

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 446
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.02.2020

MISUSE AND DIVERSION OF MGNREGS FUNDS

446. SHRI ARVIND DHARMAPURI:
SHRI KOMATI REDDY VENKAT REDDY:

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken note that the State Governments have been indulging in misuse and diversion of funds released under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of the funds released;
- (c) whether the Government has assessed the details of the amount of funds diverted and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the High Court has also directed to submit the details of the diversion of funds and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action being taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (e): No specific matter of diversion of funds released under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (Mahatma Gandhi NREGS) has come to the notice of the Ministry. Instances of misuse of Mahatma Gandhi NREGS funds reported from States are promptly inquired into by the Ministry through local inspections, internal audits, social audits etc. and necessary corrective measures are initiated.

State/UT-wise details of central fund released under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the current financial year 2019-20 (as on 30.01.2020) are at **Annexure**.

**Annexure referred in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha
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**Central funds released under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS
(FY 2019-20 as on 30.01.20)**

(Rs. in crore)

Sl. No	States/UTs	Central fund released
1	Andhra Pradesh	6242.46
2	Karnataka	4905.07
3	Madhya Pradesh	4118.79
4	Odisha	2222.19
5	Rajasthan	5613.92
6	Telangana	1973.13
7	Puducherry	15.26
8	Punjab	703.50
9	Uttar Pradesh	4828.37
10	Assam	1370.53
11	Haryana	286.61
12	Jharkhand	1130.36
13	Kerala	2509.12
14	Mizoram	481.43
15	Sikkim	60.55
16	Tamil Nadu	5114.35
17	Gujarat	707.90
18	Himachal Pradesh	507.66
19	Uttarakhand	396.27
20	Tripura	652.33
21	Meghalaya	838.27
22	Bihar	2955.95
23	Chhattisgarh	2307.64
24	Maharashtra	1620.32
25	West Bengal	7088.83
26	J & K	825.62
27	Manipur	396.00
28	Nagaland	298.54
29	Goa	2.17
30	Lakshadweep	0.24
31	Arunachal Pradesh	107.57
32	A & N Islands	1.87
	Total	60282.81