GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1650

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 15TH MARCH, 2023/ PHALGUNA 24, 1944 (SAKA)

IMPLEMENTATION OF NIRBHAYA PROJECT INCLUDING ERSS

1650 SMT. SANGEETA YADAV:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of projects launched under the Nirbhaya project by the Ministry in last five years;
- (b) funds allocated for the Nirbhaya project in the budget allocated to Ministry in last five years;
- (c) the number of States/UTs that have launched Emergency Response Support System (ERSS) under the project till date;
- (d) the States that are yet to launch Emergency Response Support System till date along with the explanation therefor; and
- (e) the number of calls handled since launch of ERSS?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY KUMAR MISHRA)

(a) & (b): Nirbhaya funded projects, namely, Emergency Response Support System (ERSS); Safe City Projects; Strengthening of Central Forensic Sciences Laboratories; Strengthening of State Forensic Science Laboratories; Cyber Crime Prevention against Women & Children (CCPWC); Training, Capacity Building Awareness Programme; Setting up of Women Help Desks & Anti-Human Trafficking Units in States/UTs and Delhi Police Women Safety Projects, were implemented during the last five years under Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA).

The budget allocations for MHA towards implementation of Nirbhaya

Funded Projects from the years 2017-18 to 2021-22 are as under:

Year	Amount (Rs. in crore)
2017-18	313.30
2018-19	900.17
2019-20	891.23
2020-21	855.23
2021-22	759.59

- (c): The single number 112 based Emergency Response Support System (ERSS) has since been operational in all the States/UTs.
- (d): Does not arise in view of the reply to part (c) above.
- (e): Over 25.76 crore calls have been handled since operationalization of ERSS.
