

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2439
TO BE ANSWERED ON 9TH MARCH, 2021

FISHERIES SECTOR IN CHHATTISGARH

2439. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SONI:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the funds allocated and utilised under fisheries sector in the State of Chhattisgarh during the last two years ;and
- (b) the details of the guidelines issued by the Government to the State Government of Chhattisgarh for proper implementation of the fisheries subsidies provided by the Union Government?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

(SHRI PRATAP CHANDRA SARANGI)

(a): The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) on Blue Revolution :Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries provided funds to the tune of Rs 4338.59 lakh during the last two financial years to the Government of Chhattisgarh for development of fisheries. The State Government has reported utilisation of the entire funds provided by the Department of Fisheries, Government of India. The details of funds released during the last two years and utilized as reported by the Government of Chhattisgarh are furnished below:

(Rs. in lakhs)

S.No	Year	Central Funds released	Funds Utilized
1	2018-19	1045.69	1045.69
2	2019-20	3292.90	3292.90

(b) : Detailed guidelines on CSS on Blue Revolution: Integrated Development & Management of fisheries were issued in the year 2016 vide letter No. 27035-19/2015 (Fy) (IV) Vol.II to all States/Union Territories (UTs) including the Government of Chhattisgarh for availing benefits for developmental fisheries. The Government of Chhattisgarh has reported that the Guidelines have been followed for proper implementation of the fisheries subsidies. Besides, the Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Department of Fisheries in June, 2020 has also issued detailed Operational Guidelines of the newly launched “Pradhan Mantri Matasya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY)- A scheme to bring about Blue Revolution through sustainable and responsible development of fisheries sector in India” to all the States/UTs including Chhattisgarh for availing its benefits as well as implementation of the scheme for development of fisheries in their respective States and UTs.
