GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- # 2063 TO BE ANSWERED ON- 20/12/2023

SCHEMES MEANT FOR TRIBALS IN RAJASTHAN

2063 # SHRI RAJENDRA GEHLOT:

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the schemes being run for tribals in Rajasthan;
- (b) the plan and year-wise details of the amount spent by Government for these schemes; and
- (c) whether there is any proposal to set up schools for tribals in the State of Rajasthan, if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR TRIBAL AFFAIRS (DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)

(a) to (b): Government is implementing Development Action Plan for Scheduled Tribes (DAPST) as a strategy for the development of Scheduled Tribes and areas having tribal concentration in the country including Rajasthan. Besides Ministry of Tribal Affairs, 41 Ministries/Departments are allocating certain percentage of their total scheme budget every year for tribal development under DAPST for various tribal development projects relating to education, health, agriculture, irrigation, roads, housing, electrification, employment generation, skill development, etc. Schemes alongwith funds allocated by the obligated Ministries/Departments for the welfare of Scheduled Tribes are given at Statement 10B of Expenditure Profile 2023-24 of Union Budget document in the link https://www.indiabudget.gov.in/doc/eb/stat10b.pdf

Ministry of Tribal Affairs is implementing various schemes/programmes exclusively for the welfare and development of the Scheduled Tribes (STs) in the country including Rajasthan. Details of the amount released to Rajasthan under some of the schemes/programme of Ministry of Tribal Affairs during last two years are given at **Annexure**.

(c): Ministry of Tribal Affairs is implementing Central Sector Scheme of Eklavya Model Residential School (EMRS) for providing quality education to tribal students in their own environment. Government has decided to set up one EMRS in each block having more than 50% ST population and at least 20,000 tribal persons (as per census 2011). Accordingly, Ministry has set the target to set up 740 EMRSs to enroll around 3.5 lakh ST students across the country, including the State of Rajasthan. In Rajasthan, a total number of 31 EMRSs have been sanctioned, with enrolment of 8399 students (academic year 2023-24) in 30 functional schools.

Annexure referred to in reply to parts (a) to (b) of the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2063 for 20.12.2023 by SHRI RAJENDRA GEHLOT regarding "SCHEMES MEANT FOR TRIBALS IN RAJASTHAN"

Fund released to Rajasthan during last two years under the schemes/programmes of Ministry of Tribal Affairs

(Rs. in Lakh)

S.N.	Scheme/Programme	2021-22	2022-23
1.	Pradhan Mantri Adi Adarsh Gram Yojana	7224.71	15269.66
	(PMAAGY)		
2.	Grants under Article 275(1) of the Constitution of	10435.21	11002.53
	India		
3.	Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal	706.17	1120.63
	Groups (PVTGs)		
4.	Pre-Matric Scholarships to ST students	6234.34	3530.80
5.	Post Matric Scholarship to ST students	13744.70	18810.10
6.	Support to Tribal Research Institutes (TRIs)	215.34	0
