

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 2388**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON- 09/08/2023

**STATUS OF VIDYA LAXMI SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME IN KERALA**

2388. SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR:

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:-

(a) how many students in Kerala got Vidya Laxmi scholarships, the details thereof;  
and

(b) the details of the number of beneficiaries in Kerala, district-wise?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TRIBAL AFFAIRS  
(SHRI BISHWESWAR TUDU)

**(a) to (b):** The Vidya Laxmi Scholarship scheme is not implemented by Ministry of Tribal Affairs. As per information received from State Government of Kerela, State Tribes Development Department is not implementing Vidya Laxmi Scholarship Scheme for tribal students in Kerela. The Ministry of Tribal Affairs is not privy to any scholarship scheme with name Vidya Laxmi scholarships.

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