

# DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE & DISASTER MANAGEMENT



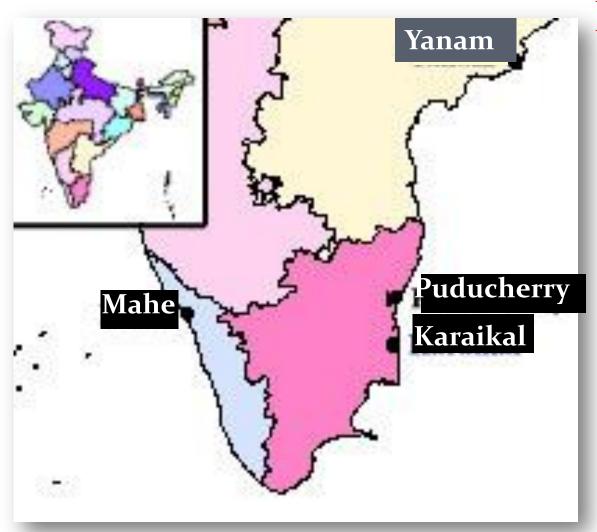
#### **FUNCTIONING OF THE DEPARTMENT**







# PUDUCHERRY — LOCATION AND CONSTITUENTS



De facto transfer : 01.11.1954 De jure transfer : 16.8.1962

**Area:** 490 sq. km.

#### **Population**

2011 census : 12,47,953

2021 Estimated: 16,08,849

Districts: 2

Rev. villages : 129

Coast Line (43 km.)

Puducherry : 22 km.

Karaikal : 20 km.

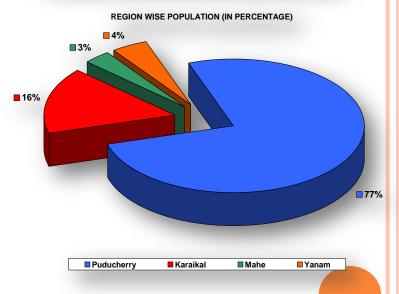
Mahe : 01 km.

### UNION TERRITORY OF PUDUCHERRY

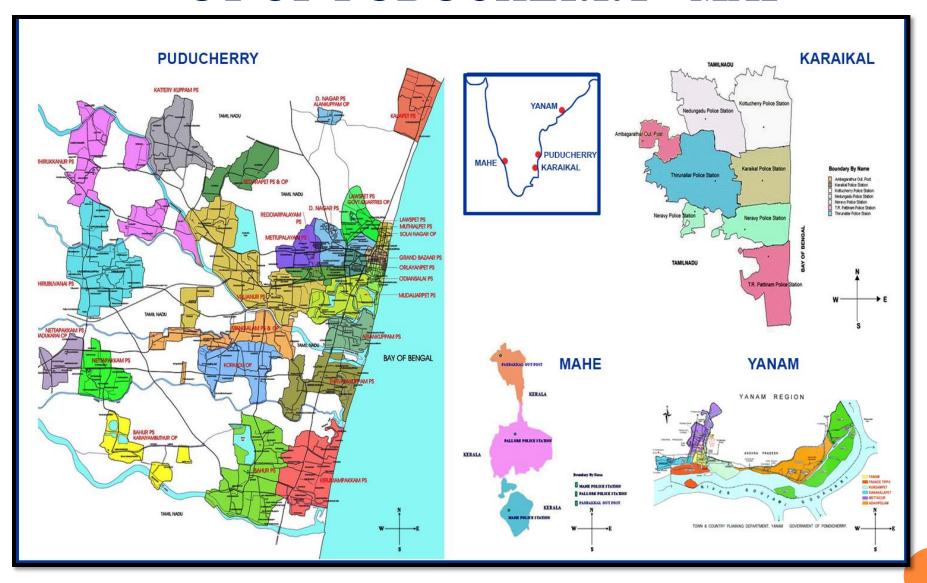
**DEMOGRAPHY** 

	AREA	POPULATION				
REGION	(Sq.Km)	Census 2011	2022 Estimated			
Puducherry	294	9,50,289	12,28,082			
Karaikal	157	2,00,222	23,47,25			
Mahe	9	41,816	47,480			
Yanam	30	55,626	98,562			
Total	490	12,47,953	16,08,849			





### **UT OF PUDUCHERRY - MAP**



#### DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE & DISASTER MANAGEMENT

Revenue & Disaster Management

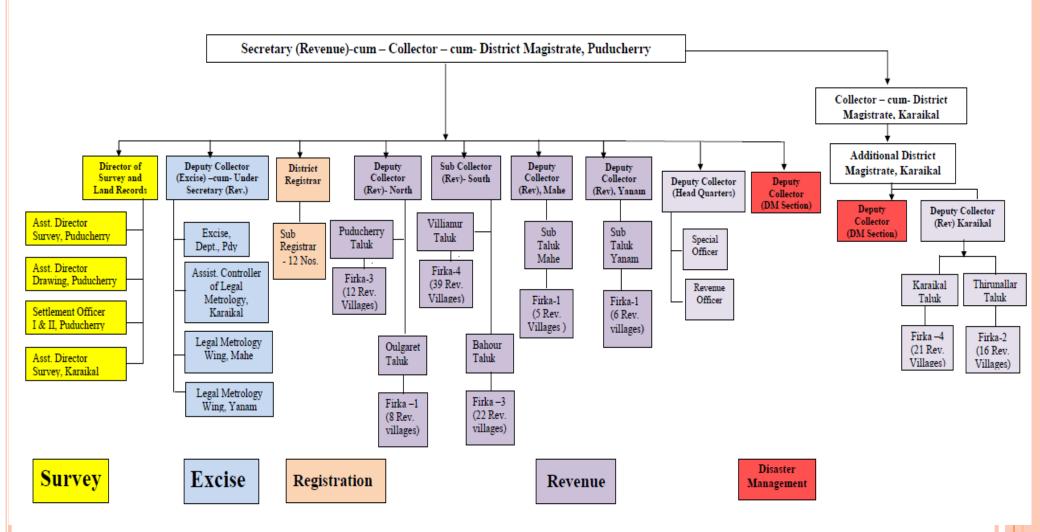
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#### DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT



# REVENUE ADMINISTRATION

Districts	Revenue Divisions	Taluks	Firka	Revenue Villages
	North	Puducherry	3	12
		Oulgaret	1	8
	C41-	Villianur	4	39
Puducherry	South	Bahour 3		22
	Yanam	Yanam Sub-Taluk	1	6
	Mahe	Mahe Sub-Taluk	1	5
		Karaikal	4	21
Karaikal	Karaikal	Thirunallar	2	16
	Total	19	129	

# Revenue Activities

- Issue of various Certificates like Residence, EWS, OBC, SC, Income,
   Solvency, Legal Heir etc.
- Acquisition of Land
- Licensing of Government Land
- Collection of Land Tax
- Conduct of Elections, Census, NPR
- Maintenance of Law & Order
- Relief & Rehabilitation during Natural Calamities
- Grant of various licenses like Arms License, Explosive License, Petroleum License and Mining lease under various Acts & Rules
- Implementation of Rajiv Gandhi Social Security Scheme

