

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1871
TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, 13th MARCH, 2023
22 PHALGUNA, 1944 (SAKA)**

Open Market Borrowing by States

1871. SHRIMATI APARUPA PODDAR:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has approved and disbursed Rs. 8,154 crore to the States under Article 293(3) of the Constitution of India for raising Open Market Borrowing (OMB) and if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) whether during the month of October, 2022, as per the recommendations of the 15th Finance Commission, a total of Rs. 15,121.99 crore was also released to the States therefor and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise including West Bengal, Meghalaya and Tripura thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

- (a) Yes Sir, the consent of Government of India under Article 293 (3) of the Constitution of India for raising Open Market Borrowing (OMB) of Rs. 8,000 crore and Rs. 154 crore have been allowed to the State Governments of Haryana and Meghalaya respectively in the month of October, 2022.
- (b) Yes Sir, during the month of October, 2022, as per the recommendations of the 15th Finance Commission, a total of Rs. 15,121.99 crore was released to the States as grant. State-wise details of the amount released is given in Annexure.

Annexure referred to in the answer of part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred question no. 1871 for
13.03.2023

State-wise detail of release of Finance Commission grants during the month of October, 2022

(Rs. In crore)

Sl. No.	Name of State	Total grants released during the month of October,2022
1	Andhra Pradesh	1016.25
2	Assam	775.90
3	Bihar	1921.00
4	Chhattisgarh	331.80
5	Goa	2.40
6	Haryana	80.59
7	Himachal Pradesh	781.42
8	Kerala	1720.83
9	Maharashtra	1525.41
10	Manipur	192.50
11	Meghalaya	86.08
12	Mizoram	134.58
13	Nagaland	394.70
14	Punjab	788.50
15	Rajasthan	2058.57
16	Sikkim	46.57
17	Tripura	368.58
18	Uttar Pradesh	1106.60
19	Uttarakhand	657.45
20	West Bengal	1132.25
	Total	15121.99
