

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1627
ANSWERED ON 02.07.2019

IMPLEMENTATION OF BRGF

1627. SHRIMATI POONAM MAHAJAN:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Backward Region Grant Fund (BRGF) was to be implemented in 272 backward districts in 27 States and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details regarding the Capacity Building (CB) Grant and Development Grant (DG) that was allocated to these districts during the last five years, along with the addition to this scheme during this period;
- (c) the reasons in case the said grants have not been allocated; and
- (d) utilisation of the funds under the said programme/scheme during the last five years, State/UT/District-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (d) Backward Regions Grant Fund (BRGF) Programme was started in 250 identified backward districts of all the States of the country except Goa in 2006-07. Further, 22 districts were added to the Programme in 2012-13. Thus, BRGF was being implemented in 272 districts of the country. State/District-wise details regarding the Development Grant and Capacity Building funds released under BRGF during financial year 2014-15 and the utilisation reports submitted by them is at Annexure. BRGF Programme has been delinked from the budgetary support of the Central Government with effect from the financial year 2015-16. This is in view of enhanced fiscal space made available to the States by the Fourteenth Finance Commission on account of higher devolution to the States from 32% to 42% of the Centre's net tax receipts.

Annexure referred in reply to part (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.1627
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**State/District-wise details regarding the Development Grant and Capacity Building funds
released during 2014-15 and the utilisation reported**

(Amount Rs. in crores)

Sl.No.	State	Sl.No.	District	2014-15	
				Funds released	Utilisation reported submitted (as on 27.06.2019)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	1	Anantpur	17.74	17.74
		2	Chittoor	26.06	26.06
		3	Cuddapah	0.00	0.00
		4	Vizianagaram	0.00	0.00
		Total Development Grant (DG)		43.80	43.80
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		43.80	43.80
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	1	Upper Subansari	15.35	15.35
		Total Development Grant (DG)		15.35	15.35
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		15.35	15.35
3.	Assam	1	Baksa*	11.61	11.61
		2	Barpeta	13.20	13.20
		3	Bongaigaon	11.73	11.73
		4	Cachar	13.99	13.99
		5	Chirang*	9.04	9.04
		6	Dhemaji	13.37	13.37
		7	Goalpara	0.00	0.00
		8	Hailakandi	11.59	11.59
		9	Karbi Anglong	15.37	15.37
		10	Kokrajhar	12.23	12.23
		11	Moregaon	13.11	13.11
		12	North Cachar Hills	0.00	0.00
		13	North Lakhimpur	14.17	14.17
		Total Development Grant (DG)		139.41	139.41
Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00		
Grand Total (DG+CB)		139.41	139.41		
4.	Bihar	1	Araria	0.00	0.00

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				Funds released	Utilisation reported submitted (as on 27.06.2019)
		2	Arwal*	0.00	0.00
		3	Aurangabad	0.00	0.00
		4	Banka	0.00	0.00
		5	Begusarai	14.60	0.00
		6	Bhagalpur	0.00	0.00
		7	Bhojpur	13.00	0.00
		8	Buxar	0.00	0.00
		9	Darbhangha	0.00	0.00
		10	Gaya	0.00	0.00
		11	Gopalganj	14.95	0.00
		12	Jamui	0.00	0.00
		13	Jehanabad	0.00	0.00
		14	Kaimur (Bhabua)	0.00	0.00
		15	Katihar	11.89	0.00
		16	Khagaria	0.00	0.00
		17	Kishanganj	0.00	0.00
		18	Lakhisarai	12.61	0.00
		19	Madhepura	14.45	0.00
		20	Madhubani	18.61	0.00
		21	Munger	0.00	0.00
		22	Muzaffarpur	0.00	0.00
		23	Nalanda	0.00	0.00
		24	Nawada	14.49	0.00
		25	Paschim Champaran	21.04	0.00
		26	Patna	0.00	0.00
		27	Purbi Champaran	20.40	0.00
		28	Purnia	16.53	0.00
		29	Rohtas	0.00	0.00
		30	Saharsa	11.45	0.00
		31	Samastipur	0.00	0.00
		32	Saran	0.00	0.00
		33	Sheikhpura	6.78	0.00
		34	Sheohar	0.00	0.00
		35	Sitamarhi	0.00	0.00
		36	Siwan*	0.00	0.00
		37	Supaul	0.00	0.00
		38	Vaishali	15.72	0.00

