GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PLANNING

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2316 TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.03.2023

ASPIRATIONAL DISTRICTS OF MAHARASHTRA

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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of number of districts identified in Maharashtra under Aspirational District Programme;
- (b) the details of development works carried out in the said districts along with the details of the institutions/agencies performing these works in the districts of Hingoli, Nanded and Yavatmal;
- (c) the details of the funds allocated under the said programme, district-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to include more districts under the said programme keeping in view high rate of unemployment in various districts of Maharashtra; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION; MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

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- (a) There are 4 Aspirational Districts from the State of Maharashtra, viz. Nandurbar, Osmanabad, Washim and Gadchiroli.
- (b) As part of the Aspirational Districts Programme, the details of projects taken up by the four Aspirational Districts of Maharashtra are provided in **Annexure I**. This information is not applicable to the Districts of Yavatmal, Hingoli and Nanded as they are not covered under the Aspirational Districts Programme.
- (c) Details of funds allocated to Aspirational Districts of Maharashtra are provided in Annexure II.
- (d) and (e) At present there is no proposal to add more districts under the Aspirational Districts Programme.

Details of Projects undertaken by the Aspirational Districts of Maharashtra under the Aspirational Districts Programme

District	Project
Gadchiroli	EDUCATION – 'Educate Gadchiroli' Fellowship for Tribal Students
	EDUCATION – Development of 12 Govt Schools as Model Schools
	EDUCATION- Fulora Project: Capacity Building and Level Based Learning
	EDUCATION- JEE Coaching Centre
	SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND LIVELIHOOD - Empowering Gram Sabhas through capacity building and training in context of activities related to Minor Forest Produce
	Muskan: Battling Anaemia in Gadchiroli
Nandurbar	Fellowship program
	Power supply in 2772 classrooms across 693 Primary schools
	Motor cycle Ambulance
	DRINKING WATER - Solar energy based dual pump mini water supply scheme
	Solar power system and Television sets for 70 AWCs
	Height/length and weight measurement devices for growth monitoring at AWCs
	Construction of 5 AWCs in Akkalkuwa and Djadgaon tribal blocks
	AGRICULTURE - Installation of cages in reservoir for fish farming
	AGRICULTURE - Business plan and Value Chain Analysis of Minor millet in 23 villages of Akkalkuwa block
	AGRICULTURE - Strawberry cultivation in tribal area of Akkalkuwa and Akrani blocks

Osmanabad	AGRICULTURE Increasing per capita income of farmers/SHGs by using innovative technology in Agriculture	
	Rejuvenation of Waterbodies (Window 2)	
Washim	Procurement 15 ambulances for all PHCs to Improve timely medical treatment and increased accesses to medical emergency services.	
	Procuring examination/Labor table(Portable) (120 units), Fetal Doppler (153 units), Digital Hemoglobin meter with stripe (183 units), Fingertip Pulse oxymeter (32 units)	
	Construction of Kangaroo Mother Care (KMC) Rooms at 30 PHCs and Rural Hospitals and procurement of 3520 KMC bags	
	Procurement of Portable X-Ray machine with Mobile Van, CBNAAT Machine for TB patients	
	Implementation of Magic English programme, patented by Karadipath Pvt. Ltd. Chennai	
	Bharat Ratna Atal Bihari Vajpayee International School.	
	Construction of 150 Recharge pits	
	Strengthening of Secondary health care Delivery System	
	Strengthening learning and playing infrastructure in Anganwadis	
	Strengthening Physics, Chemistry and Biology labs in 5 Zila Parishad Schools	
	AGRICULTURE Increasing per capita income of farmers/SHGs by using innovative technology in Agriculture	
	Rejuvenation of Waterbodies (Window 2)	
	Health - Strengthening secondary health care delivery system	
	Agriculture - Supplying Seed Dressing drums to women SHGst increase their per capita income	

Annexure II

Details of funds allocated to Aspirational Districts of Maharashtra

District	Amount Allocated (In Rs. Cr)
Gadchiroli	9
Nandurbar	9
Osmanabad	12
Washim	18