GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4907 TO BE ANSWERED ON 31.03.2023

FUNDS UNDER MISSION SHAKTI IN JHARKHAND

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Will the Minister of Women and Child Development be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Mission Shakti scheme meant for the safety and empowerment of women; and
- (b) the details of the funds allocated to Jharkhand and funds utilized by them under the said scheme during the last three years?

ANSWER

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

- (a): The Government of India has launched 'Mission Shakti' an integrated women empowerment programme as umbrella scheme for the safety, security and empowerment of women for implementation during the 15th Finance Commission period across the country aimed at strengthening interventions for women safety, security and empowerment. It seeks to realise the Government's commitment for 'women-led development' by addressing issues affecting women on a life-cycle continuum basis and making them equal partners in nation-building through convergence and citizen-ownership. It also focuses on strategies for improving convergence across Ministries/ Departments and at different levels of governance.
- 'Mission Shakti' comprises of two sub-schemes 'Sambal' and 'Samarthya' for safety and security of women and empowerment of women respectively. The existing schemes of One Stop Centres (OSC), Women Helplines (181-WHL) and Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP) have been made part of Sambal sub-scheme; while the existing schemes of Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana (PMMVY), Ujjwala, Swadhar Greh and Working Women Hostel and National Creche Scheme have been included in 'Samarthya'. A new component of Hub for Empowerment of Women has been included in 'Samarthya' sub-scheme, under which the Central Government provides financial assistance to States/ UTs for setting up of Hub at State and District levels.
- (b): The umbrella scheme of 'Mission Shakti' has been implemented during the current financial year. However, the details of funds allocated/ released to the State of Jharkhand under some of the components of included in the Mission Shakti Umbrella scheme and its utilization during the last three years are as under:

(Amount in Rs. crores)

Components of	2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
'Mission Shakti'	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds	Funds
Umbrella Scheme	released	utilised	released	utilised	released	utilised
One Stop Centre (OSC)	4.09	0.00	6.97	0.48	5.07	0.00
Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP)	4.01	8.02	5.41	1.99	0.00	3.10
Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana (PMMVY)*	63.38	95.13	16.27	57.23	58.39	58.72

^{*}State Share included in utilization.

Funds are released on completion of pre-requisites like SNA compliance, receipt of Utilization certificate/statement of expenditure.