# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE

#### **LOK SABHA**

## **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1200**

TO BE ANSWERED ON SATURDAY, 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2020/28 Bhadrapada, 1942 (SAKA)

# Request for Rescheduling of Loans by State Governments

#### 1200. SHRI KANUMURU RAGHU RAMAKRISHNA:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- a) whether the Government has received any proposal from any State Governments requesting for rescheduling of loans taken from the Union Government and from other financial institutions and also to provide fresh loans on low interest rates;
- b) if so, the details thereof; and
- c) the response of the Union Government in this regard?

#### **ANSWER**

## MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE

# (SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR)

- (a) & (b) No request has been received from the State Governments for rescheduling of loans for Externally Aided Projects (EAP). The requests for pre-payment/ restructuring of outstanding National Small Savings Fund (NSSF) loans have been received from the State Governments of Odisha of Rs.806.46 crore, Gujarat of Rs.49,816 crore, Himachal Pradesh of Rs. 7,584.72 crore, Haryana, Punjab of Rs. 22,110 crore, Goa of Rs. 2,123 crore and Tamil Nadu of Rs. 1,622.54 crore.
- (c) The Union Government has decided not to allow pre-payment of NSSF loans of Odisha, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana, Punjab and Tamil Nadu.

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