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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
CHIEF SECRETARIAT (FISHERIES)

(G.O. Ms. No.05/Fy., Puducherry, dated 22nd May 2020)

NOTIFICATION

The Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry, is pleased to approve the amendment for the revision of eligibility criteria, methodology of selection and mode of distribution under the Scheme “Welfare and Relief for Fishermen during Lean Season and Natural Calamities, 2008” for implementation in the Union territory of Puducherry and was

previously notified *vide* G.O. Ms. No.14/Fy., dated 08-09-2009 of the Department of Rural Development, Chief Secretariat (Fisheries) and published *vide* Extraordinary Part-II, Gazette No. 29 of the Government of Puducherry, dated 10-09-2009 (hereafter referred to as the said Scheme), namely:—

I. *Short title, extent and commencement.*— (i) This Scheme may be called the “Welfare and Relief for Fishermen during Lean Season and Natural Calamities (Amendment) Scheme, 2020”.

(ii) It shall extend to the whole of the Union territory of Puducherry.

(iii) It shall come into force with effect from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

II. AMENDMENT

1. *Amendment of clause 4.*—

(a) In the said Scheme, for sub-clause (i) of clause 4, the following shall be substituted:—

“(i) Beneficiary shall be a fisherman whose annual income does not exceed ` 2,00,000 per annum”

(b) In the said Scheme, for sub-clause (ii) of clause 4, the following shall be substituted:—

“(ii) Beneficiary shall be in possession of Ration Card issued by Department of Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Puducherry”.

(c) In the said Scheme, for sub-clause (iii) of clause 4, the following shall be substituted:—

“(iii) Beneficiary shall hold a membership certificate as proof obtained from Fishermen Co-operative Society in the Union territory of Puducherry”:

(d) In the said Scheme, sub-clause (iv) of clause 4, shall be deleted.

2. *Amendment of Clause 6.*— In the said Scheme for clause 6, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“6. **Methodology of selection.**— Application shall be called for from fishermen and such applications shall be scrutinized by the Enquiry Officer and shall recommend for consideration for the grant of Ban/Lean Season Assistance”.

3. *Amendment of Clause 8.*— In the said Scheme, for clause 8, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“8. **Mode of distribution.**— Benefits shall be sent to the beneficiaries Bank Account directly through ECS. The mode of payment of relief shall also be followed as per the orders issued by the Finance Department from time to time”.

4. All other terms and conditions stipulated in the G.O. Ms. No.14/Fy., dated 08-09-2009 of the Department of Rural Development, Chief Secretariat (Fisheries), Puducherry, remain unaltered.

5. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department, Puducherry *vide* their I.D. No.143/FC/F4/A3/2010-21, dated 22.05.2020.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

M. GANESAN,

Under Secretary to Government (Fisheries).
