

UNEMPLOYED YOUTH EMPLOYMENT GENERATION PROGRAMME (UYEGP)

Reference: GO.Ms.No. 80, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (D2) Department, dated 30.07.2010.

1. Scheme:-

The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department, Government of Tamil Nadu introduced the scheme “ Unemployed Youth Employment Generation Programme (UYEGP)” which aims to mitigate the unemployment problems of socially and economically weaker section of the society, particularly among **the educated and unemployed to become self employed by setting up Manufacturing / Service / Business enterprises by availing loan up to the maximum of Rs.5 Lakhs, Rs. 3 Lakhs and Rs. 1 Lakh respectively with subsidy assistance from the State Government up to 15% of the project cost** from the year 2010-11 onwards.

2. Eligibility to avail Loan under this scheme:-

- Any individual, above 18 years of age. Upper age limit for General category is 35 years and for Special category 45 years.
- Minimum educational qualification is pass in VIII standard.
- The applicant shall be resident of the place for not less than 3 years.
- The family income of the beneficiary shall not exceed Rs. 1,50,000/- per annum.

3. Project funding and Subsidy details:-

Sl. No.	CATEGORY	PROJECT COST		SUBSIDY GIVEN BY GOVT. OF TAMIL NADU
		PROMOTER'S CONTRIBU- TION	BANK LOAN	
1.	General Category	10%	90%	15%
2.	SC / ST/ BC / MBC/ Minorities / Women / Ex-	5%	95%	15%

	Servicemen / Physically challenged / Transgender			
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4. How to apply?

The scheme will be advertised through print and electronic media. The eligible residents of Dindigul District can submit application along with project profile, copies of certificates for proof of educational qualification, nativity, community, Ex-servicemen (wherever applicable) and proof of physically challenged to the General Manager, District Industries Centre,Dindigul.

For application form and further details please contact :

**GENERAL MANAGER,
DISTRICT INDUSTRIES
CENTRE,
S.R.MILLS ROAD,
SIDCO INDUSTRIAL ESTATE,
DINDIGUL – 624 003.**

5. Other features of the scheme:-

- Seven days Entrepreneur Development Programme (EDP) training will be given to the beneficiaries.
- The District Task Force Committee headed by the General Manager, District Industries Centre, will select beneficiaries through interview process.
- Repayment schedule shall be for 5 years after an initial moratorium period of six months or date of commencement of project which ever is earlier.
- As a marketing support, General Manager, District Industries Centre, will arrange Buyer seller meet, Exhibitions etc..