

**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA****Abstract**

Industries Department - Rules for payment of share capital assistance to Primary Handloom Weavers Co-operative Societies - Enhancement of Government Share Participation - Amended - Orders issued.

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**INDUSTRIES (C) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.(Ms)No.61/2026/ID Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 10-09-2026

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Read:- 1. G.O.(MS) No. 15/1991/ID dated 04/02/1991.

2. G.O.(MS) No. 97/2002/ID dated 27/09/2002.

3. Letters No. HL/697/2022-C4 GSP dated 20.07.2022 & 12.02.2026  
from the Director of Handloom & Textiles,  
Thiruvananthapuram.

**ORDER**

As per the Government Order read as 1st paper above, rules were revised for the Government Share Participation to Primary Handloom Weavers Co-operative Societies in the State.

2) Subsequently, as per the Government Order read as 2nd paper above, Clause 7 of the Government Order read as 1st paper above was amended by fixing the maximum amount of Government Share Participation that may be provided to a Primary Handloom Co-operative Society at Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakh only) in a financial year.

3) The Director of Handloom & Textiles, as per the letter read as 3rd paper above, has submitted a proposal for enhancing the maximum payment of

Government Share Participation assistance to Primary Handloom Weavers Co-operative Societies from Rs. 5 Lakh to Rs. 10 Lakh per annum, with a view to enhancing their capacity for asset creation and augmenting their net disposable resources.

4) Government have examined the matter in detail. In supersession to clause 7 issued as per the Government order read as 1st paper above and amended as per Government order read as 2nd above, are pleased to amend Clause 7 of the rules for enhancing Government Share Participation assistance to Primary Handloom Weavers Co-operative Societies from Rs. 5 Lakh to Rs. 10 Lakh per annum, to increase the Asset creation capacity and increase net disposable resources of Primary Handloom Weavers Co-operative Societies, as specified below.

| Government Share Participation for Primary Handloom Weavers Societies                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| Existing Rule                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Amended Rule                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <p><b>No.7.</b> The maximum amount of Government Share Participation in Primary Handloom Weavers Co-operative Societies (PHWCS) under these rules will be 2 times of the total amount of paid up Share capital collected from the members in the Society (Excluding Govt., Bank, Corporations, Local Bodies and other bodies Corporate etc.)</p> <p>In the case of Cottage type PHWCS with collective weaving</p> | <p><b>No.7.</b> The maximum amount of Government Share Participation in PHWCS under these rules will be 2 times of the Total amount of paid up Share Capital collected from the members in the Society (Excluding Govt., Bank, Corporations, Local Bodies and other bodies Corporate etc.)</p> <p>In the case of Cottage type</p> |

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| <p>centre / workshed established with Govt.aid or aid from the NCDC or from other source and factory type WICS, the maximum limit of GSP will be 3 times of its paid up share capital collected from its members. The share participation by Govt. in SC / ST Handloom Societies shall be limited to 5 times the amount of share capital collected from individual members. ie, excluding Govt., Banks, Corporations, Local Bodies Corporate etc.</p> <p>However, the maximum share participation to be given under this scheme for a society shall be Rs.5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakh Only) in an year.</p> | <p>PHWCS with collective weaving centre / workshed established with Govt. aid or aid from the NCDC or from other source and factory type WICS, the maximum rate of GSP will be 3 times of its paid up share capital collected from its members. The Share participation by Govt. in SC / ST Handloom Societies shall be limited to 10 times the amount of share capital collected from individual members ie, excluding Govt., Bank, Corporations, Local Bodies Corporate etc.</p> <p>However, the maximum share participation to be given under this scheme for a society shall be Rs.10,00,000/- (Rupees Ten Lakh Only) in an year.</p> |
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(By order of the Governor)

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ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

To:

The Director, Handloom and Textiles, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Accountant General (Audit, A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The District Treasury Officer, Thiruvananthapuram.

Finance (I&PW-A) Department (Vide No.2323485/I&PW-A 3/7/2023-Fin).

Planning & Economic Affairs (A) Department (Vide PLGEA-A2/194/2024-PLGEA (E-2938264)).

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