

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1336
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24TH JULY, 2017**

Funds for Bihar

†1336. SHRIMATI RANJEET RANJAN:

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

(a) whether the Government has sanctioned/allocated any funds for the State of Bihar under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan and Mid Day Meal Scheme; and

(b) if so, the details thereof including the utilisation of the said funds during the last three years, year-wise ?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): Details of funds released by the Central Government to the State of Bihar under Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan and Mid Day Meal Scheme along with the utilisation of said funds during the last three years are as under:-

(Rs. In lakhs)

| Year | Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan | | Mid Day Meal | |
|---------|-----------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | Funds Released | Funds Utilized* | Funds Released | Funds Utilized |
| 2014-15 | 216336.05 | 549982.34 | 136532.10 | 140647.23 |
| 2015-16 | 251557.33 | 576225.94 | 120013.29 | 116326.26 |
| 2016-17 | 270688.44 | 638367.43 | 114257.02 | 102997.04 |

* Note: Utilization of funds shown above is against receipts from Central release, State share release, Finance Commission Award and Miscellaneous incomes, if any.
