

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CULTURE**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 644  
ANSWERED ON 08.02.2024**

**FUNDS ALLOTTED TO STATES UNDER VARIOUS SCHEMES OF THE MINISTRY**

**644. Smt. Geeta alias Chandrababha:  
Dr. Anil Agrawal:  
Shri Brij Lal:  
Shri Kamakhya Prasad Tasa:  
Shri Dhananjay Bhimrao Mahadik:  
Shri Sadanand Shet Tanawde:**

**Will the MINISTER OF CULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the funds allotted to the States of Kerala, Goa and Assam under various schemes of the Ministry of Culture during the period 2019-20 to 2023-24 is higher as compared to the recent past;
- (b) if so, the allotment of funds under various schemes of the Ministry annually from 2019-20 to 2023-2024;
- (c) whether the Central Government approved any special schemes for promotion of culture for Kerala, Goa and Assam from 2019 to 2024; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof during the period 2019-2024, annually?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER FOR CULTURE, TOURISM AND DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN  
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(a) and (b) Ministry of Culture administers various Central Sector Schemes under which financial assistance is released directly to eligible cultural organizations / individuals working in the field of art and culture across the country including the States of Kerala, Goa and Assam. There are no provisions for state-wise allocation of funds under these schemes. The release of financial assistance under these schemes depends upon the receipt of complete proposals from cultural organizations / individuals from the states/UTs. The details of financial assistance released to various cultural organizations / individuals in the states of Kerala, Goa and Assam under various schemes during 2019-20 to 2023-24 are given at **Annexure**.

(c) and (d) As stated above, various Central Sector Schemes are being administered by Ministry of Culture for promotion of art and culture across the country including the states of Kerala, Goa and Assam. However, no special scheme for promotion of culture for Kerala, Goa and Assam has been approved by the Ministry of Culture during 2019 to 2024.

**Annexure**

Annexure referred to in reply of part (a) and (b) of the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question

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**Table - I****Details of funds released under various schemes in the state of Kerala**

Sl. No.	Name of Scheme	Financial Year 2019-20 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2020-21 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2021-22 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2022-23 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2023-24 (Rs. in lakhs) till date 05.02.2024
1.	Financial Assistance for Promotion of Guru-Shishya Parampara (Repertory Grant)	115.20	90.6	81.12	264.44	214.21
2.	Cultural Function & Production Grant (CFPG)	28.00	37.03	57.52	48.385	24.89
3.	Financial Assistance for the Development of Buddhist / Tibetan Culture and Art	0*	0*	0*	13.5	0*
4.	Financial Assistance for Building Grants including Studio Theatres	0*	0*	0*	1.4	0*
5.	Scheme for the Award of Fellowship to Outstanding Persons in the Field of Culture	98.40	52.20	68.40	85.20	22.80
6.	Scheme for Scholarships to Young Artists in Different Cultural Fields	15.60	27.30	22.20	6.00	20.40
7.	Financial Assistance for Veteran Artists	13.34	8.18	24.49	25.3	38.59
<b>Total</b>		<b>270.54</b>	<b>215.31</b>	<b>253.73</b>	<b>444.225</b>	<b>320.89</b>

\* No complete proposal was received under the scheme during the year.

**Table - II****Details of funds released under various schemes in the state of Goa**

Sl. No.	Name of Scheme	Financial Year 2019-20 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2020-21 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2021-22 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2022-23 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2023-24 (Rs. in lakhs) till date 05.02.2024
1.	Cultural Function & Production Grant (CFPG)	0.345	0.75	3.75	0.625	0*
2.	Scheme for the Award of Fellowship to Outstanding Persons in the Field of Culture	2.40	4.20	12.00	2.40	0*
3.	Scheme for Scholarships to Young Artistes in Different Cultural Fields	0.60	1.20	1.20	0.60	1.80
<b>Total</b>		<b>3.345</b>	<b>6.15</b>	<b>16.95</b>	<b>3.625</b>	<b>1.8</b>

\* No complete proposal was received under the scheme during the year.

**Table - III**

**Details of funds released under various schemes in the state of Assam**

Sl. No.	Name of Scheme	Financial Year 2019-20 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2020-21 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2021-22 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2022-23 (Rs. in lakhs)	Financial Year 2023-24 (Rs. in lakhs) till date 05.02.2024
1.	Financial Assistance for Promotion of Guru Shishya Parampara (Repertory Grant)	108.90	53.4	227.10	200.38	182.68
2.	Financial Assistance to Cultural organizations with National Presence	0*	0*	0*	0*	22.50
3.	Cultural Function and Production Grant	20.13	30.12	34.66	96.21	16.08
4.	Financial Assistance for the Development of Buddhist / Tibetan Culture and Art	0*	20.53	22.49	30	18.5
5.	Financial Assistance for Building Grants including Studio Theatres	45	15.4	10.3	5.4	0*
6.	Scheme for the Award of Fellowship to Outstanding Persons in the Field of Culture	42.00	37.20	75.60	58.80	25.20
7.	Scheme for Scholarships to Young Artistes in Different Cultural Fields	18.60	17.70	16.80	8.40	25.20
8.	Financial Assistance for Veteran Artists	1.92	0.96	0.48	1.57	2.41
<b>Total</b>		<b>236.55</b>	<b>175.31</b>	<b>387.43</b>	<b>400.76</b>	<b>292.57</b>

\* No complete proposal was received under the scheme during the year.