AND REHABILITATION OF FAMILIES SQUATTED  
IN ALLIKULLAM**

The Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu had to shift 152 families squatted on Corporation land at Allikullam in Perimet on 19.01.13 & 20.01.13, as the land was required for expansion of the sport stadium. These families have been resettled at Kannagi Nagar, Okkium Thuraipakkam by Tamil Nadu Slum Clearance Board on the same day of shifting.

The Self contained G+2 tenements at Kannagi Nagar measuring 220 sqft have kitchen, living room, bath and toilet. These ownership tenements have been allotted on hire purchase basis payable over a period of 20 years on monthly installment of Rs 250 per month and Rs. 50 towards maintenance.

Kannagi Nagar is a well laid out scheme with sufficient open space, parks and other basic infrastructure like, roads drinking water supply, street lights, drains and sewerage treatment plant. The social infrastructure include a 10 bedded private hospital, a police station with police boys club, ICDS centers, primary, middle and high school, gym for youth, burial ground, vocational training centre, Public Health Centre, etc., Three Non governmental organizations are extending their services in the areas of health, education and economic development of the resettled families.

The following rehabilitation initiatives have been taken for the comfortable and smooth resettlement of the families.

- 1, The spot school admission have been facilitated in coordination with the Education Department through the single window system for issue of transfer certificate and admission to schools in and around Kannagi Nagar Government and private schools according to their choice.
- 2, Transfer of families ration card have been facilitated through single window system for deletion by the PDS Shops of origin and shops in resettlement area.
- 3, With the help of CREDAI, the shifted families have been provided with 5Kg rice, 1kg dhal and 1 kg cooking oil.
- 4, With the help of CREDAI, it is proposed to provide free bus passes for a period of 3 months to commute to their work spots. Free transportation is also arranged for school going children for a week until the free bus passes are provided.

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