

Government of India
Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

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Question

Allocation of Funds to Arunachal Pradesh

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Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the funds released to the State of Arunachal Pradesh by the Ministry under different heads;
- (b) whether the North Eastern Council has complained about the lack of funds and if so, the details thereof and the action taken/being taken by the Government in this regard;
- (c) the details of the schemes and programmes undertaken by the Ministry in Arunachal Pradesh; and
- (d) whether the Government has made any impact analysis of the schemes and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

The Minister of State (Independent Charge) in the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

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(a) & (c). Details of funds released to the State of Arunachal Pradesh during the last three years by the Ministry under different heads is as under:

Financial Year 2013-14

Scheme	Sum of Amount Released (Rs. in lakh)
NEC-Spl. Development Project	7425.82
Non-Lapsable Central Pool of Resources	11686.73
Grand Total	19112.55

Financial Year 2014-15

Scheme	Sum of Amount Released (Rs. in lakh)
NEC-Spl. Development Project	6220.56
Non-Lapsable Central Pool of Resources	16987.67
Grand Total	23208.23

Financial Year 2015-16

Scheme	Sum of Amount Released (Rs. in lakh)
NEC-Spl. Development Project	11462.29
Non-Lapsable Central Pool of Resources	8089.75
Grand Total	19552.04

(b) The requirements projected by North Eastern Council (NEC) are reflected in the BE and RE proposals of the Ministry of DONOR. The Government of India allocates the fund to various agencies including NEC keeping in view the national priorities, the sources available and capacity to absorb. The budget of NEC has been increasing over the years. From 770 crores in 2012-13, it has increased to 950 crores in 2016-17.

(d) Impact study of three projects funded in Arunachal Pradesh was commissioned by NEC and was carried out through the consultancy firm WAPCOS details are given in the Annexure.

ANNEXURE

Sl. No.	Name of the project	Benefit assessed as per the Impact study
1.	Construction of 33KV Express Line from Khonsa to Changlang, Arunachal Pradesh.	The old system was inadequate to cater to the areas. The commissioning of the transmission line has benefitted not only the villages under the district namely Changlang Town, Yatdam, Khimiyang, Manmao circles, Changlang District but also adjoining Margherita area of the Assam side got benefited.
2.	Augmentation and Improvement of Electrical Substation at Daporijo (2x5 MVA, 33/11 kV) in Arunachal Pradesh.	The augmentation of sub-station at Daporijo has resulted in improvement and strengthening of the power supply and is catering to the various rural feeders in and around Daporijo in Upper Subansiri district.
3.	Anti-erosion work on right bank of Sisiri river at Silluk area to protect Nogopok and adjoining village areas, agricultural land areas and Mebo Dhola road in East Siang District.	The project for anti-erosion work in Sisiri river to protect Ngopok and adjoining villages, agricultural land and Mebo Dhola road has reduced the risk of flood damage to life and property, has saved the vast agricultural land from further destruction of crops and also saved the Mebo Dhola road which is the main trade route between Assam and the inhabitants on the left bank of river Siang.