GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1264
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.02.2021

FUNDS RELEASED AND UTILISED UNDER POSHAN ABHIYAN

1264 # SHRI SATISH CHANDRA DUBEY**:**

Will the Minister of Women and Child Development be pleased to state:

(a) the State-wise details of total funds released and utilized under the Prime Minister's Overarching Scheme for Holistic Nutrition (POSHAN) till December, 2019;
(b) whether the Ministry has studied the reasons for non-utilization of even fifty per cent of the funds released by the Central Government, since the inception of this scheme by the States;
(c) the steps taken by Government to ensure maximum utilization of funds by States under the said scheme; and
(d) whether the Ministry has conducted any study on the results of this mission since 2017-18 and if so, the detail thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) State-wise statement of funds released and utilized under POSHAN Abhiyaan till December, 2019 is at **Annexure**.

(b) Regular reports are received from States regarding progress of fund utilization under POSHAN Abhiyaan. Delays if any are monitored in review meetings organized from time to time.

(c) to (d) Government has engaged with State Governments through reviews to ensure that targets are achieved and funds are utilized. An evaluation of POSHAN Abhiyaan has also been carried out.

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Annexure

Annexure referred to in reply to Part (a) of Rajya Sabha UnStarred Question No. 1264 for answer on 11.02.2021

State-wise statement of funds released and utilized under POSHAN Abhiyaan (as on 31.12.2019)

(Amount in ₹ in lakh)

S. No.	State/UTs	Released in FY 2017 – 18 + Unspent balance of ISSNIP	Released in FY 2018-19	Released in FY 2019-20	Total Central fund Utilized as on 31.12.2019
1	Andhra Pradesh	2,572.41	8,604.68	5,582.52	8,677.99
2	Bihar	7,063.44	15,001.67	10,000.00	18,373.30
3	Chhattisgarh	1,668.12	9,629.51	0.00	3,096.26
4	Delhi	945.95	2,206.88	0.00	1,254.14
5	Goa	238.07	197.78	0.00	101.68
6	Gujarat	3,036.66	11,228.04	7,531.00	11222.25
7	Haryana	400.97	5,992.46	0.00	2,696.94
8	Himachal Pradesh	1,557.26	4,153.15	2,480.00	4,966.17
9 *	Jammu & Kashmir	388.59	8,343.52	0.00	2188.33
10	Jharkhand	2,429.59	5,110.45	0.00	2,065.05
11	Karnataka	3,351.05	9,870.89	0.00	420.68
12	Kerala	1,273.37	6,491.91	0.00	2455.31
13	Madhya Pradesh	4,067.20	15,894.17	17,883.00	12,404.30
14	Maharashtra	2,572.31	20,989.28	33,061.47	23,602.32
15	Odisha	4,600.46	10,571.65	0.00	0.00
16	Puducherry	39.24	393.70	497.00	224.71
17	Punjab	819.51	6,090.33	0.00	306.50
18	Rajasthan	4,216.26	9,680.99	0.00	6,315.69
19	Tamil Nadu	1,340.51	12,210.93	0.00	10464.20
20	Telangana	1,736.94	8,595.70	7,003.00	4,579.10
21	Uttar Pradesh	8,440.60	29,582.87	0.00	17132.35
22	Uttarakhand	1,866.25	4,301.57	3,696.00	3,768.19
23	West Bengal	5,545.27	19,294.11	0.00	0.00
24	Arunachal Pradesh	52.93	2,663.35	0.00	368.30
25	Assam	2,298.27	15,492.36	14,171.00	11,591.74
26	Manipur	340.46	3,865.37	0.00	1,233.24
27	Meghalaya	462.98	1,713.27	1,706.80	2,144.45
28	Mizoram	119.38	957.65	902.00	1,461.47
29	Nagaland	163.74	1,251.97	1,445.17	1,561.92
30	Sikkim	98.59	328.47	544.00	436.75
31	Tripura	277.91	3,695.72	0.00	810.75
32	Andaman & Nicobar	100.22	416.89	307.62	224.49
33	Chandigarh	158.88	306.82	526.97	257.68
34	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	108.83	129.32	681.16*	805.14
	Daman & Diu #	42.06	197.66	446.98	197.66
35	Ladakh	-	-	-	-
36	Lakshadweep	60.00	138.90	126.75	198.90
	TOTAL	**64,454.28**	**2,55,593.98**	**1,08,592.44**	**1,57,607.95**

* Jammu and Kashmir figures include Ladakh UT.

Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu now merged

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