

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1813  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.02.2021**

**CENTRAL AID TO MINORITY ORGANISATIONS**

**1813. SHRI KALYAN BANERJEE:**

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether it is true that different minority organisations are not getting their Central aid in time;
- (b) if so, the detail of allotment and disbursement of funds since 2017 therefor, head/State-wise;
- (c) whether the Union Government carry forward the funds from previous budgets and if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the reasons for lower allocation of budget for minority schemes as compared to previous five years average?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS  
(SH. MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI)**

- (a) No, Sir
- (b) Question does not arise.
- (c) There is no provision of carrying forward of the funds from last consecutive budgets in the Ministry.
- (d) The allocation of budget to the Ministry of Minority Affairs since 2016-17 is given below. There has been no constraint in the implementation of the schemes/programmes in the last five years of the Ministry owing to budget. The Budget Estimates have been increasing over the years as reflected in the table below:-

(Rs. in crore)

<b>Year</b>	<b>Budget Estimates</b>
2016-17	3827.25
2017-18	4195.48
2018-19	4700.00
2019-20	4700.00
2020-21	5029.00

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