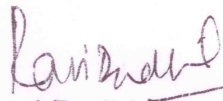


**Guidelines for functioning of KIOSKS for encouraging Self Employment
among Disabled Persons in the Islands, Lakshadweep**

The Department of Social Welfare and Tribal Affairs had sanctioned an amount of Rs. 9 lakhs for construction of KIOSKs one each at all Island except Kavaratti within the existing Hospital Premises and these KIOSKs, after construction, were to be allotted to eligible Disabled Persons.

In order to provide financial assistance to the Disabled Persons, it has now been decided to sanction an amount of Rs. 10,000/- each to such Disabled Persons who have already been allotted the said KIOSKs so that they can purchase utensils and other non-perishable items facilitating running of the KIOSK. A record of such purchases shall be maintained in a Register and the maximum limit is Rs. 10,000/- only as a one time grant. Medical Officer in charge concerned may purchase the items from Co-operative Supply & Marketing Societies with the concurrence of Island Level Committee and the bills may be forwarded to the State Health Society for payment.

This issues with approval of Administrator.


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