GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3315 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.03.2023

IMPROVING DELIVERY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE

3315. MS. CHANDRANI MURMU: SHRI CHANDESHWAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total funds allocated and utilised by the Government specifically for improving the dispensation delivery of social justice in the country during the last five years particularly in Bihar and Odisha;
- (b) whether any review has been undertaken during the said period by the Government to know the utility/usefulness of its schemes, plans and programmes;
- (c) if so, the details and outcome thereof; and
- (d) if not, the time by which such review will be conducted?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SUSHRI PRATIMA BHOUMIK)

(a) to (d): The focus of the Department of Social Justice and Empowerment is the welfare of the poorest households of the socially, educationally and economically marginalized sections of the society including Scheduled Castes (SCs), Other Backward Classes, Senior Citizens, Victims of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse, Transgender Persons, Beggars, Denotified and Nomadic Tribes (DNTs), Economically Backward Classes (EBCs) and Economically Weaker Section (EWS). This Department is implementing several Schemes for welfare including West Bengal. The schemes wise fund allocation during last 5 years including Bihar and Odisha is given at Annexure.

For the successful implementation of the Schemes Government undertakes steps like mandatory annual inspections by District Authorities, scrutiny of proposals by multidisciplinary State Level Grants-in-aid Committee, mandatory submission of audited statement of accounts and utilization Certificate and periodic review by holding meetings at national level, state level, district level and field visits. The Department also undertakes periodic review of the implementation of the schemes through third party evaluation studies, the studies have found that these schemes are achieving desired objectives..

Annexure as referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3315 due for answer on 21.03.2023 Scheme wise Allocated Fund & Expenditure from financial year 2017-18 to 2020-21



(Rs. in crore)

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		2017-18		2018-19		2019-20		2020-21	
	Programme/Schemes	Allocated Fund	Expenditure	Allocated Fund	Expenditure	Allocated Fund	Expenditure	Allocated Fund	Expenditure
	Post Matric Scholarship for SCs	3347.99	3414.18	6000	5928.16	2690	2711.31	3815.87	4010.16
	Free Coaching for SCs and OBCs	25	19.84	15	14.88	30	13.26	30	11.97
·	Pradhan Mantri Adharsh Gram Yojana	40	39	140	167.89	718	717.96	300	216.52
	Strengthening of machinery for Enforcement of								
	Protection of Civil Right Act 1955 and Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989	204.4							
	Babu Jagjivan Ram Chhatrawas Yojana	305.17 155	355.86	403.72	405.72	630	619.64	600	593.39
	Assistance to Vol. Orgas, for SCs	70	74.91	32	36.56	25	25	30	56.4
	Pre-matric Scholarships for the children of those	70	70	30	36.08	70	67.17	125	55.81
	engaged in unclean occupation	2.7	0.35	4					
	State Sch. Castes Development Corporations	20	20	20	3.12	30	29.4	27	26.81
9	Up gradation of Merit of SC Students	20	1.22	0.01	20	20	20	20	15.86
	Special Central Assistance to Scheduled Castes Sub		1.22	0.01	0	0	0	0	0
10	Plan	800	731.38	900	897.25	1100	1114 70		
1	National Fellowship for SCs	230	225.4	240	240	1100	1114.73	300	387
	Self Employment Scheme of Liberation &	250	££J. †	240	240	246.66	246.66	125	119
	Rehabilitation of Scavengers	5	5	70	85.76	99.93	84.8	30	16.6
	National Overseas Scholarship for SCs	15	4,59	15	5.97	20	32.76	30	33.09
14	Top Class Education for SCs	35	33.96	25	25,48	40,5	39.7	50	52.88
	Pre Matric Scholarship for SCs	50	62.99	109.45	115.64	355	352.7	600	52,88 569,52
10	VISVAS Yojana SC Component	***		0	115.04	0	332.1	32.13	
17	Venture Capital Funds for SCs	40	50	10	10	60	160	32.13 40	10 30
18	Credit Gurantee fund for SCs	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0	0	
	Pradhari Mantri Dakshta Aur Kushalta Samapan (SC			 "" 	0.01	0.01	V	0	0
19	Component)	0	0	0	0	1 0 1	0	0 =	0
	Scheme for prevention of Alcohalism and Substance					 		- 	v
	(Drugs) Abuse	46	48.97	80	80	110	108.93	0	0
	Research Studies & Publications	2.5	1.1	3	0.57	5	3.07	0	0
22	Information & Mass Education Cell	37	36.48	40	41.03	11	10.93	5	2.78
	Assistance to VOs. for Providing Social Defence								2.70
	Services	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	Integrated Programmes for Sr. Citizens	46	44.47	60	65.08	100	107.3	0	0
25	National Action Plan for Senior Citizens	0	0	0	0	40	31.5	150	130,31
	National Survey on Drug Abuse and Substance						···		100,51
	Abuse	22.22	22.22	11	8.91	0	0	0	0
2/	National Action Plan on Drug Demand Reduction	0.01	0	113.5	112.33	135	134.89	180	149.43
	Integrated Programme for Rehabilitation of Beggars	1	1	0.5	0.5	25	21.14	0	0
	Scheme for Transgender Persons	0.02	0	1	1	5	4.5	0	0
	Rashtriya Vayoshri Yojana	0	1.5	10.0	106,51	0.01		0	26.5
	Pre-matric Scholarship to OBCs	142	128.23	132	121.84	220	201.42	175	165.85
	Assistance for Skill Development of OBCs, DNTs	. T		Π					
	and EBCs	10	15	. 30	40	34	34	50	47.29
	Boys & Girls Hostels for OBCs	40	42.5	30	36.05	30	21.29	35	31.59
	Post-Matric Scholarship for OBCs	885	829.61	983.25	1000.46	1397.5	1299.19	1100	1159.59
	Scheme for Educational and Economical		·						
	Development of De-notified and Nomadic Tribes	6	5.4	10	9	10	9	10	9
	Post Matric Scholarship for Economically Backward Classes	.,		1 . T		T			
	Interest Subsidy on Overseas Studies of OBCs	10	11	23	23	13	13.99	25	25
	National Fellowship for OBCs and EBCs	4.3	19.87	10	10	26.09	26.09	35	32.61
	VISVAS Yojana OBC Component	40	20	30	30	52.5	52.5	45	33
	Venture Capital Fund for Backward Classes			0		0		32	10
		0	0	0	0	50	90	10	0
41	Pradhan Mantri Dakshta Aur Kushalta Samapan (OBC Coponent)			1					
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Scheme wise Allocated Fund & Expenditure for financial year 2021-22

