

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY  
DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3410  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09/08/2023  
SERB-POWER MOBILITY GRANTS**

**† 3410. SHRI CHANDRA PRAKASH JOSHI:**

**Will the Minister of SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी मंत्री be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has detailed information of the number of female scientists benefited from 'SERB-Power Mobility Grants' since its launch;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the beneficiaries receiving grants, State/UT-wise and if not, the reasons therefor;**
- (c) whether the Government is aware of the methods adopted for publicity of information about dynamic grants in Universities located in remote areas of the country; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)  
FOR THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
(DR. JITENDRA SINGH)**

**विज्ञान और प्रौद्योगिकी राज्यमंत्री (स्वतंत्र प्रभार)  
(डॉ. जितेंद्र सिंह)**

**(a) and (b): No Sir, the 'SERB-Power Mobility grant' was launched in September 2022 and the call for proposal has ended recently. Therefore, detailed information is not available.**

**(c) and (d): Yes Sir, methods were adopted for publicity of information about dynamic grants in Universities located in remote areas of the country. Beside, putting up yearly schedule of call for proposals on SERB website, awareness workshops in far/remote areas for disseminating information on R&D funding opportunities were also organized.**