

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2291**

Answered on Monday the 2nd August, 2021/Sravana 11, 1943(SAKA)

Pending Grants

2291. SHRI NAMA NAGESWARA RAO:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there are any pending grants of the 13th Finance Commission which are yet to be released to any of the States/UTs;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise and amount wise including the reasons for not releasing balance grant of 13th Finance Commission to the respective States; and
- (c) the timeline by which pending grants of 13th Finance Commission shall be released to the respective States?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE

(SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (c) No, Sir. 13th Finance Commission during its award period from 01-4-2010 to 31-3-2015 had recommended grants-in-aid to States for various sectors with grant specific conditions for availing the same. As the Government had accepted the recommendations of the 13th Finance Commission alongwith conditionalities, the recommended grants were released by the Central Government to the concerned States who fulfilled the sector specific stipulated conditions before the expiry of the award period on 31-03-2015.
