CIVIL SUPPLIES

DEPARTMENT OF FOOD, SUPPLIES & CONSUMER AFFAIRS

1. DILLI ANNASHREE SCHEME

Annual Plan Outlay 2013-14 : ` 15000 Lakh

To provide food security to vulnerable households a social security scheme Dilli Annashree Yojna has been launched on 15-12-2012. Under the scheme, Government is providing food subsidy of `600/- per month in the form of cash transfer to vulnerable households not covered by either BPL cards or food supply under the Annapurna / Antodaya Yojana. Mission Convergence (Samajik Suvidha Sangam) surveyed 1264293 households, out of this 323983 households were identified as most vulnerable and 250445 households were identified as vulnerable households. The food subsidy of `600/- per month would be transferred directly in the bank account of the senior most female member of the household. About 59000 beneficiaries under the scheme have been covered till now.

Government of NCT of Delhi in it's budget 2013-14, has decided to extend the period upto July 31st, 2013. In the Budget 2013-14 Government has extended the scope to cover transgender community who are the most vulnerable section and to the widows under this scheme by providing them the food subsidy of ₹ 600/- p.m. This would be in addition to the pension they are otherwise drawing under any of Government scheme. Enrollment of widows is open at any time.

2. KEROSENE FREE CITY – LPG CONNECTION FOR EWS

Annual Plan Outlay 2013-14 : ` 4000 Lakh

Govt. has decided to make Delhi as Kerosene Free City in the 2012-13. Under this scheme Govt. of NCT of Delhi is providing free LPG connection with a LPG filled cylinder along with two burner chullah and other accessories to kerosene user cardholders. The scheme was launched on 21-08-2012. The total number of kerosene oil users as per ePDS data base in Delhi are 356395. More than one lakh gas connections have been released under this scheme till now. Government has planned to release gas connection to rest of the kerosene users in the year 2013-14, so that Delhi will be declared a Kerosene Free City by October 2013.