

### **Incentive Award to inter-caste married couples.**

1	Name of the Act/Rules	Incentive Award to inter-caste married couples.
2	Objective	The objective of the scheme is to reduce the effect of untouchability and as a step towards bringing about casteless society.
3	Brief write-up of the scheme	An award with a value of Rs.50, 000/- to each couple – Rs.20, 000/- in cash and Rs.30, 000/- in the form of National Saving Certificate.
4	Eligibility	(a) Marriage shall be performed between Scheduled Caste and other community. b)The marriage shall be registered and the marriage shall be performed for the first time between the bride and groom. (c) Income– No limit (d) Both bride and groom or either of them should be a native of Pondicherry e) Application should be submitted within 60 days from the date of performance of marriage
5	Enclosures with Application	a)Community, Nativity, Nationality Certificate in respect of groom, bride, and their parents (b) First marriage certificate obtained from M.L.A/M.P. (c) Age proof of bride and groom. (d) Marriage Registration Certificate.