#### ACTS AND RULES IMPLEMENTED BY DEPARTMENT

The Revenue Recovery Act, 1890 (Central Act) The Pondicherry Revenue Recovery Act, 1970 The Pondicherry Land Reforms(Fixation of Ceiling on Land and Disposal of Surplus Lands) Rules, 1975 The Pondicherry Land Reforms (Fixation of Ceiling on Land) Act, 1973. The Mahe Land Reforms Act, 1968. The Mahe Land Reforms (Ceiling) Rules, 1981 The Pondicherry Court Fees and Suits Valuation Act, 1972 and Rules 1980 The Pondicherry Occupants of Kudiyiruppu (Conferment of Ownership) Act, 1973 The Pondicherry Open places (Prevention of Disfigurement Act), 2000 The Puducherry Building (Lease and Rent Control Act), 1969 The Puducherry Settlement Act, 1970 and Rules 1970 The Mines and Minerals (Regulation and Development) Act, 1957 The Puducherry Minor Minerals (Concession) Rules, 1977 The Puducherry Import of Sand, Transportation and Storage Rules, 2018 The Puducherry Minor Minerals (Concession) Amendment Rules, 2019 The Puducherry Chit Funds Act, 1966 The Chit Funds (Puducherry) Rules, 1986 The Registration Act, 1908 and Pondicherry Registration Rules, 1969 The Disaster Management Act 2005 The Explosives Substances Act, 1908

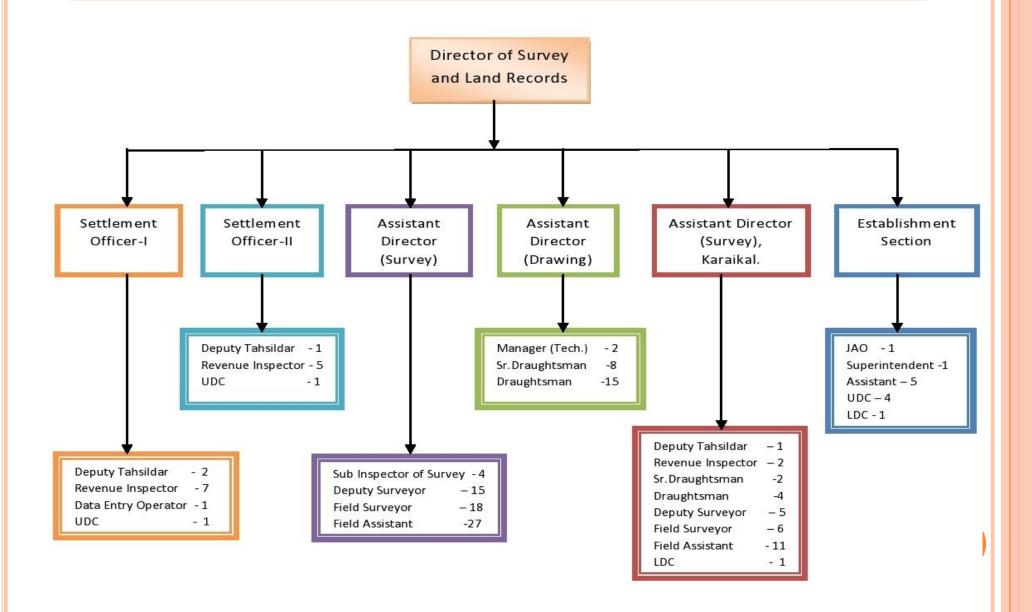
#### ACTS AND RULES IMPLEMENTED BY DEPARTMENT

The Prize Chits and Money Circulation Schemes (Banning) Act, 1978
The Pondicherry Pawn Brokers Act, 1966 and Rules 1966
The Indian Stamp Act, 1899
The Pondicherry Stamp (Prevention of Under Valuation of Instruments) Amendment Rules, 1980
The Pondicherry Protection of Interests of Depositors in Financial Establishments Act, 2004
The Pondicherry Court Fees and Suits Valuation Act, 1972
The Puducherry Money Lender's Act, 1970
The Pondicherry Money Lenders (Amendment) Act, 1983
The Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 and Rules 1969
The Press and Registration of Books Act, 1867
The Special Marriage Act, 1954
The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002
The Enforcement of Security Interest and Recovery of Debts Laws (Amendment) Act, 2012
The Puducherry Stamp (Payment and Duty by means of e-Stamping) Rules, 2010
The Banning of Unregulated Deposit Schemes Act, 2019
The Pondicherry Document Writers License Rules, 1977
The Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and
Resettlement Act, 2013 and Rules 2016
The Public Premises (Eviction of Unauthorised Occupants) Act, 1971 and Rules 1971
The Bonded Labour System (Abolition) Act, 1976 and Rules, 1976
The Puducherry Land Encroachment Act, 1970 and Rules 1971

The Pondicherry Land Grant Rules, 1975

The Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act, 2007 and Rules 2011 The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 and Rules 2013 The Protection of Child Rights Act, 2005 The Union Territory of Puducherry Commission for Protection of Child Rights Rules, 2014. The Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016 The Bio-Medical Waste Management Rules, 2016 The Arms Act, 1964 and Rules 2016 The Arms (Amendment) Act, 2019. The Explosives Act, 1884 and Rules 2008 The Survey and Boundaries Act, 1967 and Rules 1968 The Pondicherry Cinemas (Regulation) Act, 1964 and Rules 1966 The Puducherry Cinemas (Regulation) (Amendment), Rules, 2012. The Puducherry Poison Possession & Sales Rules, 2014. The Puducherry Poison Possession & Sales (Amendment) Rules, 2015. The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 The Essential Commodities Act, 1958. Cable Television Network Regulation Act, 1995. Foreign Contribution Regulation Act. The Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973. The Scheduled Castes & Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act,1989. Indian Penal Code, 1860 Indian Petroleum Act,1934 The Petroleum Rules, 2002. The Puducherry Prevention of Anti-Social Activities Act, 2008 (PPASAA).

# Directorate of Survey & Land Records



# FUNCTIONS OF SURVEY DEPARTMENT

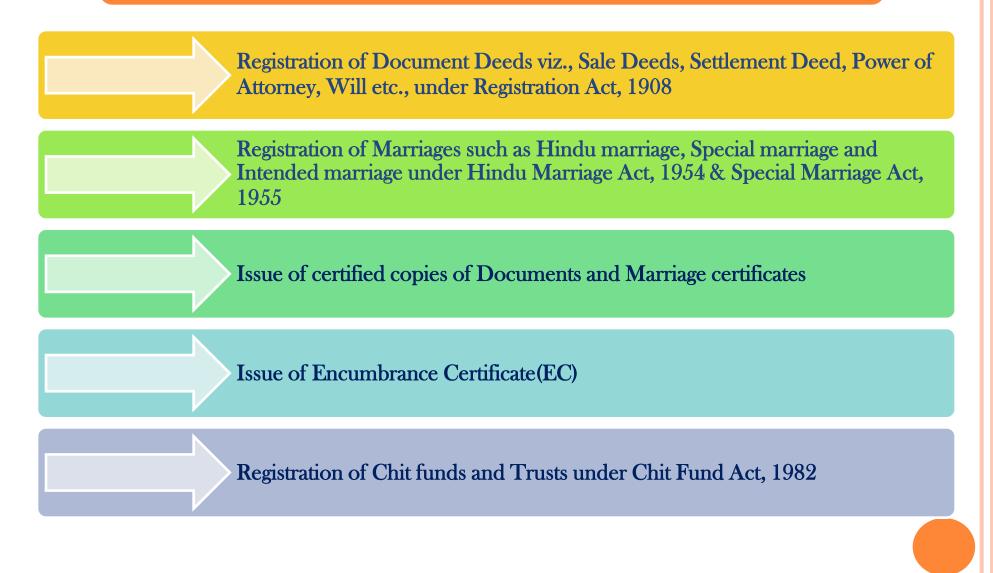
Sl. No.	Act &Rules	Functions	Authorized officer
1	Puducherry Settlement Act, 1970	Patta transfer involving sub-divisions	Specified Officer – cum- Tahsildar/Deputy
2	Puducherry Settlement Rules, 1970	Direct Name transfer in Patta	Tahsildar, of concerned Taluk/Sub-Taluk
3	Puducherry Survey	Demarcation of land	Office along with the assistance of
4	and Boundaries Act,	Court Commission	Surveyors.
5	Puducherry Survey and Boundaries	Settlement Corrections	Settlement Officer – Cum- Tahsildar–I, II of this Directorate
6	Rules, 1967	Settlement Appeal	Director of Survey
7	Pondicherry Land Grant Rules, 1975	Issue of free house site patta	Director of Survey

