GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2711 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.08.2023

IMPLEMENTATION OF SCHEMES IN CHHATTISGARH

2711. SHRI CHUNNI LAL SAHU:

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

- (a) whether the schemes related to women, child safety and their education are being implemented properly in Chhattisgarh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the funds allocated by the Union Government to the State Government during the last two years for this purpose;
- (d) whether the allocated funds has been optimally utilized, under each of the said schemes;
- (e) if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) if not, the details of action taken against the erring officials?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (f) For better implementation and efficient monitoring, all Centrally Sponsored Schemes of the Ministry being implemented for women and children all over the country, including Chhattisgarh, have been clubbed into three verticals, viz. (1) Saksham Anganwadi & Poshan 2.0 for improving nutrition indicators in the country (2) Mission Shakti, for safety, protection and empowerment of women; and (3) Mission Vatsalya, for protection and welfare of children. The details of these schemes are as under:
- (i) Saksham Anganwadi & Poshan 2.0: This programme has been reorganized into 3 primary verticals: (i) Nutrition Support for POSHAN and for Adolescent Girls (ii) Early Childhood Care and Education [3-6 years] and (iii) Anganwadi Infrastructure including modern, upgraded Saksham Anganwadis.
- (ii) Mission Shakti: 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 subsumed in 'Samarthya'.

(iii) Mission Vatsalya: Under Mission Vatsalya, the Child Protection Scheme(CPS) has been strengthened for better outreach and protection for children in need and care in a mission mode with the objective to: (i)Support and sustain Children in difficult circumstances. (ii) Develop context-based solutions for holistic development of children from varied backgrounds. (iii) Provide scope for green field projects for encouraging innovative solutions. (iv) Cement convergent action by gap funding, if required.

The details of funds allocated/ released and utilized under the aforementioned schemes in Chhattisgarh during the last two years is annexed at **Annexure**.

Smooth functioning and proper implementation of the schemes, including utilization of funds, is reviewed periodically through meetings/video conferences with States/UTs. The Central Government has been persistent in its efforts to ensure optimum utilisation of funds towards the cause.

Annexure

Details of funds allocated/ released and utilised under the three Missions of the Ministry to Chhattisgarh during the last two years

(Rs. in lakhs)

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S.No	Scheme	2021-22		2022-23*
		Released	Utilised	Released
1.	Mission Saksham Anganwadi and POSHAN 2.0	60514.42	52171.12	57625.87
2.	Mission Vatsalya	1870.35	1806.14	765.05
3.	Mission Shakti	4569.33	6304.93	8367.23
TOTAL		66954.10	60282.19	66,758.15

^{*}Utilisation Certificate not due