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				Funds released	Utilisation reported submitted (as on 27.06.2019)		
		Total Development Grant (DG)		206.52	0.00		
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00		
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		206.52	0.00		
5.	Chhattisgarh	1	Bastar	15.21	14.22		
		2	Bijapur*	11.75	11.75		
		3	Bilaspur	16.60	16.60		
		4	Dantewada	17.15	17.15		
		5	Dhamtari	13.97	13.97		
		6	Jashpur	14.65	14.65		
		7	Kabirdham	11.31	11.31		
		8	Kanker	14.34	14.34		
		9	Korba	15.99	15.99		
		10	Koriya	12.46	12.46		
		11	Mahasammund	12.02	12.02		
		12	Narayanpur*	8.25	8.25		
		13	Raigarh	17.51	17.51		
		14	Rajnandgaon	18.33	18.33		
		15	Sarguja	18.72	18.72		
				Total Development Grant (DG)		218.26	217.27
				Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		218.26	217.27		
6.	Gujarat	1	Banas Khantha	19.81	19.81		
		2	Dahod	0.00	0.00		
		3	Dang	0.00	0.00		
		4	Narmada	6.65	6.65		
		5	Panchmahal	15.28	15.28		
		6	Sabar Kantha	18.29	18.29		
				Total Development Grant (DG)		60.03	60.03
				Capacity Building (CB)		5.04	0.00
				Grand Total (DG+CB)		65.07	60.03
7.	Haryana	1	Mahendragarh	0.00	0.00		
		2	Sirsa	12.98	0.00		
				Total Development Grant (DG)		12.98	0.00
				Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
				Grand Total (DG+CB)		12.98	0.00
8.	Himachal Pradesh	1	Chamba	0.00	0.00		
		2	Sirmaur	11.92	11.92		

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		Total Development Grant (DG)		11.92	11.92
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		11.92	11.92
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	1	Doda	13.15	0.00
		2	Kishtwar*	12.20	12.20
		3	Kupwara	5.74	0.00
		4	Poonch	5.00	0.00
		5	Ramban*	9.58	9.58
		Total Development Grant (DG)		45.67	21.78
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		45.67	21.78
10.	Jharkhand	1	Bokaro	15.93	15.93
		2	Chatra	14.48	14.48
		3	Deoghar	10.66	1.11
		8..	Dhanbad	8.08	8.08
		5	Dumka	14.26	11.85
		6	Garhwa	8.66	0.00
		7	Giridih	15.95	7.07
		8	Godda	14.26	1.45
		9	Gumla	17.44	17.44
		10	Hazaribagh	15.46	4.90
		11	Jamtara	9.93	9.93
		12	Khunti*	13.20	13.20
		13	Koderma	12.44	6.16
		14	Latehar	11.30	10.54
		15	Lohardagga	12.08	12.08
		16	Pakur	8.34	8.34
		17	Palamu	18.72	15.44
		18	Ramgarh*	0.00	0.00
		19	Ranchi	0.00	0.00
		20	Sahebganj	13.21	11.87
		21	Saraikela Kharswan	7.13	7.13
		22	Simdega	0.00	0.00
		23	West Singhbhum	19.64	0.00
		Total Development Grant (DG)		261.17	177.00
Capacity Building (CB)		20.58	0.00		

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				Funds released	Utilisation reported submitted (as on 27.06.2019)
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		281.75	177.00
11.	Karnataka	1	Bidar	18.29	18.29
		2	Chitradurga	0.00	0.00
		3	Davangere	0.00	0.00
		4	Gulbarga	12.50	0.00
		5	Raichur	15.74	15.74
		6	Yadgir*	0.00	0.00
		Total Development Grant (DG)		46.53	34.03
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		46.53	34.03
12.	Kerala	1	Palakkad	19.05	19.05
		2	Wayanad	10.15	9.86
		Total Development Grant (DG)		29.20	28.91
		Capacity Building Grant (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		29.20	28.91
13.	Madhya Pradesh	1	Alirajpur*	10.40	10.40
		2	Anuppur*	8.45	8.45
		3	Ashoknagar*	14.58	14.58
		4	Balaghat	16.55	16.55
		5	Barwani	14.57	14.57
		6	Betul	8.73	8.73
		7	Burhanpur*	12.88	12.88
		8	Chhattarpur	13.69	13.69
		9	Chhindwara*	0.00	0.00
		10	Damoh	0.00	0.00
		11	Dhar	8.90	8.90
		12	Dindori	6.04	6.04
		13	Guna	0.00	0.00
		14	Jhabua	0.00	0.00
		15	Katni	0.00	0.00
		16	Khandwa	15.29	15.29
		17	Khargone	17.35	17.35
		18	Mandla	6.03	6.03
		19	Panna	0.00	0.00
		20	Rajgarh	16.14	16.14
		21	Rewa	0.00	0.00
		22	Satna	7.50	7.50