# COMPUTERISATION OF RECORDS

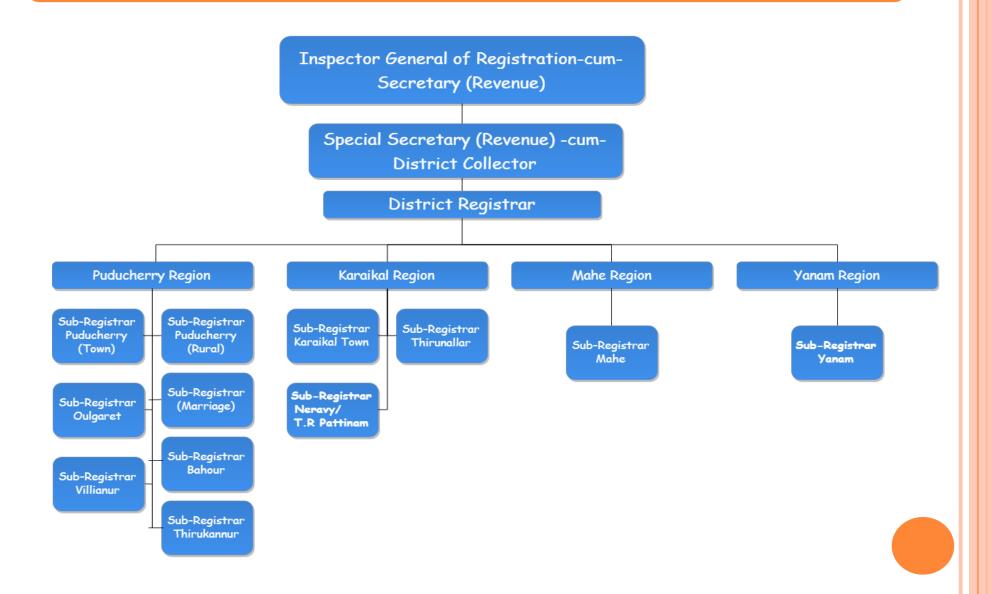
NILAMAGAL – Textual land records viz. Settlement Register and RoR were digitized and updated using the software called NILAMAGAL developed by the NIC, Puducherry.

COLLABLAND - Spatial Land Records viz. FMBs and Village maps were digitized and updated using the Collabland software developed by the NIC, Puducherry in collaboration with the NIC, New Delhi.

# Registration Department



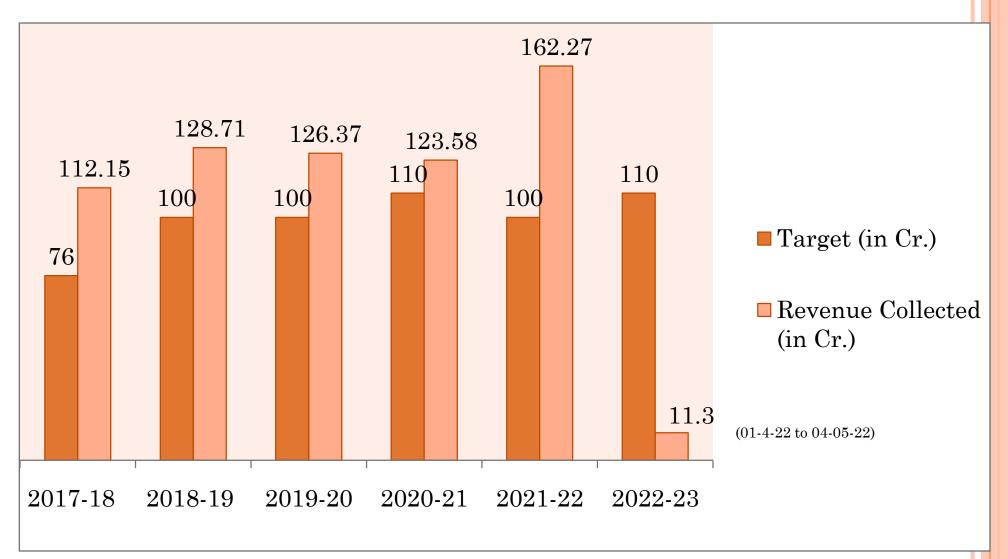
# REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT



Name of Region	Number of Sub-Registries
Puducherry	5
Karaikal	3
Mahe	1
Yanam	1

- Registration fee is collected @ 0.5 % of the Sale value or Market value whichever is higher
- Stamp duty is 10 % of the Sale value or Market value whichever is higher
- Stamp duty is levied at 5% in case of Women Purchaser (Women of Puducherry)
- Stamp duty for Settlement deed is 5% subject to a maximum of Rs.5000/-

# REVENUE COLLECTED DURING THE LAST 5 YEARS



# ONLINE SERVICES

# Document Registration

- E-Pathiram
- E-Pathirapathivu

# Marriage Registration

- Puducherry Registration of Marriage and Information System (PROMIS)
- E-Thirumanam

## **eServices**

- Online Encumbrance Certificate
- Online Certified copy of Registered Document Deeds
- Online Certified copy of Marriage Certificates

# Disaster Management

Puducherry Disaster Management Authority

Chairperson -

**Chief Minister** 

State Executive Committee

Chairperson -

**Chief Secretary** 

Puducherry District Disaster Management Authority

Chairperson -

**District Collector** 

Karaikal District Disaster Management Authority

Chairperson -

**District Collector** 

#### TACKLING DISASTER / EMERGENCY SITUATION

- State Level and District Level Emergency Operation Centres are in place.
- 16 Emergency Support Function (ESFs) are in Place supported by Line Departments.
- Crisis Management Framework, Standard Operating Procedures and Quick Response Teams are available under each ESFs / Line departments.
- For better co-ordination Firka Level Task Force are available under Revenue Department
- Roles and Responsibilities are well defined.

#### TACKLING DISASTER / EMERGENCY SITUATION

- EOCs are functioning are functioning under 24x7 basics
- VHF / VSAT / Sat Phones / VC / Bulk SMS / Fax etc..
- o Toll Free 1070 /1077
- Puducherry Decision Support System (PDSS)
- o India Disaster Resource Network (IDRN) maintained
- State Disaster Management Plan (SDMP) / District Disaster Management Plan (DDMP) / Village and Ward Level Plans / Action Plan to face any disaster / emergency situations.

#### FUND DETAILS UNDER DISASTER MANAGEMENT

Amount released for the Accounting year	Central Share (80%) (Rs. in Crore)	State share (20%) (Rs. in Crore)	Total (Rs. in crore)	
2016-17	10.00	2.50	12.50	
2017-18	10.00	2.50	12.50	
2018-19	5.00	1.25	6.25 6.25	
2019-20	5.00	1.25		
2020-21	5.00	1.25	6.25	
2021-22	5.00	1.25	6.25	
Total	40.00	10.00	50.00	
Interest	incurred so far		5.02	
	55.02			

#### FUND DETAILS UNDER DISASTER MANAGEMENT

#### **Disaster Management Fund utilization**

District	Covid-19	Other Disasters	Total
Puducherry	27,81,45,365	9,78,52,945	37,59,98,310
Karaikal	4,49,50,000	11,06,00,000	15,55,50,000
Total	32,30,95,365	20,84,52,945	53,15,48,310

#### **Balance Available**

Total Fund	55.02 Crores
Amount utilised so far	53.15 Crores
Balance Available	1.87 Crores

#### **COVID-19 EX-GRATIA PAYMENT**

The details of funds released for Covid-19 Ex-gratia payment of Rs.50,000/- (as on 06.05.2022) from Puducherry Disaster Response Fund (PDRF) to Puducherry District Disaster Response Fund (PDDRF) and Karaikal District Disaster Response Fund (KDDRF)

District	Amount released	No. of beneficiaries			
	(in Rs.)				
Puducherry	10,55,00,000	2110			
Karaikal	1,53,50,000	307			
Total	12,08,50,000	2417			

# EXCISE DEPARTMENT

➤STATE EXCISE is one of the major contributors of revenue to the exchequer of the Union Territory of Puducherry.

