# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 526 ANSWERED ON TUESDAY, THE 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2023

# CLARIFICATION ON CSR FUNDS COLLECTED AND THEIR DISTRIBUTION QUESTION

#### 526. SHRI P. WILSON:

Will the Minister of Corporate Affairs be pleased to state:

- (a) the Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) funds collected in the last 5 years for the projects in Tamil Nadu, especially for Neyveli Lignite Corporation Ltd;
- (b) the details of the CSR activities carried out across the country including Tamil Nadu; and
- (c) whether the Ministry has any plan to amend the rules to enable that the CSR activities are carried out in the State where the project is developed, instead of leaving the decision to the company which undertakes the CSR activities?

#### **ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION; MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

# [RAO INDERJIT SINGH]

(a) & (b): The broad framework for Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) has been provided under Section 135 of the Companies Act, 2013 ('Act'), Schedule VII of the Act and Companies (CSR Policy) Rules, 2014. The CSR framework is disclosure based and companies are required to file details of CSR activities annually in the MCA21 registry. Act doesn't provide for collection of funds. On the basis of annual filings made by the Companies in the MCA21 registry, the Development Sector-wise CSR spent by the companies in the state of Tamil Nadu during the Financial Years (FY) 2017-18 to 2021-22 is at Annexure-I.

The CSR spent by NLC India Limited, Neyveli for the FY 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22 is given below.

Company Name	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22
NLC India Limited	43.58	49.46	75.66	46.42	38.76
(Amount in Crore)	43.36	49.40	75.66	40.42	36.70

(Data up to 31.03.2023) [Source: Corporate Data Management Cell]

Further, the Development Sector-wise CSR spent by the companies across India during the Financial Years (FY) 2017-18 to 2021-22 is at Annexure-II. The companies are required to file the CSR data for the FY 2022-23 on or before 31st March, 2024.

(c): No Sir.

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# ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 526 FOR 25.07.2023

Development Sector wise Summary of CSR Expenditure in Tamil Nadu (Amount in crore)							
Sr. no.	Development Sector	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22	
1	Agro forestry	0.48	2.65	0.15	1.19	1.60	
2	Animal welfare	1.31	2.02	3.00	5.61	8.71	
3	Armed Forces, Veterans, War Widows/ Dependants	0.25	0.83	0.37	0.27	1.19	
4	Art and Culture	10.48	6.99	12.72	43.40	8.88	
5	Conservation of natural resources	5.41	4.93	6.01	10.33	13.93	
6	Education	299.14	315.77	451.36	407.72	393.44	
7	Environmental Sustainability	27.08	47.26	85.77	98.73	132.92	
8	Gender Equality	0.34	0.35	3.75	1.12	3.46	
9	Health Care	128.32	181.98	239.58	294.53	416.70	
10	Livelihood Enhancement Projects	13.20	22.83	29.86	35.81	25.04	
11	NEC/ Not Mentioned*	-	-	2.53	0.04	0.00	
12	Poverty, Eradicating Hunger, Malnutrition	44.89	20.58	31.11	71.03	192.28	
13	Rural development projects	51.08	148.16	52.32	59.02	46.81	
14	Safe drinking water	6.93	14.67	10.64	18.63	10.19	
15	Sanitation	13.03	16.73	9.60	34.09	15.56	
16	Senior citizens welfare	5.64	2.10	2.42	2.44	3.22	
17	Setting up homes and hostels for women	3.23	2.96	2.17	6.21	7.99	
18	Setting up orphanage	0.74	0.57	1.24	0.37	1.49	
19	Slum area development	1.65	0.52	0.12	4.07	1.14	
20	Socio-economic inequalities	6.13	14.85	4.76	6.18	16.73	
21	Special education	7.55	12.57	3.86	8.10	8.28	
22	Technology incubators	2.25	4.70	6.14	4.89	0.26	
23	Training to Promote Sports	11.73	17.73	22.72	11.23	15.46	
24	Vocational skills	23.25	29.63	82.14	39.00	31.08	
25	Women Empowerment	5.55	5.70	7.94	10.06	15.56	
Grand Total (in cr.) 669.65 877.08 1,072.26 1,174.07 1,371					1,371.91		

(Data up to 31.03.2023) [Source: Corporate Data Management Cell]

<sup>\*</sup> Not Elsewhere Covered (NEC)

<sup>\*</sup>Companies either did not specify the names of Sector or indicated more than one Sector where projects were undertaken.

# ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 526 FOR 25.07.2023

	State-Wise Summary of CSR Expenditure (Amount in Crore)						
Sr. No.	State/UT	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22	
1	Andaman and Nicobar	0.73	0.82	1.29	2.86	9.02	
2	Andhra Pradesh	575.07	665.97	710.23	719.81	640.70	
3	Arunachal Pradesh	11.91	24.56	18.02	10.58	119.39	
4	Assam	211.33	210.00	285.00	180.23	398.70	
5	Bihar	106.17	137.95	110.48	89.89	165.66	
6	Chandigarh	20.51	11.46	15.58	13.40	49.98	
7	Chhattisgarh	176.70	149.35	269.68	325.63	292.83	
8	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	6.98	13.48	18.34	21.98	14.11	
9	Daman and Diu	20.23	6.25	9.53	5.25	4.13	
10	Delhi	579.37	750.85	830.00	724.59	1,158.00	
11	Goa	53.77	46.77	43.91	41.92	42.59	
12	Gujarat	967.97	1,082.18	984.37	1,461.60	1,554.16	
13	Haryana	363.43	378.11	537.91	550.86	654.88	
14	Himachal Pradesh	69.23	78.79	78.78	106.31	138.84	
15	Jammu and Kashmir	50.77	36.44	25.27	35.56	49.40	
16	Jharkhand	109.23	109.80	155.21	226.54	192.41	
17	Karnataka	1,145.79	1,257.69	1,448.16	1,277.81	1,761.39	
18	Kerala	219.73	354.78	298.56	290.67	234.01	
19	Lakshadweep	2.27	0.39	-	0.01	0.45	
20	Leh & Ladakh	-	-	-	-	14.84	
21	Madhya Pradesh	163.92	243.55	220.46	375.51	420.04	
22	Maharashtra	2,797.53	3,147.72	3,353.24	3,464.81	5,229.31	
23	Manipur	4.81	7.81	14.21	10.39	15.49	
24	Meghalaya	11.18	16.54	17.65	17.63	19.30	
25	Mizoram	1.28	0.11	0.25	0.97	6.94	
26	Nagaland	1.81	2.12	5.10	3.57	12.42	
27	Odisha	504.22	697.91	717.39	578.16	652.01	
28	Puducherry	6.09	9.15	11.32	12.43	9.31	
29	Punjab	112.36	166.85	189.44	158.46	177.48	
30	Rajasthan	443.35	595.49	734.12	670.00	700.44	
31	Sikkim	7.00	5.87	10.99	17.28	28.24	
32	Tamil Nadu	669.65	877.08	1,072.26	1,174.07	1,371.91	
33	Telangana	380.57	428.06	445.80	627.71	670.06	
34	Tripura	1.88	23.06	9.40	9.29	15.91	
35	Uttar Pradesh	435.21	521.32	577.98	907.32	1,321.36	
36	Uttarakhand	85.79	172.31	124.70	160.58	224.32	
37	West Bengal	338.32	382.23	423.85	471.48	541.46	
38	PAN India*	5,505.31	6,443.53	9,385.66	7,805.03	5,439.79	
39	Contribution to Funds included in Schedule VII of the Act)	799.18	1,156.86	1,790.69	3,491.30	1,581.43	
40	NEC/ Not mentioned*	137.93	4.44	20.97	169.47	0.09	
Grand Total (in Cr.) 17,098.57 20,217.65 24,965.82 26,210.95 25,932.79							

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