

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2176
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.01.2018

Adult Literacy

2176. SHRI LADU KISHORE SWAIN:

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

- (a) the present status of financial support to State Resource Centres in promoting/achieving adult literacy in the country;
- (b) the details of budget allocated/spent for the purpose State/UT-wise during the last two years and the current year;
- (c) whether the Government is considering adequate support to SRCs in near future and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether a clear roadmap in achieving total literacy in the country, considering the need of most backward districts in the country has been prepared and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) & (b):** The details of the grants in aid provided to the State Resource Centres State/UT-wise during the last two years and in the current financial year are at **Annexure.**
- (c):** The component of State Resource Centres has been granted interim extension upto 30.09.2017 and extension beyond this date is tentatively proposed without changing the scope and financial norms.
- (d):** In order to improve the adult literacy rate in the country, Government is implementing Saakshar Bharat Programme since October, 2009 in rural areas of all those districts that had adult female literacy rate of 50% and below as per Census, 2001. The Scheme is presently continued upto 31.12.2017 which is tentatively proposed to be continued further without changing the scope, nature and coverage of the Scheme.

Annexure

**STATEMENT REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2176 FOR 01.01.2018 ASKED BY SHRI LADU
KISHORE SWAIN REGARDING "ADULT LITERACY"**

**State/UT-wise Details of funds released to State Resource Centres (SRCs) during the
last two years and current financial year**

S. No.	Name of State/UT and SRC with Category	Rupees in Lakh		
		Funds Released		
		2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018*
A	ANDHRA PRADESH			
1	SRC Vishakhapattanam, Category-B	71.78	77.33	0.00
B	ARUNACHAL PRADESH			
2	SRC Naharlagun, Category-B	87.22	61.61	17.00
C	ASSAM			
3	Guwahati, Category-A	147.90	87.04	37.00
4	Dispur, Category-B	62.04	37.47	12.00
D	BIHAR			
5	SRC ADRI Patna, Category-A	98.20	112.05	2.00
6	SRC Deepayatan, Category-A	114.34	125.65	12.00
E	CHHATTISGARH			
7	SRC Raipur, Category-A	105.02	102.60	0.00
F	DELHI			
8	SRC Jamia Millia Islamia, Category-B	63.71	77.96	0.00
G	GUJARAT			
9	SRC Ahmedabad, Category-B	35.00	114.38	0.00
10	SRC Bharuch, Category-B	35.00	103.30	23.00
H	HARYANA			
11	SRC Rohtak, Category-A	122.81	110.62	0.00
I	HIMACHAL PRADESH			
12	SRC Shimla, Category-A	76.64	98.83	0.00
J	JAMMU AND KASHMIR			
13	SRC Srinagar, Category-A	64.80	119.00	0.00
K	JHARKHAND			
14	SRC Ranchi, Category-A	82.61	114.05	0.00
15	SRC Palamu, Category-B	38.96	66.17	0.00
L	KARNATAKA			
16	SRC Mysore, Category-A	69.46	117.84	0.00
M	KERALA			
17	SRC Thiruvananthapuram, Category-A	104.14	122.83	0.00

N	MADHYA PRADESH			
18	SRC Bhopal, Category-A	85.20	106.04	0.00
19	SRC Indore, Category-A	76.07	124.45	0.00
O	MAHARASHTRA			
20	SRC Aurangabad, Category-B	50.00	84.03	0.00
21	SRC Pune, Category-A	50.00	184.86	0.00
P	MEGHALAYA			
22	SRC Shillong, Category-A	137.76	85.69	39.00
Q	ODISHA			
23	SRC Bhubaneswar, Category-B	0.00	0.00	0.00
24	SRC Rayagada, Category-B	35.00	60.52	9.00
R	RAJASTHAN			
25	SRC Jaipur, Category-A	65.00	142.96	0.00
26	SRC Jodhpur, Category-B	50.00	98.97	0.00
S	TAMIL NADU			
27	SRC Chennai, Category-A	94.33	117.68	0.00
T	TELANGANA			
28	SRC Hyderabad, Category-A	97.07	121.19	18.00
U	TRIPURA			
29	SRC Agartala, Category-B	0.00	0.00	0.00
V	UTTAR PRADESH			
30	SRC Lucknow, Category-A	75.75	115.02	0.00
W	UTTARAKHAND			
31	SRC Dehradun, Category-A	102.39	112.04	0.00
X	WEST BENGAL			
32	SRC Kolkata, Category-A	110.11	118.86	5.00
	Total	2,408.32	3,121.07	174.00

*An upper ceiling of Rs. 40.00 lakh and Rs. 28.00 lakh respectively was kept as per the category (A and B) of the SRCs and taking into account the unspent balance available with them in the preceding year, the funds were released in the financial year 2017-18 accordingly.