GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2047
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2023

IMPLEMENTATION OF PM-YASASVI SCHEME

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

(a) the details of PM Young Achievers Scholarship Award Scheme for Vibrant India (YASASVI) for Other Backward Castes (OBCs) and others;

(b) whether there is any scam in PM-YASASVI Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme for Scheduled Castes Students in different States of the country;

(c) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(d) the amount of funds spent for Scheduled Caste students and students of other groups under this scheme?

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

(a): The Ministry is implementing an umbrella scheme namely PM Young Achievers Scholarship Award Scheme for Vibrant India (PM-YASASVI) for OBC and others, having following five components:

i. Pre-Matric Scholarship for OBC, EBC and DNT Students

ii. Post-Matric Scholarship for OBC, EBC and DNT Students

iii. Top Class School Education for OBC, EBC and DNT Students

iv. Top Class College Education for OBC, EBC and DNT Students

v. Construction of Hostel for OBC Boys and Girls

(b) & (c): No Scheme by the name PM YASASVI Post- Matric Scholarship Scheme for Scheduled Castes Students is being run by the Ministry. However, there was a complaint of misappropriation of funds in the State of Punjab under the Centrally sponsored scheme of Post-Matric Scholarship to the Students belonging to Scheduled Castes for studies in India (PMS-SC). The matter was referred to the CBI for investigation.

(d): Under PM YASASVI Scheme, scheduled caste students are not covered. Further, expenditure for the last three years under each component of PM YASASVI for OBC and Others, is given in Annexure-I.

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Annexure-I

Referred to in reply to Lok sabha Unstarred Question No. 2047 for answer on 01.8.2023 regarding “Implementation of PM-YASASVI Scheme”

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