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				Funds released	Utilisation reported submitted (as on 27.06.2019)		
		23	Seoni	0.00	0.00		
		24	Shahdol	0.00	0.00		
		25	Sheopur	3.18	3.18		
		26	Shivpuri	12.52	12.52		
		27	Sidhi	0.00	0.00		
		28	Singrauli*	4.60	4.60		
		29	Tikamgarh	13.80	13.80		
		30	Umariya	10.02	10.02		
		Total Development Grant (DG)		221.22	221.22		
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00		
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		221.22	221.22		
14.	Maharashtra	1	Ahmednagar	32.33	32.33		
		2	Amravati	25.71	25.71		
		3	Aurangabad	25.33	25.33		
		4	Bhandara	13.75	13.75		
		5	Chandrapur	21.09	21.09		
		6	Dhule	19.39	19.01		
		7	Gadchiroli	21.82	21.82		
		8	Gondia	0.00	0.00		
		9	Hingoli	11.39	11.39		
		10	Nanded	16.01	16.01		
		11	Nandurbar	17.15	17.15		
		12	Yavatmal	25.84	25.84		
				Total Development Grant (DG)		229.81	229.43
				Capacity Building (CB)		6.33	6.33
				Grand Total (DG+CB)		236.14	235.76
15.	Manipur	1	Chandel	12.15	12.15		
		2	Churachandpur	9.81	9.81		
		3	Tamenglong	12.85	12.85		
				Total Development Grant (DG)		34.81	34.81
				Capacity Building (CB)		1.95	1.95
				Grand Total (DG+CB)		36.76	36.76
16.	Meghalaya	1	Ri-bhoi	0.00	0.00		
		2	South Garo Hills	0.00	0.00		
		3	West Garo Hills	0.00	0.00		
				Total Development Grant (DG)		0.00	0.00
				Capacity Building (CB)		2.56	2.35

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		Grand Total (DG+CB)		2.56	2.35
17.	Mizoram	1	Lawngtlai	11.71	11.71
		2	Saiha	11.43	11.43
		Total Development Grant (DG)		23.14	23.14
		Capacity Building (CB)		1.25	1.25
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		24.39	24.39
18.	Nagaland	1	Kiphrie*	11.16	11.16
		2	Longleng*	10.83	10.75
		3	Mon	11.15	11.15
		4	Tuensang	11.93	11.93
		5	Wokha	11.60	11.53
		Total Development Grant (DG)		56.67	56.52
		Capacity Building (CB)		4.20	4.20
Grand Total (DG+CB)		60.87	60.72		
19.	Odisha	1	Bargarh*	0.00	0.00
		2	Bolangir	15.04	15.04
		3	Boudh	0.00	0.00
		4	Deogarh	0.00	0.00
		5	Dhenkanal	0.00	0.00
		6	Gajapati	14.35	14.35
		7	Ganjam	24.29	16.68
		8	Jharsuguda	7.90	7.90
		9	Kalahandi	0.00	0.00
		10	Kandhamal (Phulbani)	16.66	16.66
		11	Keonjhar	9.40	9.40
		12	Koraput	12.13	0.00
		13	Malkangiri	0.00	0.00
		14	Mayurbhanj	22.20	0.05
		15	Nabarangpur	0.00	0.00
		16	Nuapada	0.00	0.00
		17	Rayagada	0.00	0.00
		18	Sambalpur	13.66	11.69
		19	Sonepur (Subarnapur)	11.52	11.52
		20	Sundargarh	20.70	20.70
Total Development Grant (DG)		167.85	123.99		
Capacity Building (CB)		11.61	0.00		

