

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3716**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.03.2020

**IMPLEMENTATION OF NSAP**

**3716. SHRIMATI SANGEETA KUMARI SINGH DEO:  
SHRI UNMESH BHAIYYASAHEB PATIL:  
SHRI HEMANT SRIRAM PATIL:  
DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE:  
SHRI VINOD KUMAR SONKAR:  
SHRI BHOLA SINGH:  
DR. SUJAY RADHAKRISHNA VIKHE PATIL:  
SHRI RAJA AMARESHWARA NAIK:  
DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR:  
SHRI DHAIRYASHEEL SAMBHAJIRAO MANE:  
DR. JAYANTA KUMAR ROY:**

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government implements various schemes like Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension Scheme (IGNOAPS), Indira Gandhi National Disability Pension Scheme (IGNDPS), Indira Gandhi National Widow Pension Scheme (IGNWPS) under the National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP);
- (b) if so, the details thereof including physical and financial progress during the last three years, scheme and State-wise;
- (c) whether the Supreme Court has observed that there is a huge gap in implementation of the NSAP; and
- (d) if so, the steps being taken by the Government in evaluating, monitoring and effective implementation of the scheme?

**ANSWER**  
**MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT**  
**(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)**

(a) & (b) Government implements pension schemes such as Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension Scheme (IGNOAPS), Indira Gandhi National Disability Pension Scheme (IGNDPS) and Indira Gandhi National Widow Pension Scheme (IGNWPS) under National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP) for persons belonging to Below Poverty Line (BPL) households. Under the above schemes, the targeted beneficiaries are provided with monthly assistance ranging between

Rs.200-500 depending on age of the beneficiary and category of the pension. Details of Physical & Financial Progress during the last three years under National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP) are given in Annexure.

(c) & (d) In its judgment dated 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 in the matter of Writ Petition (c) No. 193 of 2016, the Hon'ble Supreme Court has not pointed out any significant gap in implementation of NSAP Programme. However, as part of reforming NSAP, Government has initiated a comprehensive third party evaluation study. The broad terms of reference of the study, inter-alia, include documentation of best practices and to bring about uniformity in the implementation of the scheme in all States/ UTs and to suggest changes in assistance and criteria of these schemes under NSAP.

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**Annexure for part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3716 for reply on 17-3-2020**

**Details of financial progress during the last three years**

(Rs. In lakh)

Sl. No.	States/UTs	2016-2017			2017-2018			2018-2019		
		IGNOAPS	IGNWPS	IGNDPS	IGNOAPS	IGNWPS	IGNDPS	IGNOAPS	IGNWPS	IGNDPS
1	Andhra Pradesh	27608.19	13654.95	1357.85	18405.46	9107.11	905.23	18405.46	9107.10	905.24
2	<a href="#">Bihar</a>	57777.71	9293.49	7392.07	82554.02	16435.60	0.00	85227.42	18386.38	3813.72
3	<a href="#">Chhattisgarh</a>	24816.52	2674.02	1560.21	17298.27	5162.45	1189.72	18091.27	5771.33	1161.76
4	<a href="#">Goa</a>	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5	<a href="#">Gujarat</a>	18390.27	232.64	0.00	13414.34	0.00	145.24	14763.55	0.00	343.55
6	<a href="#">Haryana</a>	8037.75	3178.62	641.70	7090.51	2119.08	427.79	6711.20	2119.08	427.79
7	Himachal Pradesh	3307.54	666.66	23.21	5209.29	999.99	12.77	3630.89	666.66	25.55
8	<a href="#">Jharkhand</a>	24348.94	10089.76	0.00	25215.55	10089.76	0.00	24818.76	9619.04	838.76
9	<a href="#">Karnataka</a>	34940.00	24164.12	2021.24	29254.46	17255.66	1615.54	29532.79	17245.69	1618.13
10	<a href="#">Kerala</a>	6665.81	3879.24	554.99	12882.75	7758.48	1109.98	19997.43	11637.71	1664.98
11	Madhya Pradesh	46018.21	19890.16	1852.59	46018.20	19890.16	3705.18	46018.20	19890.16	3705.18
12	<a href="#">Maharashtra</a>	14926.87	0.00	0.00	41282.89	0.00	0.00	31691.46	0.00	0.00
13	<a href="#">Odisha</a>	39539.50	18147.10	2724.64	40842.24	19253.04	2973.44	40842.24	18914.32	2980.97
14	<a href="#">Punjab</a>	3002.59	0.00	60.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	2020.38	870.52	270.22
15	<a href="#">Rajasthan</a>	16322.89	0.00	0.00	35219.04	4872.32	937.38	24265.62	5244.12	1014.96
16	<a href="#">Tamilnadu</a>	36015.32	11507.73	1149.91	36015.32	22021.18	3352.24	36015.32	19269.92	2120.82
17	Telangana	19730.94	8302.19	970.46	13153.96	6508.64	646.98	13153.97	6508.65	646.97
18	Uttar Pradesh	113679.80	36775.36	2791.38	115673.92	18387.68	2791.37	87629.09	0.00	2791.38
19	<a href="#">Uttarakhand</a>	7108.80	0.00	0.00	6344.39	0.00	24.96	6765.55	687.17	103.37
20	West Bengal	56339.24	35536.00	2335.90	35263.27	16640.17	1595.76	32315.20	20469.07	2327.70
	Sub Total	558576.89	197992.04	25436.41	581137.88	176501.32	21433.58	541895.80	166406.92	26761.05
NE States										
21	Arunachal Pradesh	425.75	66.10	23.81	0.00	0.00	0.00	943.94	137.53	49.69
22	<a href="#">Assam</a>	13352.48	2529.40	426.67	11521.74	2199.96	201.84	19093.72	3935.61	701.40
23	<a href="#">Manipur</a>	842.24	0.00	18.67	2526.71	0.00	0.00	813.88	86.43	18.67
24	<a href="#">Meghalaya</a>	1433.66	294.01	41.88	1334.15	245.21	32.04	1342.24	245.03	33.49

25	<a href="#">Mizoram</a>	975.24	71.38	14.84	883.32	71.38	14.83	782.43	71.38	14.83
26	Nagaland	1861.40	51.76	23.10	965.72	68.97	17.80	2129.15	163.82	47.15
27	<a href="#">Sikkim</a>	438.10	36.01	24.58	652.35	54.22	36.87	219.22	15.20	9.07
28	<a href="#">Tripura</a>	4121.50	664.74	79.50	3839.05	595.99	79.50	2052.43	332.37	39.75
	Sub Total	23450.37	3713.40	653.05	21723.04	3235.73	382.88	27377.01	4987.37	914.05
Union Territories										
29	A&N Islands	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
30	Chandigarh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
31	D&N Haveli	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
32	Daman & Diu	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
33	NCT Delhi	3408.24	1348.26	234.38	3408.24	1348.26	234.38	3408.24	1348.26	234.38
34	Lakshadweep	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
35	<a href="#">Puducherry</a>	530.90	362.83	0.00	530.90	362.83	0.00	530.90	362.82	23.31
36	J &K	4125.32	251.30	102.38	4243.21	248.72	85.43	4371.55	259.75	88.19
37	Ladakh									
	Sub Total	3939.14	1711.09	234.38	3939.14	1711.09	234.38	3939.14	1711.08	257.69
	<b>Grand total</b>	<b>585966.40</b>	<b>203416.53</b>	<b>26323.84</b>	<b>606800.06</b>	<b>181448.14</b>	<b>22050.84</b>	<b>573211.95</b>	<b>173105.37</b>	<b>27932.79</b>

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**Details of number of physical progress during the last three years**

