# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIAMTE CHANGE

## RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2136 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2023

#### **Status of Green India Mission**

#### 2136. SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

- (a) the current status of implementation of the Green India Mission (GIM) in the country;
- (b) whether there are any delays in implementation of GIM in the State of Kerala; and
- (c) the details of the funds allocated, disbursed, and utilized, State-wise, including the State of Kerala from 2019-20 to 2022-23?

### **ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE (SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)

- National Mission for a Green India (GIM) is one of the eight Missions outlined under the National Action Plan on Climate Change. It aims at protecting, restoring, and enhancing India's forest cover and responding to Climate Change by undertaking plantation activities in the forest and non-forest areas in the selected landscapes. GIM activities were started in the FY 2015-16 and so far, seventeen States namely Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Manipur, Mizoram, Odisha, Punjab, Sikkim, Uttarakhand, West Bengal, Uttar Pradesh and one union territory of Jammu & Kashmir has been taken up under Green India Mission.
- (b) & (c) The Ministry has released Rs 16.32 Crore as central share during the FY 2019-20 to carry out the activities as per approved Annual Plan of Operation for FY 2019-20 to the State of Kerala. This fund has been fully utilized by the State till financial year 2023-24.

The State-wise funds allocated/disbursed/released and utilized under GIM from 2019-20 to 2022-23 is detailed in **Annexure**.

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Annexure referred to in reply to the part (c) of the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2136 due for reply on 21.12.2023 by Sh. Shri Prakash Javadekar regarding "Status of Green India Mission"

The State-wise funds allocated/disbursed/released and utilized under GIM from 2019-20 to 2022-23.

Sl. No.	States	Total (Rs. in crores)	
		Allocated / Released	Utilized
1	Andhra Pradesh	2.02	2.74
2	Arunachal Pradesh	34.71	10.56
3	Chhattisgarh	12.82	9.31
4	Haryana	9.55	8.32
5	Himachal Pradesh	17.09	6.55
6	Jammu & Kashmir	32.22	19.70
7	Karnataka	11.94	11.13
8	Kerala	16.32	15.74
9	Madhya Pradesh*	66.87	78.72
10	Maharashtra*	-	1.78
11	Manipur	26.28	26.28
12	Mizoram	86.83	86.83
13	Odisha	66.41	61.81
14	Punjab	9.24	9.38
15	Sikkim	19.66	19.48
16	Uttarakhand*	90.28	97.09
17	West Bengal	10.19	10.18
Total		512.43	475.63

<sup>\*</sup> The fund utilized also include the utilization of unspent funds available with the States from release of previous years.