

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1392  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.03.2018**

**National Means-Cum-Merit Scholarship**

**1392. SHRIMATI P.K.  
SREEMATHI TEACHER:**

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

- (a) the details of funds allotment under the National Means-Cum-Merit Scholarship (NMMS) to the students during the last three years, year/State-wise including Kerala;
- (b) the details of outstanding dues, if any in respect of Kerala; and
- (c) whether any complaint/suggestions/requests have been received regarding hindrances on uploading application for benefits for the scheme in the National scholarship portal, if so, the details thereof along with the action taken by the Government thereon?

**ANSWER**

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

- (a): A statement showing the State-wise scholarship amount sanctioned under National Means-cum-Merit Scholarship Scheme (NMMSS), including the State of Kerala during last three years is **annexed**. The funds for scholarships under the scheme are released to the State Bank of India, Main Branch, New Delhi, which disburses the scholarship amount directly into the bank accounts of the students.
- (b): The details of the pending proposals received from the State of Kerala are indicated hereunder:

Projected Year	Class	Category			Total No. of Students
		General	SC	ST	
2014-15	XII	2779	545	149	<b>3473</b>
2015-16	XI	2668	625	180	<b>3473</b>
2016-17	X	2649	624	200	<b>3473</b>
2017-18	IX	2647	607	219	<b>3473</b>

These proposals could not be processed during the current financial year due to paucity of funds.

(c): National Informatics Centre (NIC), Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, which administer the National Scholarship Portal (NSP) has informed that they have not received any specific query/ request / grievance regarding hindrances on uploading application for benefits for the Scheme in the National Scholarship Portal, NIC has, however, put in place three mechanisms namely, (i) Helpdesk; (ii) Call Centre; & (iii) Email based support to handled query / grievances related to NSP.

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**Statement referred to in part (a) of the reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1392 asked by P.K. Sreemathi Teacher regarding National Means-Cum-Scholarship for answer on 05.05.2016**

Statement showing Statewise and year-wise number of scholarships sanctioned under the National Means-Cum-Scholarship Scheme (NMMSS) during last three years 2014-15, 2015-16 & 2016-17						
S.No.	Name of State	F.Y. 2014-15		F.Y. 2015-16		F.Y. 2016-17
		No. of Scholarships	Amount Sanctioned (Rs in lakh)	No. of Scholarships	Amount Sanctioned (Rs in lakh)	No. of Scholarships
1	Andaman & Nicobar	116	6.96	-	-	133
2	Andhra Pradesh	3061	183.66	15309	918.54	4961
3	Telangana			7832	469.92	163
4	Arunachal Pradesh	105	6.30	-	-	-
5	Assam	1987	119.22	4067	244.02	687
6	Bihar	7143	428.59	1945	116.72	340
7	Chandigarh	238	14.28	77	4.62	266
8	Chhattisgarh	-	-	-	-	-
9	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	-	-	-	-	-
10	Daman & Diu	49	2.94	-	-	-
11	Delhi	1497	89.82	4133	247.98	41
12	Goa	453	27.18	-	-	-
13	Gujarat	2064	123.84	1117	67.02	-
14	Haryana	1814	108.84	2149	128.94	3054
15	Himachal Pradesh	-	-	1877	112.62	613
16	J& K	537	32.22	121	7.26	-
17	Jharkhand	2160	129.62	236	14.16	-
18	Karnataka	10803	648.18	10813	648.78	7979
19	Kerala	13891	833.46	14741	884.46	14044
20	Lakshadweep	-	-	-	-	-

21	Madhya Pradesh	478	28.68	1724	103.47	-
22	Maharashtra	31123	1866.63	63526	3811.56	13845
23	Manipur	430	25.80	3	0.18	240
24	Meghalaya	384	23.04	466	27.96	495
25	Mizoram	137	8.22	412	24.72	412
26	Nagaland	225	13.50	334	20.04	109
27	Orissa	7564	453.84	10469	628.14	2765
28	Pudducherry	320	19.20	105	6.30	385
29	Punjab	4966	297.96	9331	559.86	3485
30	Rajasthan	663	39.78	5615	336.90	1
31	Sikkim	3	0.18	311	18.66	175
32	Tamil Nadu	9760	585.60	21857	1311.42	5710
33	Tripura	392	23.52	360	21.60	745
34	Uttar Pradesh	3185	191.10	6405	384.30	1230
35	Uttrakhand	26	1.56	2242	134.52	5
36	West Bengal	1196	71.76	22435	1346.10	2543
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>106770</b>	<b>6405.48</b>	<b>210012</b>	<b>12600.77</b>	<b>64426</b>