

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

**LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2514  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 9<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2021

**FUNDS RELEASED FOR FISHERIES**

**2514. SHRI DEEPAK BAIJ:**

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

- (a) whether more funds are being released for fisheries in the States where there are rivers;
- (b) the details regarding the funds released for fisheries during the last five years, State-wise;
- (c) whether more funds are being utilized in the districts which are adjacent to the rivers; and
- (d) whether the Government propose to manage such a system on priority basis with relaxation in the States where there is dearth of rivers by constructing water reservoirs for development of fisheries?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING:**

**(SHRI PRATAP CHANDRA SARANGI)**

(a) and (b) : The fisheries developmental schemes implemented by the Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying *inter-alia* focuses on harnessing of fisheries resources of various water-bodies including rivers and reservoirs in a sustainable and equitable manner. Funds are released to the State Governments and Union Territories for development of fisheries based on receipt of the viable proposals. State-wise details of funds released for fisheries development during past five years is furnished at annexure.

(c) and (d) : The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying is implementing a flagship scheme “Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY)- A scheme to bring about Blue Revolution through sustainable and responsible development of fisheries sector in India” with highest ever investment of Rs. 20,050 crore in the fisheries sector over a period of five years from financial year 2020-21 to financial year 2024-25 in all States/Union Territories. PMMSY *inter alia* provides support for promoting of aquaculture in inland water bodies including rivers and reservoirs for increasing the fish production. The activities taken up in such water-bodies primarily includes stocking of fingerlings, pen culture, cage culture, integrated development of reservoir etc.

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**Statement referred to in reply to the parts (a) and (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2514 for answer on 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 regarding Funds Released for Fisheries**

S. N	State/UT/Institutes	Total funds released during the past 5 years from 2015-16 to 2019-20 (Rs in lakhs )
1	Andhra Pradesh	8695.54
2	Arunachal Pradesh	703.65
3	Assam	4216.4
4	Bihar	7679.97
5	Chhattisgarh	7223.71
6	Delhi	136.29
7	Goa	1399.88
8	Gujarat	4826.16
9	Haryana	3398.73
10	Himachal Pradesh	3511.42
11	Jammu & Kashmir	2957.27
12	Jharkhand	3889.72
13	Karnataka	16725.32
14	Kerala	23274.38
15	Madhya Pradesh	4988.97
16	Maharashtra	9433.13
17	Manipur	1479.18
18	Meghalaya	6165.27
19	Mizoram	3794.39
20	Nagaland	4644.00
21	Odisha	6494.01
22	Punjab	4152.05
23	Rajasthan	715.99
24	Sikkim	1842.27
25	Tamil Nadu	28492.94
26	Telangana	3839.52
27	Tripura	4364.85
28	Uttar Pradesh	9538.31
29	Uttarakhand	2904.71
30	West Bengal	2534.94

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