

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 691
ANSWERED ON 08.02.2024

Release of funds under National Mission for Green India Scheme

691. SHRI NIRANJAN BISHI:
SMT. SULATA DEO:

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

- (a) whether the National Executive Council of the Central Government has approved the Annual Work Programme of the National Mission for Green India (GIM) for the year 2023- 24, totaling ₹17.72 crore; and
- (b) by when Government will release the first installment of the Central Share of ₹10.63 crore which is 60 per cent of the total sanction order?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) 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. The Ministry has approved Annual Plan of Operation (APO) of 14 States and 01 UT for the year 2023-24 with the total outlay of ₹ 264.42 crore (Central Share ₹ 184.46 Crore) including the APO of Odisha with financial outlay of ₹ 17.72 crore (Central Share ₹ 10.63 crore). Funds during the year 2023-24 may be released, subject to submission of the required documents as per scheme guidelines and availability of the funds.
