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DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS FUNDED BY EXTERNAL BORROWING

2833. SHRI MADDILA GURUMOORTHY:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total quantum of external debt of States, State-wise;
- (b) the details of the development projects in the State of Andhra Pradesh that are being funded by external borrowing from multilateral agencies; and
- (c) the amount of guarantees given by the Union Government to the external debt of States;

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE
(SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

(a) Article 293(1) of the Indian Constitution mandates that the State Governments in India can borrow only from internal sources. Thus, only Government of India can incur external debt, including that which is meant for the projects and programmes of particular States. Accordingly, the State-wise external debt is presented in the following table.

Table 1: Total Amount of External Debt of States as on 26 July, 2023

S. No.	Name of State	Total amount of External debt (Rs. Crore)
1	Andhra Pradesh	11,817.17
2	Arunachal Pradesh	34.59
3	Assam	1,025.28
4	Bihar	13,590.24
5	Chhattisgarh	3,595.69
6	Goa	815.41
7	Gujarat	8,307.40
8	Haryana	1,057.47

9	Himachal Pradesh	1,013.59
10	Jammu & Kashmir	2,454.33
11	Jharkhand	3,799.49
12	Karnataka	14,580.26
13	Kerala	8,629.83
14	Madhya Pradesh	28,391.66
15	Maharashtra	14,318.79
16	Manipur	327.21
17	Meghalaya	228.97
18	Mizoram	149.59
19	Nagaland	66.97
20	Orissa	7,081.91
21	Punjab	3,457.84
22	Rajasthan	18,689.72
23	Sikkim	63.79
24	Tamil Nadu	32,129.25
25	Telangana	6,296.00
26	Tripura	81.80
27	Uttarakhand	886.39
28	Uttar Pradesh	9,592.78
29	West Bengal	14,961.73
	Total	2,07,445.15

Source: Department of Expenditure

(b) The details of projects in the state of Andhra Pradesh that are being funded by multilateral agencies are presented in the following table.

Table 2: Projects funded by multilateral agencies for Andhra Pradesh

S. no.	Name of the Project	Funding Agency	Loan Amount (in US\$ million)	Date of Loan effectiveness	Cumulative disbursement (in US\$ million)
1	Supporting Andhra's Learning Transformation	World Bank	246.0	09.02.2022	71.0 (as of June 30, 2023)
2	Andhra Pradesh Health Systems Strengthening Project	World Bank	322.8	09.09.2019	222.2 (as of June 30, 2023)
3	Andhra Pradesh Integrated Irrigation & Agriculture Transformation Project	World Bank	169.4	27.12.2018	27.9 (as of June 30, 2023)
4	Visakhapatnam-Chennai Industrial Corridor Development Program Tranche 1	ADB	242.8	05.05.2017	145.8 (as of June 30, 2023)

5	Visakhapatnam-Chennai Industrial Corridor Development Program-Tranche 2	ADB	139.8	21.07.2023	Nil (as of June 30, 2023)
6	Andhra Pradesh Rural Road connectivity to unconnected habitations	AIIB	455	23.04.2019	111.14 (as at end July 2023)
7	Andhra Pradesh Urban Water Supply and Septage management Improvement Project	AIIB	400	21.05.2019	44.69 (as at end July 2023)
8	Andhra Pradesh Rural Connectivity (Roads & Bridges)	NDB	323	26.01.2021	15.81 (as at end July 2023)
9	Andhra Pradesh Mandal Connectivity & Rural Connectivity Improvement Project	NDB	323	26.01.2021	15.81 (as at end July 2023)

Note: ADB: Asian Development Bank; AIIB: Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank; NDB: New Development Bank

(c) Government Guarantee was provided to Mumbai Metropolitan Region Development Authority (MMRDA-a State-owned Organization of the Govt. of Maharashtra) for Mumbai Trans-Harbour Link Project to avail JICA ODA Loan of JPY 144.795 billion (₹ 9122 crore) in 2017 and further in 2020 for JPY 66.909 billion (₹ 4300 crore) with guarantee fee payable at the rate of 0.5%.
