### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1280 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.12.2023

#### ANNUAL RANKING OF DISTRICTS UNDER BETI BACHAO BETI PADHAO SCHEME

#### 1280.SHRI NARHARI AMIN

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether a plan has been formulated to prepare annual ranking of districts under Beti Bachao Beti Padhao scheme;
- (b) if so, the details of the issues related to women that are primarily covered in this scheme;
- (c) whether there is a provision to allot separate funds to the districts for working on these subjects as per the annual ranking of the districts and on the basis of the reports received on the subjects; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

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

(a) to (b) BBBP scheme was launched on 22nd January, 2015 as a tri-ministerial effort of the Ministry of Women & Child Development, Ministry of Education and Ministry of Health and Family Welfare to prevent Gender based sex selection, to ensure survival and protection of girl child and also to ensure education of the girl child. Now, the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship and Ministry of Minority Affairs have also been added as partners with a view to undertake a special drive and awareness programme for promoting skilling among girls. The scheme has been expanded to cover all the districts of the country through multi-sectoral interventions focused on zero-budget advertising and encouraging greater spend on activities that have on ground impact.

The reports of Health Management Information System (HMIS) of Ministry of Health & Family welfare reveals that Sex Ratio at Birth is showing an improving trend and has increased from 918 to 933 at national level during 2014-15 to 2022-23 with a net change of 15 points.

As per the operational manual of BBBP, there is provision of District Level Score Card, based on the data extracted from the Management Information System (MIS), to capture the outcome indicators and process indicators broadly relating to Survival and health, Education, Development, Institutional Mechanisms and Capacity Building. The detailed score card may be perused in operational manual available on Ministry's Website i.e. https://wcd.nic.in. Further, Annual district Beti Bachao Beti Padhao Ranking has been prescribed as per the District Score Card based on the MIS.

(c) & (d) As on date, there is no such provision to allot separate funds to the districts as per the annual ranking of the districts and on the basis of the reports received on the subjects.

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