GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2546 TO BE ANSWERED ON 12th March, 2018

Status of RUSA

2546. SHRI GUTHA SUKENDER REDDY:

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

- (a) the details of the implementation and current status of Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) for the imparting of Higher Education in Telangana;
- (b) whether the Government has released any funds during the current financial year to the State; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. SATYA PAL SINGH)

(a) to (c): The State of Telangana had submitted its willingness to participate in the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) on 14th July, 2014. As on date, the Project Approval Board (PAB) of RUSA has approved an amount of `174 crores under various components to the State of Telangana, out of which, the central share approved is `104.4 crores.

Till date, central share amounting to `72.3 crores has been released to the State of Telangana, out of which, `32.49 crores was released in the current financial year. Release of further funds is dependent upon submission of utilisation certificate and other relevant documents by the State. The component-wise details of amount released in the current financial year are as under:

Component	Central share released in the current financial year (Amount in `crore)
Preparatory Grants	2.2
New Model Degree College	5.39
Infrastructure Grants to Universities	6
Infrastructure Grants to Colleges	18.3
Upgradation of existing degree college to Model	0.6
Degree College	

Total	32.49
