GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS **RAJYA SABHA** UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.122 ANSWERED ON 25.11.2024

NAYA SAVERA SCHEME

122. SHRI SUBHASH BARALA

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- a) the Status of Naya Savera Scheme launched for 'Free Coaching and Allied Scheme' for the candidates/students of minority communities; and
- b) the group-wise details of number of beneficiaries provided with free coaching for various qualifying examinations?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

(a) & (b): The Naya Savera Scheme was launched in the year 2007-08 to assist students/candidates belonging to the notified minority communities by way of special coaching for qualifying examinations for admission in technical/professional courses and competitive examination for recruitment to Group 'A, 'B' & 'C' services and other equivalent posts under the Central and State Governments including public sector undertakings, banks, railways, etc. Since 2007-08 to 2021-22, total 1,19,273 students from minority community were provided free coaching for various qualifying examinations under the scheme. The scheme was discontinued w.e.f. 2022-23.
