

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY**  
**Abstract**



Social Welfare Secretariat – SWS - Rules for the Scheme of Awards for the Welfare of the Persons with Disabilities – Amendment to rules - notified.

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**SOCIAL WELFARE SECRETARIAT**

**G.O.Ms.No.12/2015/SWS**

**Puducherry, dt. 16-09-2015**

- READ: 1. G.O.Ms.No.25/2000-Wel (SW-II), dated 29.9.2000 of the  
Chief Secretariat (Welfare), Puducherry.  
2. G.O.Ms. No.61/2012/Wel (SW-V), dated 26.04.2012 of the  
Chief Secretariat (Welfare), Puducherry.

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**ORDER**

The following notification shall be published in the next issue of the Official Gazette:

**NOTIFICATION**

The Lieutenant-Governor of Puducherry is pleased to enhance the quantum of award to encourage the self esteem of the differently abled persons in the Union Territory of Puducherry and for the said purpose, hereby makes further amendment to the “Rules for the Scheme of Awards for the Welfare of the Persons with disabilities” (hereinafter referred to as the said rules) notified vide G.O.Ms.No.25/2000-Wel (SW-II), dated 29.9.2000 namely:-

**AMENDMENT**

1. **SHORT TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT:**

These rules may be called the “Grant of State Award for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (Amendment) Rule 2015”

2. **AMENDMENT OF RULE 5:-**

In the said rules, Rule 5 shall be substituted as follows:-

“Rule 5: Number and pattern of awards:

The following pattern of awards, namely.-

(1) An award to the outstanding employer from among the following sectors:-

- (a) Department of the Government of Puducherry
- (b) Statutory bodies of Government of Puducherry
- (c) Local bodies of Government of Puducherry
- (d) Public Sector undertaking of Government of Puducherry

(2) An award to the outstanding employer from Private Sector in the Union Territory of Puducherry;

(3) Six awards to the outstanding employees, two for visually handicapped, two for orthopedically handicapped and two for hearing impaired person from among the following sector:-

- (a) Departments of the Government of Puducherry
- (b) Statutory bodies of Government of Puducherry
- (c) Local bodies of Government of Puducherry
- (d) Public Sector undertakings of Government of Puducherry

(4) Six awards to the outstanding employees two for visually handicapped, two for orthopedically handicapped and two for hearing-impaired person from the Private Sector.

(5) Six awards to the self-employed persons, two for visually handicapped, two for orthopedically handicapped and two for hearing-impaired person

(6) An Award to an institution in the Union Territory of Pondicherry for the best work done in the year for the cause of the disabled;

(7) An award to an individual for the best work done in the year for the cause of the disabled”.

3. This notification shall come into force with effect from the date of notification.

4. This issue with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O. No.1887/F5/A2, dated 20-08-2015.

//BY ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR//



**(R.MEENAKUMARI)**  
**UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVT. (SOCIAL WELFARE)**

To

The Director, Department of Stationary & Printing, Puducherry – with a request to publish the said notification in the next issue of the Official Gazette and thereof to supply 100 copies to this department for reference and record.

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1. All Secretariat and Heads of Department, 2. The Secretary to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, Puducherry. 3. The Secretary to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Puducherry 4. The Director, Social Welfare Department, Puducherry. 5. The P.S. to Speaker / Dy. Speaker / All Ministers, Puducherry. 6. The P.A. to Special Secretary (Wel), Chief Secretariat, Puducherry 7. The Finance Department, Puducherry. 8. The Director of accounts and Treasuries, Puducherry 9. The Deputy Director of Accounts and Treasuries, Karaikal/Mahe/Yanam 10. The District Collector, Karaikal. 11. The Regional Administrator, Mahe / Yanam 12. The Accountant General (Audit-I), Chennai-35 13. The Dy.Accountant General (audit-I), Puducherry. 14. The Central Records Branch, Puducherry. 15. Spare.