Regulation of production, manufacture, possession, import, export, transport, purchase and sale of liquor and intoxicating drugs and the levy of duties of excise thereon in the Union Territory of Puducherry, governed by the Puducherry Excise Act & Rules 1970.

### EXCISE DEPARTMENT

Secretary Excise-cum-Excise Commissioner **Deputy Commissioner (Excise)** (Puducherry / Karaikal / Mahe / Yanam **Tahsildars (Excise Inspectors) Deputy Tahsildars (Excise Inspectors) Revenue Inspectors (Excise Sub-Inspectors) All VAOs (Excise Guards)** 

# **SOURCES OF REVENUE**

- Licence Fee of FL.1, FL.2 licences, FL.2 Tourism Category / Distilleries / Brewery / Microbrewery
- Excise Duty, Additional Excise Duty, Special Excise Duty and Import Fee collected from Local Manufacturers and Wholesalers in case of Import

Kist for sale of arrack and toddy

Label Registration / Renewal fee

# DETAILS OF FL.1 & FL.2 LIQUOR SHOPS

	No. of IMFL Shops									
		FL.1			FL.2					
Region	Gen	Со-ор.	Total	General with Bar	General without Bar	Tourism Category	Co-op. with Bar	Co-op. without Bar	Total	of FL-1 & FL-2
Puducher ry	38	1	39	128	0	103	11	3	245	284
Karaikal	13	0	13	36	0	10	1	1	48	61
Mahe	27	0	27	33	0	1	0	0	34	61
Yanam	7	0	7	7	0	2	0	5	14	21
Grand Total	85	1	86	204	0	116	12	9	341	427

### **ARRACK AND TODDY**

- Right of retail vend of Arrack and Toddy shops is auctioned every year by e-auction process
- Lease period is from 1st July to 30th June of the subsequent year (Fasli Year)

'calalauction.py.gov.in' developed by NIC is used for e-auctioning

No arrack / toddy shops in Mahe and Yanam regions

Region	No.of Arrack Shops	No.of Toddy Shops		
Puducherry	84	64		
Karaikal	25	25		
Total	109	89		

### YEAR WISE REVENUE DETAILS

Year	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	150	800	Total
				(Ru	pees in	Crores)				
2016-17	89.39	1.85	84.95	59.55	421.02	0.028	4.89	0.37	9.20	671.25
2017-18	85.18	1.63	94.81	63.52	512.62	0.022	1.36	0.20	10.63	769.97
2018-19	89.89	1.32	113.81	60.50	573.15	0.026	0.00	0.25	11.86	850.81
2019-20	91.03	1.67	125.11	63.02	577.87	0.036	0.00	0.21	9.15	868.10
2020-21	106.41	1.72	45.14	48.91	587.72	0.020	0.00	2.49	5.71	798.12
2021-22	70.73	1.00	151.78	60.77	778.82	0.003	0.00	2.25	6.58	1071.93

101- Arrack; 102 - Toddy; 103 - Beer; 104 - Licence Fee; 105- IMFL; 106 - Denatured Spirits; 107 - M &

TP 150 – Fines; 800 – Other receipts

# REVENUE EARNED FROM RETAIL VENDING OF ARRACK AND TODDY

Sl. No	Financial Year	Revenue realized Rs.	Increase in revenue Rs.	Percentage of increase
1.	2014-15	95.10 Crore	-5.27 Crore	-5.25 %
2.	2015-16	92.24 Crore	-2.86 Crore	-3.01 %
3.	2016-17	90.14 Crore	-2.00 Crore	-2.22 %
4.	2017-18	88.57 Crore	-1.57 Crore	-1.77 %
5.	2018-19	87.00 Crore	-1.57 Crore	-1.80 %
6.	2019-20	83.50 Crore	-3.50 Crore	-4.19 %
7.	2020-21	86.99 Crore	3.49 Crore	4.01 %
8.	2021-22	121.53 Crore	34.54 Crore	28.42 %

# EXCISE REVENUE 2021-2022

- **❖** The Finance Department has fixed the target of Rs.1036 Cr for the FY 2021-22.
- ❖ Despite the Covid pandemic, the Department was able to achieve collection of Rs.1071.93 Cr.
- \* Excise Revenue crossed the Rs.1000 Cr mark for the first time in the UT of Puducherry.

### SPECIAL EXCISE DUTY IMPOSED @ 20%

- Govt. of Puducherry has fixed a revenue target of Rs.1000 crores to Excise Dept. for the financial year 2021-22
- In order to meet the targeted revenue receipts, SED was levied at an uniform rate of 20% across all brands w.e.f. 15.07.2021.
- Average monthly revenue receipts increased to 100 crores as against the previous collection of 65 crores.
- Increase in prices of liquor due to imposition of 20% SED does not have major impact on the sales of liquor but the sales of premium brands, wine and beer has shown declining trend.
- Sales of certain high end premium brands have only reduced due to increase in prices but the volume of sales of such brands will be meagre.
- ❖ 60% of the market share is contributed by cheap segments brands which has shown a slight drop in sales (5 to 10%).

## **VACANCY POSITION**

### **REVENUE**

Name of the Post	Total Posts	Vacancy
Tahsildar	53	15
Deputy Tahsildar	58	28
Revenue Inspector	51	0
Village Administrative Officer	115	11
Village Assistant	119	91

### **SURVEY**

Name of the Post	Total Posts	Vacancy
Deputy Surveyor	34	7
Field Surveyor	46	42
Field Assistant	43	31
Draughtsman	19	12

# **ONGOING** SCHEMES/ PROGRAMMES/ WORKS/ PROJECTS

#### A.1.1RAJIV GANDHI SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEME

Providing financial assistance for death and accidental benefits to the family members of victims of BPL families within the age limit of 18-60 years

Natural death - Rs.30,000/Un-natural death - Rs.75,000/Permanent Total Disability - Rs.75,000/Partial Permanent Total Disability - Rs.37,500/-

Year	No. of beneficiaries	Amount sanctioned
2019 - 2020	1423	4,87,20,000
2020 - 2021	794	2,63,40,000
2021 - 2022	521	1,72,05,000

Around 3,000 applications are pending for allocation of fund of about Rs.12 Crore in the State Budget

## A.1.1 RAJIV GANDHI SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEME

		Milestones			
Deliverables	Timeline for completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Important and not Urgent					
To provide financial assistance to all the below poverty line family members in the Union Territory of Puducherry		applied of R pendical allocal in the of disbut assist Family complements.	cations ls.12 ng for ation in e cond Accor rsemen cance to lies leted hs	o the e	s are of fund Budget Head The of ligible be an 3 the

## A.1.2 NIRBHAYA FUND (VICTIM COMPENSATION FUND).

		Milestones			
Steps to be undertaken	Timeline for completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Assistance to be given to the victim or his/her dependents who have suffered loss or injury or both as a result of the Crime	As and When a request from the eligible beneficiaries arises	the S	applical cheme In sectio	is appe	

The Government of Puducherry has received Rs.10,00,000/-(Rupees Ten Lakhs only) as grant in aid for Central Victim Compensation Scheme in the year 2016-17.

So, far an amount of Rs.3,00,000/-(Rupees Three Lakhs only) has been released to the victims under Victim Compensation Scheme and the balance amount of Rs.7,00,000/-(Seven Lakhs only) is available in the concerned Head of Account.