C N -	C No.						
S.No.	Programme/Schemes	Allocated Fund	(Rs. in crore Expenditure				
1	Post Matric Scholarship for SCs	4196.59					
2	SHREYAS Scheme						
	(National Fellowship, National Overseas Scholarships, Top Class Education, Free Coaching)						
	National Fellowship for SCs	125.00	122.44				
	National Overseas Scholarship for SCs	35.00					
	Top Class Education for SCs	70.00					
	Free Coaching for SCs	30.00					
3	PM AJAY	1800.00	,,				
4	Strengthening of machinery for Enforcement of Protection of Civil Right Act 1955 and Prevention of Atrocities Act, 1989	600.00					
5	Scheme of Residential Education for Students in High School in Targeted Area (SRESHTA)	63.21	38.04				
6	Assistance to State Scheduled Castes Development Corporations	0.01	0.00				
7	Self Employment Scheme of Liberation & Rehabilitation of Scavengers	43.31	39.00				
8	Pre Matric Scholarship for SCs and Others	725.00	570.39				
9	VISVAS Yojana (SCs)	10.00	0.00				
10	Venture Capital Funds for SCs	70.00	70.00				
11	PM DAKSH Yojana SC Component	38.94	33.21				
12	Atal Vayo Abhuday Yojana	150.00	96.54				
13	National Action Plan on Drug Demand Reduction	200.00	90.93				
14	Support for Marginalized Individuals for Livelihood & Enterprize (SMILE)						
	Comprehensive Rehabilitation of Persons Engaged in the Act of Begging	10.00	0.05				
	Comprehensive Rehabilitation for Welfare of Transgender Persons	25.00	1.91				
15	PM YASASVI (OBCs/EBCs/DNTs)						
	Post Matric Scholarship for OBCs/EBCs	1300.00	1319.96				
	Pre Matric Scholarship for OBCs	250.00	218.46				
	Boys and Girls Hostel for OBCs	30.00	18.76				
16	SHREYAS (OBCs)						
	National Fellowship for OBCs	60.00	55.55				
	Interest Subsidy on Overseas Studies of OBCs	30.00	26.70				
17	VISVAS Yojana OBCs	10.00	0.00				
	Venture Capital Fund for Backward Classes	20.00	20.00				
	PM DAKSH Yojana OBC Component	40.54	35.02				
	Scheme for Economic Empowerment of DNT/N/SN (SEED)	40.40	0.21				
21	Information, Monitoring Evaluation and Social Audit	25.00	17.82				
	Grand Total of all schemes of the Department	9998.00	7332.75				
