

13. In the sphere of collection of statistics

Collecting and coordinating statistics that may be required by the Village Councils, Island Council or District Councils or by the State Government.

14. In the sphere of trusts

Managing trusts in furtherance of the subject of any programme that may be carried out with the Island Fund.

15. In the sphere of rural housing.

Development of village sites with the co-operation of the Village population and planning of rural housing.

16. In the sphere of information.

- (a) community radio listening programme;
- (b) arranging exhibitions;
- (c) Publications,

THE SIXTH SCHEDULE

[see section 163 (1)]

MATTERS IN RESPECT OF WHICH THE DISTRICT COUNCIL WILL HAVE THE AUTHORITY SO AS TO ENABLE IT TO FUNCTION AS AN INSTITUTION OF SELF GOVERNMENT,

1. In the sphere of sanitation and health

- (a) establishment and maintenance of dispensaries;
- (b) provision and maintenance of drinking water supply;
- (c) taking necessary action or steps for improvement in public health and public amenities;
- (d) establishment and maintenance of primary health centres;
- (e) assisting family-planning;
- (f) supply of milk to children and nursing mothers in families in the low income group;
- (g) providing for training to mid-wives;
- (h) giving protection against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus;