

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS**

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3039
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12-03-2020**

SCHEMES FOR MINORITIES

† 3039. **SHRI BALAK NATH:**
DR. MOHAMMAD JAWED:
SHRI DHARMENDRA KASHYAP:

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of schemes run by the Government for development of the minorities;
- (b) the name of the minority schemes currently being implemented and proposed to be implemented in Rajasthan including Alwar district;
- (c) whether the Government has launched certain new schemes/policies to serve the interests of minorities in the country since 2018 and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the details of funds allocated and utilised by the Government for each of the said scheme during the aforesaid period, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS

(SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI)

(a) to (c): The Government is implementing various schemes for the welfare and upliftment of every section of the society including minorities especially economically weaker & downtrodden sections all over the country including state of Rajasthan with schemes like Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PMJAY), Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana(PMMY), Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM KISAN), Pradhan Mantri Ujjwala Yojana (PMUY), Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY), Beti Bachao Beti Padhao Yojana, etc. The Ministry in particular implements programmes/schemes for the six (6) centrally notified minority communities namely, Buddhists, Christians, Jains, Muslims, Parsis and Sikhs as under:-

- (1) Pre-Matric Scholarship Scheme, Post-Matric Scholarship Scheme, Merit-cum-Means based Scholarship Scheme - For educational empowerment of students.
- (2) Maulana Azad National Fellowship Scheme - Provide fellowships in the form of financial assistance.

- (3) Naya Savera - Free Coaching and Allied Scheme - The Scheme aims to provide free coaching to students/candidates belonging to minority communities for qualifying in entrance examinations of technical/ professional courses and Competitive examinations.
- (4) Padho Pardesh - Scheme of interest subsidy to students of minority communities on educational loans for overseas higher studies.
- (5) Nai Udaan - Support for students clearing Prelims conducted by Union Public Service Commission (UPSC), State Public Service Commission (PSC) Staff Selection Commission (SSC) etc.
- (6) Nai Roshni - Leadership development of women belonging to minority communities..
- (7) Seekho Aur Kamao - Skill development scheme for youth of 14 - 35 years age group and aiming at improving the employability of existing workers, school dropouts etc.
- (8) Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK) restructured in May 2018 earlier known as MsDP – Implemented for the benefit of the people from all sections of the society in identified Minority Concentration Areas for creation of assets in education, skill and health sectors.
- (9) Jiyo Parsi - Scheme for containing population decline of Parsis in India.
- (10) USTTAD (Upgrading the Skills and Training in Traditional Arts/Crafts for Development) launched in May 2015.
- (11) Nai Manzil - A scheme for formal school education & skilling of school dropouts launched in Aug. 2015.
- (12) Hamari Dharohar- A scheme to preserve rich heritage of minority communities of India under the overall concept of Indian culture implemented since 2014-15.
- (13) Maulana Azad Education Foundation (MAEF) implements education and skill related schemes as follows:- (a) Begum Hazrat Mahal National Scholarship for Meritorious Girls belonging to the Minorities (b) Gharib Nawaz Employment Scheme started in 2017-18. for providing short term job oriented skill development courses to youth belonging to minority communities. (c) Bridge Course for madarsa students & school dropouts by Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh and Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi under Nai Manzil scheme. (d) Swachh Vidyalaya.
- (14) Equity to National Minorities Development and Finance Corporation (NMDFC) for providing concessional loans to minorities for self-employment and income generating ventures.

In addition to the above, the Ministry also implements schemes for strengthening State Waqf Boards and coordinates arrangements for annual Haj pilgrimage

The details of the schemes (S. No.1 to 12) mentioned above and status of their implementation are available on the website of this Ministry (www.minorityaffairs.gov.in) and those at serial No.(13) and (14) are available on the website of MAEF (www.maef.nic.in) and NMDFC (www.nmdfc.org) respectively.

Under Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK), the major projects approved in Rajasthan are: Anganwadi Centre (14), Common Service Centre (08), Degree college (8), Health Projects (85), Hostels (18) ITIs (9), Residential Schools (2), Sadbhav Mandap (5), Nursing College (2), School Building (32). Of these, projects approved in Alwar District are Degree college (4), Health Projects (33), Hostels (7) ITIs (2), Sadbhav Mandap (1), Nursing College (2) and Additional Class Rooms (760).

(d) Scheme-wise details of the funds allocated and released/utilised under various schemes to meet the scheme objectives since 2018 is at **Annexure**. No state-wise allocation is done in the Budget.

Annexure referred in reply to part (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred No. 3039 to be answered on 12.03.2020 regarding Schemes for Minorities asked by Shri Balak Nath, Dr. Mohammad Jawed And Shri Dharmendra Kashyap.

Scheme-wise allocation and utilization of funds since 2018

Rs. in Crore					
S.No.	Name of the Scheme	BE 2018-19	Acutal Expr.	BE 2019-20	Acutal Expr (as on 03.03.2020)
A.1	EDUCATIONAL EMPOWERMENT				
1	Pre-Matric Scholarship	980.00	1176.19	1220.30	492.18
2	Post-Matric Scholarship	692.00	354.89	496.01	147.68
3	Merit-cum-Means	522.00	261.17	366.43	135.85
4	Maulana Azad National Fellowship	153.00	97.85	155.00	100.00
5	Interest subsidy on educational loans on overseas studies	24.00	45.00	30.00	9.00
6	Free Coaching and Allied Scheme	74.00	44.61	75.00	12.30
7	Nai Udaan Scheme	8.00	6.72	20.00	5.00
A.2	ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT				
8	Skill Development Initiative	250.00	175.73	250.00	155.31
9	USTTAD (Hunar Haat)	30.00	31.26	50.00	35.62
10	Nai Manzil (skill to 8th to 10th)	140.00	93.73	140.00	22.25
11	Equity of NMDFC	165.02	165.00	100.00	100.00
A.3	SPECIAL INITIATIVES FOR EMPOWERMENT				
12	Leadership Development of Minority Women	15.00	13.83	15.00	3.58
13	Scheme for Containing Population Decline of Small Minority community	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.46

14	Hamari Dharohar -	6.00	1.64	8.00	0.00
15	Research/ Studies, Monitoring, Evaluation and Publicity -	55.00	52.6	60.00	13.62
B	AREA DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES				
16	Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakaram	1320.00	1156.07	1470.00	1213.23
C	SUPPORT TO INSTITUTIONS				
17	Maulana Azad Education Foundation -	125.01	36.00	90.00	37.50
18	Grants to SCAs of NMDFC -	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.73
19	Quami Waqf Board Tariquatti Scheme	16.94	11.89	17.50	11.85
20	Sahari Waqf Sampati Vikas Yojana	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.16
21	Secretariat -	19.14	28.16	22.00	21.10
22	National Commission for Minorities	8.62	8.92	9.30	8.74
23	Commissioner of Linguistic Minorities -	2.32	1.70	2.30	1.84
24	Haj CGI Jeddah -	76.79	73.39	85.00	72.43
	Haj Secretariat -	8.00	7.50	9.00	6.76