

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PLANNING
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.148
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.11.2024

CENTRALLY SPONSORED SCHEMES

148 SHRI V. VIJAYASAI REDDY:

Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) the list of Centrally Sponsored Schemes being implemented by Union Government;
- (b) the list of Central Sector Schemes being implemented by Union Government;
- (c) whether the 15th Finance Commission has indeed recommended for reducing the Centrally Sponsored Scheme from 75 to 50;
- (d) if so, details thereof and reasons thereon;
- (e) whether there is any move or proposal before Government to alter the funding ratio of some of the Centrally Sponsored Schemes; and
- (f) if so, details and reasons thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS
AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION; MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT
CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF CULTURE

(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a) & (b): List of Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) and Central sector schemes being implemented by the Union Government are available in Statement 4A and Statement 4B, respectively, of the expenditure Profile 2024-2025. The same is available in the public domain. Links for the same is as under:

Statement 4A: <https://www.indiabudget.gov.in/doc/eb/stat4a.pdf>

Statement 4B: <https://www.indiabudget.gov.in/doc/eb/stat4b.pdf>

(c) & (d): Findings and recommendations of the XVth Finance Commission on CSS, inter alia, are contained in Para 12.51 of Chapter 12 wherein the XVth FC has stated:-

- a. To fix an annual threshold below which the funding of CSS may be stopped.

b. To gradually stop the funding of those CSS and sub-components which have outlived their utility.

c. Funding pattern of CSS should be fixed upfront in a transparent manner and should be kept stable.

(e) & (f): Fund sharing pattern under Centrally Sponsored Schemes is largely guided by the NITI Aayog's OM No. O-11013/02/2015-CSS & CMC dated 17th August, 2016 & OM No. O-11013/02/2015-CSS & CMC dated 26th October, 2019.