## A.1.3 SENDAI FRAMEWORK FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

		Timeline for	Milestones	
Deliverables	ables Steps to be undertaken		Q1	
Technical assistance in preparation of the Hazard Risk Vulnerability Atlas for the State	In consultation with Puducherry State / National Remote Sensing Agency. Hazardous Risk Vulnerable Atlas. Maps & GIS to be prepared. Necessary Tech. Asst is to be processed.		Under the Scheme One Data Entry Operator has to be engaged. Already short-listed. Practice/skill test and Interviews to be	
Alignment of State Plans and District Plans in accordance with Sendai Framework	The State Plan is to be prepared in consultation with concerned with concern departments and District Administration, Karaikal and Regional Administrators Mahe and Yanam.	1 year	conducted & selection will be completed by the end of May, 2022.  Preparation of State and DDMP Plans.  Purchase of office	
Facilitating Govt. depts. in preparation of their Departmental Disaster Management Plan	paration of their Continuous process – the data on Disaster tmental Disaster is being collected regularly.		equipments under the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction scheme by June, 2022.	

## A.1.3 SENDAI FRAMEWORK FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

	Steps to be	Timeline	Milestones			
Deliverables	undertaken	for completion	Q2	Q3		
Coordinating Mock drills, compiling reports, compiling data during disasters, help in organization of joint workshops with States	Table Top Exercise / Mockdrill are to be conducted in co-ordination with NDRF 4 <sup>th</sup> Battalion, Arakkonam. A Mockdrill on Tsunami as already conducted during Dec 2021.	Ongoing and continuous	Table Top Exercises and left out activities during 1st Qtr.			
Compiling and timely furnishing of data and information to NDMA on disaster aspects, implementation of NDMA schemes, and Sendai Framework Monitoring Indicators	Data & information to be furnished to NDMA as and when required.	continuous	Compilation of data			
Enhancing disaster preparedness for effective response and to "Build Back Better" in recovery, rehabilitation and reconstruction	Organization of Training Programs on Disaster Preparedness with reference to Cyclone, Flood, Tsunami separately. Organisation IRS training to the Government functionaries.  Draft Disaster Management Policy for the U.T of Puducherry is prepared.	Proposed during Aug, Sept, 2022	Separate training programme on cyclone, heavy rainfall, floods & IRS during Augh/Sept, 2022.	Conduct of Training programs and preparation of DM Policy		

#### A.1.3 SENDAI FRAMEWORK FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

Deliverables Steps to be undertaken		m:1: 6	Milestones
		Timeline for completion	Q4
Collection of reports about the lessons learnt and best practices from the State and exchange/ sharing of these among the States and NDMA	Best Practices of Managing Disasters and Success stories and lessons with reference to Cyclone disasters.		
Assist the UTPDMA in identifying opportunities for mainstreaming Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) in development programmes.	*	Proposed during Aug, Sept, 2022	Documentation of Best Practices, preparation of Mainstreaming of DRR any other Task

#### SENDAI FRAMEWORK FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

- The Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) Scheme is being implemented in this UT of Puducherry, under the financial assistance provided by National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), New Delhi.
- The MoU was signed between the NDMA and Govt. of Puducherry for the implementation. Accordingly, one Senior Consultant has been engaged since 16/09/2021.
- The scheme is being implemented for a period of 3 years from the date of signing of MoU and NDMA provide an amount of Rs. 55.85 lakhs under the scheme. So far, the NDMA released an amount of Rs. 12.50 lakhs and the same has been accounted in the State Budget.

#### A.1.4 COMMON ALERTING PROTOCOL (CAP)

Delimovahlas	Steps to be	Mile	stones			
Deliverables	undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
A CAP based early warning platform which will integrate the alert generating agencies, alert authorizing agencies and the alert disseminating agencies on a common platform to warn the Indian public of emergencies and disasters	All major activities of design, development, training officials and providing User Access to DMAs, conducting Mock drill to disseminate SMS have been achieved already	The project is in transition stage from C-DOT to the SDMA, Puducherry. The necessary action will be taken to take over Soft ware from C-DOT by end of June, 2022	Necessary training to handle the software will be imparted to all concerned officials/staff.	stabilized	ect will be d and smo n of the pr nsured.	

The Approved alerts will be pushed to the alert disseminating agencies for dissemination to the citizens of the specific location where the hazard is likely to occur.



## A.1.5 EXTENSION OF EMERGENCY RESPONSE SUPPORT SYSTEM (EERSS)

Deliverables	Steps to be	Timeline for		Milestones		
undertaken		completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
to provide single telephone number 112 to seek help in case	to develop infrastructure of SEOC for implementation of the project	2022, the project will be	Manpower engagement will be finalized. The engaged manpower will be trained by CDAC, Trivandrum	The project will operation of the		

#### A.1.6 UP-SCALING OF AAPDA MITRA

Deliverabl	Steps to be	Timeline for	Milestones					
es	undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4		
Conduct of training for volunteers	The State Training Institution has been addressed in this regard	30/09/2022		volunteer s will be trained by July2022	trained by	volunteers will be trained by Sep.2022		

#### A.1.5 AAPDA MITRA

- The National Disaster Management Authority, New Delhi is implementing a scheme namely "Up-scaling of Aapda Mitra" for training of community volunteers in Disaster Response.
- The Aim of the scheme is to provide training to Volunteers with the skills that need to response to their community's for immediate needs in the aftermath of disaster such as floods / flash floods & urban flooding.
- The NDMA has identified the UT of Puducherry under the scheme for imparting training to 500 community volunteers
- The entire scheme is funded by the NDMA, which provides grants for training to volunteers and procurement/maintenance of emergency responded kits (ERK) and Emergency Essential Resource Reserve (EERR).
- The total fund required to operate the entire scheme is Rs. 2,27,50,000/- which shall entirely be funded by NDMA, New Delhi and has so far released Rs.1,36,50,000/-.

## A.1.7 Establishment & Operationalisation of Civil Defense in Puducherry

5.0		Timeline for		Mile	stones	
Deliverables	Steps to be undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Civil Defence set-up and targeted to	Application procedure for enrollment in CD is made round the year. Advertisement to call for enrollment will be done periodically	number of CD Volunteers from 40 to 200 before 31st March, 2022. Another 500 volunteers are proposed to be trained under Aapda Mitra Scheme, and hence, the	CD volunteers engaged for North East Monsoon has been issued vide GO. Ms. No.	raise 100 more volunteers and impart necessary training by end of this	Disaster	100 more

# A.1.7. ESTABLISHMENT & OPERATIONALISATION OF CIVIL DEFENCE IN PUDUCHERRY

- As per the instruction of Directorate of Civil Defence, MHA, Government of India to activate Civil Defence in the Categorized Districts, the Government of Puducherry initiated action to set up Civil Defence Corps during the year 2015 and again revamped the process of establishing Civil Defence in the year 2021.
- 40 volunteers were selected and given 8 days basic training in relief & rescue operation, First Aid techniques and activities of various Departments during disaster situation. Resource person various Departments, Fire & Rescue Department, NDRF and NGO specialized in Rescue & Relief operation shared their knowledge and gave hands on training to Civil Defence Volunteers.
- All those 40 trained volunteers were successfully inducted into Civil Defence Force of Puducherry after due approval of Government.
- A target of raising 7000 volunteers in the span of 3 years has been fixed and in the 1<sup>st</sup> phase, it is planned to enrol 500 trained Civil Defence Volunteers has been incepted.

## A.1.8 IMPLEMENTATION OF NATIONAL GENERIC DOCUMENT REGISTRATION SYSTEM (NGDRS) ON PILOT BASIS

Steps to be undertaken	Timeline for completion	Milestones			
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
a)Finalizing requirements b)Completion of UAT c)Rollout of Pilot project	12 Months	<ul> <li>Comparing NGDRS with</li> <li>e-Pathiram</li> <li>Finalizing requirements</li> </ul>	Testing the pilot application	UAT complet ion	Rollout of NGDRS on pilot basis

❖ NGDRS - New software developed by NIC, Pune for registration of deeds, pilot project in Bahour Sub-Registry was launched.

