GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 857 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.11.2016

Scholarships for School Students

857. SHRI P.C. GADDIGOUDAR: SHRI HARISH MEENA:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is true that the Government has introduced various scholarships for the students in the country and if so, the details thereof during the last three years, year and scholarship-wise;
- (b) the number of students applied for scholarship and amount released by the Government during the last three years, State/UT-wise and year-wise;
- (c) whether the Government is aware that several students are not receiving scholarships in time particularly the students from Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes/ Other Backward Classes and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise;
- (d) the steps taken/ proposed to be taken by the Government to ensure timely action in this regard; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to transfer scholarship amount directly into the beneficiary account and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)

- (a) Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of School Education & Literacy is administering two scholarship schemes viz. National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme (NMMSS) and National Scheme of Incentive to Girls for Secondary Education (NSIGSE).
- (b) The sanctioned amount for NMMSS and NSIGSE along with number of beneficiaries during last three years is given at Annexure I and II respectively.

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- (c) Sanctioning of pending scholarships pertaining to previous academic years under NMMSS and NSIGSE, belonging to General Category as well as from Schedule Castes/ Schedule Tribes, is under process.
- (d) The requisition for additional funds for payment of pending scholarships has been made in Second Batch of Supplementary Demands for Grants 2016-17.
- (e) Since inception of these schemes, the scholarship amount is being transferred directly into the beneficiary students' bank accounts.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) ofLokSabhaUnstarred Question No. 857 to be answered on 21.11.2016 asked by Shri P.C. Gaddigoudar and Shri Harish Meena regarding 'Scholarships for School Students'

		F.Y. 2013-14		F.Y. 2014-15		F.Y. 2015	F.Y. 2015-16	
	Name of State/UT	No. of Scholarships	Amount (Rs in lakh)	No. of Scholarships	Amount (Rs in lakh)	No. of Scholarships	Amount (Rs in lakh)	
1	Andaman & Nicobar	123	7.38	116	6.96	-	-	
2	Andhra Pradesh	16603	996.18	3061	183.66	15309	918.54	
	Telangana	10003				7832	469.92	
3	Arunachal Pradesh	72	4.32	105	6.3	-	-	
4	Assam	1135	68.10	1987	119.22	4067	244.02	
5	Bihar	6170	370.20	7143	428.59	1945	116.72	
6	Chandigarh	208	12.48	238	14.28	77	4.62	
7	Chhattisgarh	651	39.06	-	-	-	-	
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	15	0.90	-	-	-	-	
9	Daman & Diu	67	4.02	49	2.94	-	-	
10	Delhi	1591	95.46	1497	89.82	4133	247.98	
11	Goa	462	27.72	453	27.18	-	-	
12	Gujarat	2216	132.96	2064	123.84	1117	67.02	
13	Haryana	2095	125.70	1814	108.84	2149	128.94	
14	Himachal Pradesh	2211	132.66	-	-	1877	112.62	
15	J&K	131	7.86	537	32.22	121	7.26	
16	Jharkhand	1951	117.10	2160	129.62	236	14.16	
17	Karnataka	14018	841.08	10803	648.18	10813	648.78	
18	Kerala	6094	365.64	13891	833.46	14741	884.46	
19	Lakshadweep	-	-	-	-	-	-	
20	Madhya Pradesh	1363	81.78	478	28.68	1724	103.47	
21	Maharashtra	35797	2147.82	31123	1866.63	63526	3811.56	
22	Manipur	254	15.24	430	25.8	3	0.18	
23	Meghalaya	38	2.28	384	23.04	466	27.96	
24	Mizoram	103	6.18	137	8.22	412	24.72	
25	Nagaland	150	9.00	225	13.5	334	20.04	
26	Orissa	9579	574.74	7564	453.84	10469	628.14	
27	Pudducherry	345	20.70	320	19.2	105	6.3	
28	Punjab	517	31.02	4966	297.96	9331	559.86	
29	Rajasthan	1042	62.52	663	39.78	5615	336.9	
30	Sikkim	92	5.52	3	0.18	311	18.66	
31	Tamil Nadu	21736	1304.16	9760	585.6	21857	1311.42	
32	Tripura	140	8.40	392	23.52	360	21.6	
33	Uttar Pradesh	9872	592.32	3185	191.1	6405	384.3	
34	Uttrakhand	3605	216.30	26	1.56	2242	134.52	
35	West Bengal	4930	295.80	1196	71.76	22435	1346.1	
	TOTAL	145376	8722.6	106770	6405.48	210012	12600.77	

Annexure-II

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	Name of State/UT	2013-14		20	2014-15		2015-16	
S.No.		No. of Girls	Amount (Rs. in Crore)	No. of Girls	Amount (Rs. in Crore)	No. of Girls	Amount (Rs. in Crore)	
1	Arunachal Pradesh	5059	1.51	2918	0.88	1373	0.41	
2	Bihar	-	-	13027	3.91	34292	10.29	
3	Chhattigarh	-	-	-	-	8236	2.47	
4	Goa	763	0.23	-	-	1682	0.50	
5	Gujarat	34626	10.39	39074	11.72	75114	22.53	
6	Haryana	53246	15.97	-	-	32277	9.68	
7	Himachal Pradesh	5991	1.80	5563	1.67	6133	1.84	
8	Jammu & Kashmir	12373	3.71	5738	1.72	-	-	
9	Jharkhand	25492	7.65	-	-	20127	6.04	
10	Kerala	-	-	1891	0.57	21874	6.56	
11	Maharashtra	55704	16.71	50935	15.28	34100	10.23	
12	Mizoram	-	-	5696	1.71	3375	1.02	
13	Nagaland	410	0.12	-	-	411	0.12	
14	Odisha	-	-	35985	10.80	60607	18.18	
15	Punjab	41629	12.49	-	-	44736	13.42	
16	Rajasthan	-	-	37464	11.24	-	-	
17	Sikkim	1	-	-	-	305	0.09	
18	Tamil Nadu	-	-	86414	25.92	90725	27.22	
19	Tripura	8500	2.55	5477	1.64	-	-	
20	UttaraKhand	15893	4.77	727	0.22	14123	4.24	
21	Uttar Pradesh	38090	11.43	-	-	39977	12.00	
22	West Bengal	12503	3.75	19449	5.83	19797	5.94	
23	Andaman & Nicobar	84	0.03	-	-	130	0.04	
24	Chandigarh	707	0.21	616	0.18	-	-	
25	Daman & Diu	173	0.05	220	0.07	-	-	
26	Puducherry	1450	0.44	1542	0.46	1370	0.41	
	Total	312693	93.79	312736	93.82	510764	153.23	