Sl. No.	States/UTs	2016-2017			2017-2018			2018-2019		
		IGNOAPS	IGNWPS	IGNDPS	IGNOAPS	IGNWPS	IGNDPS	IGNOAPS	IGNWPS	IGNDPS
1	Andhra Pradesh	662641	245514	24413	662641	245607	24413	662641	245607	24413
2	<a href="#">Bihar</a>	2996472	501267	69874	2996472	501267	69874	2996472	495857	102851
3	<a href="#">Chhattisgarh</a>	624169	144230	32085	608300	148976	32085	622985	157955	31331
4	<a href="#">Goa</a>	1705	315	41	1705	315	41	1705	315	41
5	<a href="#">Gujarat</a>	538098	12548	6588	474415	63163	7834	559443	85122	9265
6	<a href="#">Haryana</a>	198828	57149	11537	193653	57149	11537	180203	57149	11537
7	Himachal Pradesh	87332	17979	689	87332	17979	689	87332	17979	689
8	<a href="#">Jharkhand</a>	908185	272108	17207	927501	272108	18219	927446	259413	21969
9	<a href="#">Karnataka</a>	892302	465363	43569	892308	465363	43569	902909	465094	43639
10	<a href="#">Kerala</a>	449158	209236	29935	449158	209236	29935	449158	209236	29935
11	Madhya Pradesh	1569627	536412	99924	1569627	536412	99924	1569627	536412	99924
12	<a href="#">Maharashtra</a>	1123485	36604	5442	1087919	36604	6709	1105859	55679	7155
13	<a href="#">Odisha</a>	1386290	489404	73480	1418631	519243	80190	1418631	510095	80393
14	<a href="#">Punjab</a>	201039	15424	3250	115794	15565	4801	116366	15847	4979
15	<a href="#">Rajasthan</a>	799636	130902	25233	799636	131400	25280	799636	141427	27372
16	<a href="#">Tamilnadu</a>	1237809	549084	62023	1237809	549084	61910	1237809	519685	57196
17	Telangana	473575	140705	17448	473575	175530	17448	473575	175530	17448
18	Uttar Pradesh	4204232	991784	75280	4204232	991784	75280	4204232	991784	75280
19	<a href="#">Uttarakhand</a>	239498	26995	4669	239498	25783	3671	145189	18532	2235
20	West Bengal	1423192	644590	62996	1423192	644590	62982	1423192	644590	62775
	Sub Total	20017273	5487613	665683	19997554	5614665	679180	20019403	5610974	713216
NE States										
21	Arunachal Pradesh	29290	3565	1284	29290	3565	1284	5894	288	112
22	<a href="#">Assam</a>	707927	137463	18916	707927	137463	18916	707927	116365	18916
23	<a href="#">Manipur</a>	56045	8043	1007	56045	8043	1007	56045	4662	1007

24	<a href="#">Meghalaya</a>	77980	8498	969	77980	8498	969	44168	6837	969
25	<a href="#">Mizoram</a>	25251	1925	400	25251	1925	400	25251	1925	400
26	Nagaland	44530	3720	960	44530	3720	960	44530	3720	960
27	<a href="#">Sikkim</a>	16418	1614	817	16418	1614	817	15575	820	489
28	<a href="#">Tripura</a>	141510	17927	2144	141510	17927	2144	141510	17927	2144
	Sub Total	1098951	182755	26497	1098951	182755	26497	1040900	152544	24997
<b>Union Territories</b>										
29	A&N Islands	556	0	0	572	3	1	581	3	1
30	Chandigarh	2975	942	102	2378	942	100	2378	942	100
31	D&N Haveli	8058	1388	142	8058	1388	142	8058	1388	142
32	Daman & Diu	840	470	66	840	470	66	840	470	66
33	NCT Delhi	119403	36361	6321	119403	36361	6321	119403	36361	6321
34	Lakshadweep	203	93	51	186	90	51	184	89	51
35	<a href="#">Puducherry</a>	17713	9785	0	17713	9785	0	17713	9785	1259
36	J &K	130085	6777	2761	134156	7507	2789	134993	7666	2789
37	Ladakh									
	Sub Total	149748	49039	6682	149150	49039	6681	149157	49038	7940
	GRAND TOTAL	21265972	5719407	698862	21245655	5846459	712358	21209460	5812556	746153