A.1.9 IMPLEMENTING CASHLESS TRANSACTION OFFICE BY ONLINE PAYMENT THROUGH PAYGOV PAYMENT GATEWAY

Steps to be	Timeline for completion	Milestones				
undertaken		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
a)Completion of UAT b)Signing of Agreement with NDML c)Integration of Payment gateway with online applications	6 Months	<ul> <li>Application testing and integration</li> <li>Completion of UAT</li> </ul>	Integration of Payment gateway with eServices & document registration application • Mandating online transaction			

A.1.10 DIGITIZATION OF INDEX RECORDS FROM THE YEAR 1969 IN YANAM & MAHE SUB-REGISTRIES

Steps to be	Timeline		Milestones			
undertaken	for completion	Q1	Q2	<b>Q</b> 3	Q4	
<ul><li>a) Issue of sanction for engaging DEO's</li><li>b) Data entry and completion of verification</li><li>c)Integration of the data in public domain</li></ul>	12 Months	<ul> <li>Issue of expenditure sanction</li> <li>Engaging Manpower</li> </ul>	Digitization of the records from the year 1969 to 2007	3 Levels of Verificati on of the records	Integratio n of the data in public domain	

#### A.1.11 DIGITAL INDIA LAND RECORDS MODERNISATION PROGRAMME

Steps to be	Timeline for		Milestones		
undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Digitization of Settlement records in Mahe region	6 Months	Data entry process will be completed	Data verification process will be completed and launched in public domain		
Digitization of Settlement records in Yanam region	3 Months	Data entry and Data verification will be completed and launched in public domain			

## **OBJECTIVES OF DILRMP**

- \* To usher in a system of updated Land Records
- \* Automated mutations.
- \* Integration of textual and spatial records.
- \* Inter-connectivity between Revenue, Registration and Survey.

## COMPONENTS UNDER DILRMP

- Computerization of Land Records
- Computerization of Registration
- Modern Record Rooms at Taluk level
- Survey/Resurvey and Updating of Survey & Settlement records
- Core GIS
- PMU Project Management Unit
- NLRMP Cell

#### **COMPONENT-WISE FUND RECEIVED AND UTILISED**

COMPONENTS	Amount sanctioned and released (in lakhs)	Amount utilized (in lakhs)	Unspent Balance (in lakhs)
Computerization of land records	55.93	54.12	1.81
Survey / Resurvey and updating of survey & settlement records	73.05	-	73.05
Computerization of Registration	5.0	5.82	-0.82
Modern Record Rooms	168.59	162.96	5.63
NLRMP Cell	196.07	154.03	42.04
Total	498.64	376.93	121.71

# DILRMP CONTD... DIGITIZATION OF SETTLEMENT RECORDS

Sl. No.	Region/ District	Status
1	Puducherry region	Computerization of Settlement Records for all 81 Revenue villages were completed and extracts are issued online, through Common Service Centres and also available in public domain <a href="mailto:nilamagal.py.gov.in">nilamagal.py.gov.in</a>
2	Mahe region	Data entry work is under progress.
3	Yanam region	Data entry for all 6 Revenue villages were completed and data verification is under progress.
4	Karaikal region	Computerization of Settlement Records for all 37 Revenue villages were completed and extracts are issued in online, through Common Service Centres and also available in public domain <a href="mailto:nilamagal.py.gov.in">nilamagal.py.gov.in</a>

## A.1.12 SVAMITVA - ISSUANCE OF PROPERTY CARDS IN ABADI AREAS OF RURAL VILLAGES IN UT

Steps to be	Timeline for		Milestones		
undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Ground-Truthing of Map-I of the Survey of India, Chennai					
Identification of eligible beneficiaries of after conduct of social audit	As per the frame work of SVAMITVA	Offline Training in	Ground-Truthing of	Approval of the Government to be obtained for	
Approval of the Government to be obtained for taking policy decision for issue of Property Card under SVAMITVA Scheme	Scheme, the timeline for the scheme covers for a period of 5 years from April 2020 to March 2025	"SARTHI APP of Survey of India" to carry forward the Ground-Truthing	Map-I of the Survey of India, Chennai and Identification of beneficiaries	taking policy decision for issue of Property Card under SVAMITVA Scheme	Issue of Property Cards
Issue of Property Cards to the targeted communities under SVAMITVA Scheme					

## CENTRAL SECTOR SCHEME SVAMITVA

- Survey of Villages and Mapping with Improvised Technology in Villages Areas(SVAMITVA) CSS Scheme of MoPR Launched By Hon'ble Prime Minister On 24.04.2020.
- UT of Puducherry implemented SVAMITVA scheme in abadi areas of all 96 rural villages abadi area means free house site pattas issued by the Directorate & Adi-Dravidar & ST Welfare Department.
- O MoPR earmarked Rs.500/- per village for chunna marking which is yet to be received.

#### **OBJECTIVES OF SVAMITVA**

- Creation of "Record of Rights(RoR)" for rural areas.
- Issue of Property Cards to all rural households to enable them to get loans from banks.
- Improved Demand assessment process HIGHER collection of house tax to CPs.
- Creation of GIS maps that can be leveraged by any department for their use.
- To support in preparation of better-quality Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP) by making use of GIS maps.

## **SVAMITVA - PRESENT STATUS**

Region	Total Rural Revenue Villages	Drone flying completed	Total No. of Free House Sites covered (Approx.)
Puducherry	67	67	11656
Karaikal	29	29	2126
Total	96	96	13782

# A. 2. NEW INITIATIVES / PROJECTS

## A.2.1 Preparation of District Survey Report

	Steps to be	Timeline		Milestones		
	undertaken	for completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
A.	Floating of Tender for preparation of DSR	3 months for tender process to	Completion of Tender	Survey and Preparation		
В.	Preparation of DSR by the Selected Agency	be completed	Process	by the Agency		

# A.2.2 FORMULATION OF PROCEDURE FOR REVISION/UPDATION OF GLR IN UT OF PUDUCHERRY

	Timeline for	Milest	cones
Steps to be undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2
<ul> <li>A. Issue of GO prescribing Procedure for GLR revision</li> <li>B. Revision of GLR by Concerned SDMs as per the GO</li> <li>C. Compilation and Approval by IGR</li> </ul>	6 months	Preparation of GI concerned SDMS in the proc Final Compilation IGI	accordance with cedure and approval by

## A.2.3 FRAMING OF PUDUCHERRY TENANCY ACT AND RULES BASED ON THE MODEL TENANCY ACT/RULES OF GOVT. OF INDIA

Steps to be Timeline for			Milestones		
	undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2	Q3
A. В. С.	Vetting of the Draft by Law Department and Finance Department  Approval of the Bill by Council of Ministers  Approval of the Bill by Government of India  Enactment of Tenancy act and forming of rules there under	9 months	Vetting by Law Department and concurrence of FD and placing before the Cabinet	Submission for approval of Government of India and enactment of Act	Framing of Rules under the approved act

# A.2.4 FRAMING OF BANNING OF UNREGULATED DEPOSIT SCHEMES RULES

Steps to be undertaken	Timeline for	Milestones	
Steps to be undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2
<ul> <li>A. Draft rules to be vetted by Law Department</li> <li>B. Government of India Consultation</li> <li>C. Implementation of BUDS Rules in Puducherry</li> </ul>	6 months	Vetting by Law Department and approval of the Government	Consultation with Government of India and implementation if the Rules