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		Grand Total (DG+CB)		179.46	123.99
20.	Punjab	1	Hoshiarpur	14.18	14.18
		Total Development Grant (DG)		14.18	14.18
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.69	0.69
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		14.87	14.87
21.	Rajasthan	1	Banswara	13.49	13.49
		2	Barmer	36.72	36.72
		3	Chittaurgarh	15.20	15.20
		4	Dungarpur	10.40	10.40
		5	Jaisalmer	36.55	36.55
		6	Jalore	14.84	14.84
		7	Jhalawar	8.85	8.85
		8	Karauli	13.27	12.31
		9	Pratapgarh*	9.90	9.90
		10	Sawai Madhopur	8.37	8.37
		11	Sirohi	10.14	10.14
		12	Tonk	7.04	7.04
		13	Udaipur	26.68	26.68
		Total Development Grant (DG)		211.45	210.49
Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00		
Grand Total (DG+CB)		211.45	210.49		
22.	Sikkim	1	North District	11.47	11.47
		Total Development Grant (DG)		11.47	11.47
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.85	0.85
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		12.32	12.32
23.	Tamil Nadu	1	Cuddalore	0.00	0.00
		2	Dindigul	0.00	0.00
		3	Nagapattinam	8.30	8.30
		4	Sivaganga	15.49	10.73
		5	Tiruvannamalai	18.63	18.63
		6	Villupuram	0.00	0.00
		Total Development Grant (DG)		42.42	37.66
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		42.42	37.66
24.	Telangana	1	Adilabad	26.20	26.20
		2	Karimnagar	23.38	23.38
		3	Khammam	0.00	0.00

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		4	Mahaboobnagar	0.00	0.00
		5	Medak	0.00	0.00
		6	Nalgonda	0.00	0.00
		7	Nizamabad	0.00	0.00
		8	Rangareddy	21.52	21.52
		9	Warrangal	18.32	0.00
		Total Development Grant (DG)		89.42	71.10
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		89.42	71.10
25.	Tripura	1	Dhalai	12.63	12.63
		Total Development Grant (DG)		12.63	12.63
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		12.63	12.63
26.	Uttar Pradesh	1	Ambedkar Nagar	0.00	0.00
		2	Azamgarh	18.51	18.51
		3	Badaun	20.19	20.19
		4	Bahraich	0.00	0.00
		5	Balrampur	0.00	0.00
		6	Banda	16.72	16.72
		7	Barabanki	17.70	17.70
		8	Basti	16.70	16.70
		9	Chandauli	16.05	16.05
		10	Chitrakoot	0.00	0.00
		11	Etah	15.96	15.96
		12	Farukhabad	15.97	15.97
		13	Fatehpur	0.00	0.00
		14	Gonda	19.02	19.02
		15	Gorakhpur	18.55	18.55
		16	Hamirpur	0.00	0.00
		17	Hardoi	0.00	0.00
		18	Jalaun	15.62	15.62
		19	Jaunpur	22.90	22.90
		20	Kashganj (Kanshiram Nagar) *	14.36	14.36
		21	Kaushambi	0.00	0.00
		22	Kushinagar	0.00	0.00
		23	Lakhimpurkhiri	0.00	0.00

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		24	Lalitpur	0.00	0.00
		25	Maharajganj	14.99	14.99
		26	Mahoba	0.00	0.00
		27	Mirzapur	18.11	18.11
		28	Pratapgarh	0.00	0.00
		29	Raibareilly	19.28	12.77
		30	Sant Kabir Nagar	0.00	0.00
		31	Shrawasti	10.83	9.92
		32	Siddharth Nagar	17.72	17.72
		33	Sitapur	0.00	0.00
		34	Sonbhadra	18.08	18.08
		35	Unnao	19.60	19.60
		Total Development Grant (DG)		346.86	339.44
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		346.86	339.44
27.	Uttarakhand	1	Chamoli	0.00	0.00
		2	Champawat	0.00	0.00
		3	Tehri Garhwal	0.00	0.00
		Total Development Grant (DG)		0.00	0.00
		Capacity Building (CB)		2.53	2.53
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		2.53	2.53
28.	West Bengal	1	24 South Paraganas	31.25	31.25
		2	Bankura	18.91	18.91
		3	Birbhum	14.86	14.86
		4	Dinajpur Dakshin	14.86	14.86
		5	Dinajpur Uttar	14.42	14.42
		6	Jalpaiguri	21.90	21.90
		7	Maldah	18.87	18.87
		8	Medinipur East	22.48	0.00
		9	Medinipur West	28.51	3.70
		10	Murshidabad	19.41	0.00
		11	Purulia	21.17	21.17
		Total Development Grant (DG)		226.64	159.94
		Capacity Building (CB)		0.00	0.00
		Grand Total (DG+CB)		226.64	159.94
		Overall Total (DG)			
Overall Total (CB)				57.59	20.15

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Overall Grand Total (DG+CB)				2837.00	2315.67

** 22 districts added in 2012-13 under the BRGF Programme.*

Note: The State of Telangana was carved out of Andhra Pradesh during 2014-15.
