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Allocation of funds to CWC

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Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the budgetary allocation during last five years to Central Waqf Council (CWC) for providing loans to various Waqf Institutions, year-wise details thereof;
- (b) the details of demand submitted by CWC to Government for allocation for the above purpose during last five years, year wise;
- (c) the details of total number of loan applications pending with CWC as on date and the amount involved therein, along with the reasons therefor;
- (d) the details of quantum of pending instalments yet to be disbursed in those loans already sanctioned by CWC as on date along with the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the number of meetings of CWC during the last five years, year wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a)to (d) :This Ministry implements Shahari Waqf Sampatti Vikas Yojana (SWSVY) through Central Waqf Council (CWC). Under SWSVY, interest free loan is provided to Waqf Institutions/Waqf Boards for taking up economically viable projects on the urban waqf land such as commercial complexes, marriage halls, hospitals, cold storages etc. The annual Grants-in-aid released under the Scheme between 2017-18 to 2021-22 is Rs. 316.00 lakh, 316.00 lakh 316.00 lakh, 300.00 lakh and 100.00 lakh respectively.

The grants and subsequent instalments are released after ascertaining the viability of the project in accordance with the scheme guidelines, receipt of Utilization Certificate (UC) and satisfactory progress Report from the concerned Waqf Institution/ Waqf Board. As on date, total 4 applications are pending amounting to Rs. 487.25 lakh.

(e) :CWC held 17 meetings during the period from 2017-18 to 2021-22.
