

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.4885
TO BE ANSWERED ON 31.03.2023

FUNDS TO NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR WOMEN

4885. SMT. BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO GAWALI
SHRI KRUPAL BALAJI TUMANE

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) The funds allocated to the National Commission for Women and State Women Commissions during each of the last five years, State-wise including Maharashtra;
- (b) whether the said allocation is adequate, if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any further demand for allocation of funds has been made by the Commission and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to expand the purview of National Commission for Women and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) whether the State Commissions for Women have also conveyed to expend their respective purview and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (c): The funds allocated to National Commission for Women(NCW) during the last five years are as under:

| Year | Budget Allocation (RE) (in Crore) |
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| 2018-19 | 24.00 |
| 2019-20 | 25.00 |
| 2020-21 | 21.88 |
| 2021-22 | 25.80 |
| 2022-23 | 30.50 |

(The fund allocation has been made based on the budget proposed by NCW. No allocation of funds to the State Commissions of Women is made by Ministry of Women & Child Development.)

(d): At present, no proposal of expansion of the purview of National Commission for Women is under consideration of the Government.

(e): State Women Commissions come under the jurisdiction of respective States.
