

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEPARTMENT OF SPACE

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1729**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2018

**FUNDS FOR FUTURE MISSIONS OF ISRO**

1729. SHRI ANUBHAV MOHANTY:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state

- (a) whether it is a fact that ISRO has unveiled its roadmap to target fifty missions during the next three years;
- (b) whether it has set a target of twenty two missions for the year 2019;
- (c) whether Government has enhanced its budget to meet its space activities; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and in what manner Government proposes to generate funds required for these missions?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PG &  
PENSIONS AND IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE

(DR. JITENDRA SINGH):

- (a) Yes, Sir. ISRO has unveiled its road map to target fifty plus missions in the next three years.
- (b) Yes, Sir. ISRO has target of more than 22 missions for the year 2019.
- (c) Yes, Sir.
- (d) The budget for Space activities has been enhanced by ₹ 1,689.71 Crores in BE 2018-19 (~19%), compared to BE 2017-18. The enhanced fund allocation for future space activities is proposed to be met through the process of Union Budget.

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