



**Government of Jammu and Kashmir**  
**Social Welfare Department**

Subject:- Enhancement of financial assistance under State Marriage Assistance Scheme for Poor Girls.

Reference:-(i) Council of Minister's Decision No.045/06/2025 dated 27.03.2025.  
(ii) Finance Department's concurrence vide UO No. FD-Code/314/2025-02-1445 (7634581) dated 26.03.2025.  
(iii)Government Order No.49-JK(SWD) of 2022 dated 22-03-2022.

**Government Order No. 95-JK(SWD) of 2025**

**Dated:- 03-04-2025**

In partial modification to Government Order No.49-JK(SWD) of 2022 dated 22.03.2022, sanction is hereby accorded to the enhancement of financial assistance from Rs.50,000/- to Rs.75,000/- (one time) to poor girls of marriageable age belonging to AAY ration card holder families only under Marriage Assistance Scheme. In case of poor girls of marriageable age belonging to PHH ration card holder families, the financial assistance shall remain same i.e., Rs.50,000/- (one time). Accordingly, amendment to Government Order No.49-JK(SWD) of 2022 dated 22.03.2022 annexed as 'A' is also incorporated. This order shall be effective from 01.04.2025 onwards.

**By Order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.**

**Sd/-**

**Sanjeev Verma, IAS**

Commissioner Secretary to the Government,  
Social Welfare Department

Dated:- 03-04-2025

NO:-SWD-Acctt/173/2021 (98164)

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Director Finance

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**Amendment to Government Order No.49-JK(SWD) of 2022 dated 22.03.2022**

In continuation to Government Order No.49-JK(SWD) of 2022 dated 22.03.2022, the amendments in respect of S. No.1 and S. No.4 under '*Introduction*' and '*Benefits*' of the restructured guidelines of the scheme shall be made as under:-

**1. Introduction**

State Marriage Assistance Scheme for poor girls is a scheme meant for poor girls of marriageable age who belong to AAY (Antyodaya Anna Yojana) or PHH (Priority Households) ration card holder families, and shall be paid financial assistance @Rs.75,000/-(one time) in case of AAY and Rs.50,000/-(one time) in case of PHH ration card holders for getting married. The financial assistance shall have to be paid before her marriage.

**4. Benefits**

The eligible beneficiary girl belonging to AAY and PHH ration card holder families shall receive an amount of ₹75,000/- (rupees seventy five thousand only) and ₹50,000/- (rupees fifty thousand only) respectively as one time financial assistance before her marriage. The financial assistance shall be directly transferred into the individual bank accounts of the beneficiaries (marriageable girls) through DBT mode.

  
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