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Self-Employment Assistance to Dependents of Prisoners

Kerala's Social Justice Department gives self-employment help to the spouse or unemployed unmarried child of a prisoner serving five years or more, from a BPL family.

What you may get

Financial help to start self-employment is given to the dependents of prisoners serving a sentence of five years or more. A Probation Officer enquires into each application and records a priority order.

Who it is for

The spouse, or the unemployed unmarried son or daughter, of a prisoner serving five years or more, from a BPL family.

Main conditions

- The prisoner must have been sentenced to 5 years or more and be in jail now.
- Only the spouse or an unemployed, unmarried son or daughter of the prisoner can apply.
- Only one person from a family is considered.
- The applicant must be in the BPL list.
- People who are themselves involved in crimes are not considered.

Documents

- Certificate from the ward member or councillor of the place where the applicant lives
- Jail Superintendent's certificate that the prisoner is serving five years or more

Status

Active

Official source: https://suneethi.sjd.kerala.gov.in/smartoffice/suneethi_downloads/prob_Dependents.pdf
Official application: https://suneethi.sjd.kerala.gov.in/Citizen_Platform/suneethi/index.php
Official PDF: https://suneethi.sjd.kerala.gov.in/smartoffice/suneethi_downloads/prob_Dependents.pdf
Labh Lo page: https://labhlo.in/en/schemes/kerala/kl-prisoners-dependents-self-employment/

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