## A.2.5 FRAMING OF ANAND MARRIAGE RULES

	Steps to be	Timeline for	Milesto	ones	
	undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2	
A.	Clarification from Government of India			Vetting of Law	
В.	Law department vetting of Draft Rules	6 months	Clarification from Govt. of India	Department and Approval of Rules by Govt. of Puducherry	
C.	Approval of Govt. of Puducherry			J	

A.2.6 REVISION OF COURT FEES IN LINE WITH THE RATES FIXED BY THE GOVT. OF TAMIL NADU (BASED ON SUGGESTIONS OF THE STATE PLANNING BOARD)

	Steps to be	Timeline for	Mileste	ones	
	undertaken	completion	Q1	Q2	
B.	Proposal to be prepared in line with the Government of Tamil Nadu  Vetting of Law Department and Concurrence of FD  Approval of the Council of Ministers  Implementation of the Approved revision	6 months	<ul> <li>A. Proposal to be prepared in line with the Government of Tamil Nadu</li> <li>B. Vetting of Law Department and Concurrence of FD</li> </ul>	C. Approval of the Council of Ministers  D. Implementation of the Approved revision	

# A.2.7 END TO END COMPUTERIZATION OF ENTIRE SUPPLY CHAIN OF LIQUOR USING QR CODE BASED HOLOGRAMS

Steps to be undertaken	Timeline for completio n	Milestones				
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	
<ul> <li>(a) Floating of Tender</li> <li>(b) Selection of firm for supply of holograms</li> <li>(c) Development of software for QR code mapping</li> </ul>	10 months	Floating of tender	Finalization of firm	Development of software	Integration of software developed by NIC with hologram	

# C. IT INITIATIVES

# C.1 DEVELOPMENT OF SOFTWARE FOR ISSUE OF ONLINE CERTIFICATES IN TALUK OFFICE

Character la a	Timeline	Milestones			
Steps to be undertaken	for completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
<ul><li>a. Development of</li><li>Software</li><li>b. Testing</li><li>c. Implementation</li></ul>	12 Months	System Requirement study & Analysis	Syste Develop	em oment	Testing & Launching

#### C.2 LICENSESOFT - ONLINE LICENSING / PERMISSION SYSTEM

Steps to be undertaken	Timeline for	Milestones			
	completion	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
<ul><li>(i) Application developed by NIC needs alteration &amp; online fee payment facility to be integerated for effective implementation.</li><li>(ii) Integration of online fee portal of LAD with Licensesoft application by NIC Film shooting services.</li></ul>	12 Months	Application modification as per requirement	Integrat paym modi	ent	Testing & Launching

'Licensesoft' is an online application developed by NIC to issue various services under the Explosives Act & Rules, The Petroleum Act & Rules, the Pondicherry Cinema (Regulation) Act & Rules and Film shooting applications. However, the existing application needs modifications for effective implementation.

As the fee collecting department is the Local Administration Department, the payment gateway of LAD needs to be integrated with the 'Licensesoft'.

#### C.3 AUTOMATIC ONLINE MUTATION

Stone to be undertalism	Timeline for completion	Milestones	
Steps to be undertaken		Q1	Q2
(i) Amendment of Puducherry Settlement Act, 1970 & Rules (ii) Technical integration of Nilamagal and e-Pathiram web applications by NIC, Puducherry to enable automatic online mutation	6 Months	Puducherry Settlement Act, 1970 & Rules will be amended	J

Automatic Mutation is one of the Budget Assurance of Hon'ble Chief Minister of Puducherry.

The proposal for amendment of the Settlement Act and Rules for implementation of online automatic mutation of land records is in pipeline.

#### C.4 DIGITIZATION OF LEGACY LAND RECORDS

Steps to be	Timeline for completion	Milestones			
undertaken		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
(i) Expenditure sanction to be obtained for hiring 5 no. of DEO for scanning purpose	12 Months	Scanning and digitization of minimum of 25000 records	Scanning and digitization of minimum of 25000 records	Scanning and digitization of minimum of 25000 records	Scanning and digitization of minimum of 25000 records

Legacy land records are assets of Revenue administration. Matrice Cadastrals are preserved since French regime i.e. from the year 1914. Scanning and digitization is completed for more than 26,000 records against the existing 1,00,000 records, approx.

# D. DETAILS OF IMPORTANT COURT CASES / LITIGATIONS

# D.1. S.L.P.(C) No.8105 of 2020 FILED BEFORE THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA – GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY VS. P.UDHAYANILAVAN

• Pertains to claim for issue of Scheduled Caste certificate to Migrant SC.

# D.2. S.L.P.(C) No.22634 of 2010 FILED BEFORE THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA – GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY VS. P.JEYA

• Pertains to claim for issue of Scheduled Caste Certificate based on maternal residence

# D.3. S.L.P.(C) DIARY NO.5000 OF 2019 FILED BEFORE THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

• Pertains to attachment of Rs.100 crore receivable by Thiru. Natarajan, Ex-Director of defaulted PNL Nidhi Ltd., for payment to depositors

# D.4. S.L.P.(C) No.4374 of 2017 FILED BEFORE THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

 Pertains to Freezing of GLR value for the lands acquired for Pondicherry Paper Limited which was sold to M/s Navasakthi Township

## D.5. S.L.P.(C) DIARY NO.7478 OF 2018 FILED BEFORE THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

 Pertains to challenging the award passed for Acquisition of lands for formation of a link road south of Puducherry – Villupuram railway line by passing Arumparthapuram – Natesan Nagar segment of NH-45A

# D.6. S.L.P.(C) DIARY NO.31746 OF 2021 FILED BEFORE THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA

• SLP filed by GoP challenging the order of the High Court striking down the amendment of Rule 34(i) of the Puducherry Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Rules, 2016

## E. MAJOR CAG OBSERVATIONS

#### E.1. Report of the CAG for the year ended March 2019

3.12 Failure of Registering Officers of the Registration Department of Puducherry in implementing the orders of UT Government of Puducherry has resulted in non-withdrawal of concession of stamp duty and transfer duty surcharge amounting to 1.52 crore granted to women property.

Scrutiny of 925 instruments registered in the District Registry, Puducherry and Sub Registry, Oulgaret" during the period 2013-14 to 2017-18 revealed that, in 71 cases, the women purchasers who availed the concession of 50 per cent of stamp duty and transfer duty surcharge on purchase of properties had subsequently executed deeds of alienation within five years of such purchase.

Recommendation: Government may instruct the Department to adhere the instructions issued by the competent authority and collect the duty and fees accordingly without any omission.

Action taken by the Department: Necessary steps are being taken to recover the remaining 50% women concession stamp duty of all the referred 65 cases.

#### E.2. Report of the CAG for the year ended March 2017

#### 3.10.5.4 Non-establishment of connectivity between sub-registries and taluk offices

Integration between sub-registries and taluk office records was envisaged in the project to issue patta, based on the registered documents. However, it is observed that digitisation of index register prior to 2008 was not completed (July 2017) by the Registration Department. Further, fresh re-survey/ survey and updating of all survey and settlement records were also not conducted. The Department of Survey stated (April 2017) that surveys and updation would be conducted under a centrally sponsored scheme. Since these two Departments did not complete the above task, the automatic mutation with revenue records at the time of registration of documents under e-Pathiram was not achieved.

Action taken by the Department: The Department has already integrated the Land Records Software "Nilamagal" and Registration Department Software "e-Pathiram". The Registration particulars are sent electronically daily to the concerned Taluk Tahsildars in Form-13A for issue of Pattas.

#### E.2. Report of the CAG for the year ended March 2017

#### 3.10.4 Levy of stamp duty on agreements relating to sale of securities / shares

A perusal of the data collected from Multi Commodity Exchange of India Ltd. (MCX) and National Stock Exchange (NSE) showed that there was a turnover of Rs. 2,16,620.45 crore from the residents of Puducherry in these exchanges for the period from 2013-14 to 2015-16.

The rates of duty for these instruments were also due for revision as they were formulated in 1899. At the rate applicable in the State of Tamil Nadu (0.006 per cent), the duty on the above turnover would have yielded a stamp duty of Rs.13 crore for the three years. The Registration Department is responsible for ensuring collection of the same.

During Exit Conference, the Secretary stated that the system prevailing in the State of Tamil Nadu would be studied and feasibility of implementing the same in UT of Puducherry would be considered.

Action taken by the Department: At present stamp duty is levied only on transactions of conveyances. The Department would obtain concurrence of the Finance Department to levy stamp duty on agreement and shares as observed by the CAG.

#### E.3. Report of the CAG for the year ended March 2018

## 2.3.2 Failure of the Project Implementation Agency to avail the excise duty exemption resulted in avoidable expenditure of Rs.54.47 lakh

Government of India approved Rs.188 crore for Union Territory Government of Puducherry under CDRRP in 2014-15 and released the funds to the Project Implementation Agency (PIA) between September 2014 and March 2015 for undertaking works under CDRRP. The CDRRP was financially assisted by the World Bank.

Scrutiny of records (March 2017) relating to three packages awarded to two private firms (November 2015) revealed that the contractor procured the materials required for the project at a cost of Rs.4.36 crore including excise duty of Rs. 54.47 lakh. The contractor failed to avail the excise duty exemption as per the Central Excise notification mentioned above in spite of clause 13.3 of the agreement which clearly specified the procedure to be followed.

It was in the interest of the implementing authority to ensure that the central excise exemption was availed. Thus, payment of excise duty to the materials procured, without availing the exemption notified by GOI for WB aided project had resulted in avoidable expenditure of Rs.54.47 lakh under the project.

Action taken by the Department: The Project Implementing Agency has informed that the remarks pointed out by the Audit will be taken for further guidance.

### F.MATTERS PENDING WITH GOI

#### GLR REDUCTION IN RESPECT OF CHINNAYAPURAM

- The proposal for reduction of GLR Value in respect of lands at Chinnayapuram has been approved by the Council of Ministers by circulation and the same was submitted to the former Lt. Governor, Puducherry.
- The Lieutenant Governor, Puducherry after perusal of the resolution of Cabinet, had not agreed with the proposed reduction in Guideline value for Chinnayapuram area, and thus referred the matter to the Government of India for a decision
- The Ministry of Home Affairs in turn has requested for the comments of the Government of Puducherry and the same was prepared and submitted to the Government of Puducherry for Approval

#### DRAFT LAND PURCHASE POLICY

- The Govt. of Puducherry has proposed a land purchase policy on voluntary basis rather than through the compulsory process of acquisition to ensure timely and litigation-free availability of land for development projects of the Government.
- The Draft Land Purchase Policy duly approved by the Council of Ministers was referred to the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, for appropriate decision by the Hon'ble Lt. Governor, vide D.O. Letter dated 14.09.2019.

#### NATIONAL FAMILY BENEFIT SCHEME

• Financial assistance under National Family Benefit Scheme has not been received from GoI since 2014-15. Details of funds to be received from Ministry of Rural Development is tabulated below.

Financial year	Assistance received from GOI (in Lakh)	Balance to be received from GOI (in Lakh)
2014-15	43.71	14.57
2015-16	0	58.28
2016-17	0	58.28
2017-18	0	58.28
2018-19	0	58.28
2019-20	0	58.28
2020-21	0	58.28
2021-22	0	58.28
Total Assistance yet to be received from GOI		422.53

Ministry of Rural Development has been addressed for release of funds for the period 2014-2022.

### PROPOSALS TO AUGMENT REVENUE

#### **REVENUE AUGMENTATION MEASURES**

o A detailed GO prescribing procedure for revision / updation of Guidelines values (GLR) has been proposed. On implementation this would reduce the gap between GLR and Market Values thereby contributing higher revenue in the form of Registration fees, Stamp and Transfer Duty.

• Revision of Court fee in line with the rates of Tamilnadu Court fees is being proposed.

#### **REVENUE AUGMENTATION MEASURES**

End to End computerization to track the movement of liquor from manufacturing stage to consumer end has been initiated with the help of NIC.

Merger of first three AED slabs thereby fixing the minimum rate of AED at 81 rupees.

- Increasing the minimum cap fixed for imported brands from the declared price range of Rs.600 to higher level
- Digitization of various permits viz., Transport, Import, Export using Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) to avoid human interaction.
- Levy of MRP based duty for liquor to avoid multiple tax structures.

#### **REVENUE AUGMENTATION MEASURES**

- GPS tracking of consignments carrying ENA to be imported by the distilleries in the UT of Puducherry.
- SED was levied for the purpose of additional revenue augmentation measure and it has yielded the desired result. However, the sales volume of premium brands was reduced due to increase in prices of such liquor compared to that of the price of liquor in the neighbouring states. Liquor Traders Association made a demand to reduce the rate of SED from 20 % to 10 % for premium, beer and wine as their business prospects got affected due to increase in prices of liquor due to levy of 20% SED.
- Sale data analysis will be done and based on its outcome, further course of action will be taken by the department.

### IMPORTANT PENDING UC

#### UC FOR PUDUCHERRY DISASTER RELIEF FUND

Year	Govt. of India Share (80%) (Rs. in Crore)	Govt. of Puducherry share (20%) (Rs. in Crore)	Total amount received (Rs. in crore)	Expenditure incurred (in Rs.)
2016-17	10.00	2.50	12.50	
2017-18	10.00	2.50	12.50	
2018-19	5.00	1.25	6.25	11,47,47,227
2019-20	5.00	1.25	6.25	8,47,89,564
2020-21	5.00	1.25	6.25	17,52,66,154
2021-22	5.00	1.25	6.25	13,98,50,000
2022-23			-	1,68,95,365
Total	40.00	10.00	50.00	53,15,48,310 *

<sup>\*</sup> Excessively released including Interest on FDs accrued so far in PDRF account.

Out of the Rs. 50.00 crore, the Utilization Certificate for the years of 2020-21 and 2021-22 has been furnished to the Govt. of India and UC for the period from 2016-17 to 2019-20 will be furnished shortly.

### **AUTONOMOUS BODIES**

#### PUDUCHERRY DISTRICT E-GOVERNANCE SOCIETY (PDEGS)

#### • Formation of Society:

- In pursuance of the Guidelines for National Roll out of e-District Mission Mode Projects (MMP), Puducherry District e-Governance Society (PDeGS) & Karaikal Puducherry District e-Governance Society (KDeGS) have been constituted under the Chairmanship of the respective District Collectors.
- The purpose of the Society is for the implementation of e-District project for over all benefit of citizens by setting up necessary administrative, financial, legal and technical framework, implementation mechanism and resources in the district of Puducherry.

#### PUDUCHERRY DISTRICT E-GOVERNANCE SOCIETY (PDEGS)

#### Activities undertaken under PDeGS

- Selection of Village Level Entrepreneurs (VLEs) for establishment of Common Service Centre (CSC) in all Gram Panchayats and Municipalities of Puducherry District.
- > Data Digitization of Index Registers of all Sub Registrar Offices in Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe and Yanam regions.
- > Purchase of Desktop computers, printers, scanners for VAO / RI towards facilitating issue of online certificates.

#### • Financial Support for PDeGS

- Funds for functioning of the PDeGS is obtained as Grantin-Aids from Government of India, Government of Puducherry and CSC SPV, New Delhi.
- Apart from the above a share of services charges collected from CSCs is credited by the Directorate of Information Technology, Puducherry annually to PDeGS.
- Initial seed money of Rs.10 lakhs for each region (Puducherry, Karaikal, Mahe and Yanam) amounting to a tune of Rs.40 lakhs has been contributed by the G.O.I. for establishment and functioning.

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