

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.727**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.07.2021

**NATIONAL NUTRITION MISSION**

727 SHRIMATI POONAMBEN MADAM:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the amount of funds allocated/released to Gujarat under National Nutrition Mission including the funds utilised during the last three years;
- (b) whether the State of Gujarat has sent any proposal to the Government related to provision of balanced food under National Nutrition Mission;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the details of action taken on the said proposal so far?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) A total amount of Rs 29976.16 lakhs has been released to the State of Gujarat under POSHAN Abhiyaan (erstwhile National Nutrition Mission) during the last three Financial years. The details of funds released and utilized during the last three years by the state of Gujarat under POSHAN Abhiyaan (National Nutrition Mission) is at Annexure I.

In addition, under Anganwadi Services Scheme, Rs. 99395.5 Lakhs for Supplementary Nutrition Programme and Rs 89389.74 Lakhs for ICDS (General) have been released to the state of Gujarat during last three Financial Years. The details of funds released and utilised during last three years by the State of Gujarat under Anganwadi Services scheme is at Annexure II.

(b) to (d) No such proposal related to provision of balanced food under POSHAN Abhiyaan (National Nutrition Mission) has been received by the Ministry from the State of Gujarat.

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**Statement referred in Reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Un-Starred Question No 727 for  
23.07.2021**

**Details of Funds Released and Utilised by the State of Gujarat under POSHAN Abhiyaan  
during last three years**

**Rs in lakhs**

<b>State</b>	<b>Released in FY 2017 18 + Balance of ISSNIP</b>	<b>Released in FY 2018-19</b>	<b>Released in FY 2019-20</b>	<b>Released in FY 2020-21</b>	<b>Total central funds released</b>	<b>Total central funds utilised</b>
Gujarat	3036.66	11228.03	14863.00	0.00*	29127.69	21769.01

*\*Funds were not released for Program intervention during the Financial Year 2020-2021 due to availability of Rs 14779.16 lakhs as on 01.04.2020 with the state of Gujarat. However, Rs 848.46 Lakhs was released in FY 2020-2021 for AWW & AWH. Therefore, the total amount released under POSHAN Abhiyaan last three Financial Years is Rs 29976.16 lakhs.*

## Annexure II

Statement referred in Reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Un-Starred Question No 727 for  
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**Details of Funds Released and Utilised by the State of Gujarat under Anganwadi Services  
during last three years**

(Rupees in Lakhs)

Sl. N o.	F.Y	Fund released to Gujarat under Anganwadi Services					
		SNP			ICDS (GENERAL)		
		APIP Approved	Funds release d	Funds Utilize d	APIP Approved	Funds released	Funds Utilized
1	2018-19	32535.82	32051.56	23392.34	25716.23	29206.40	32295.14
2	2019-20	35789.40	33671.97	40542.46	32581.23	32422.06	30313.82
3	2020-21	39368.34	33671.97	61059.19	32465.82	27761.28	47512.12
Total		107693.56	99395.5	124993.99	90763.28	89389.74	110121.08

APIP- Annual Programme Implementation Plan

SNP- Supplementary Nutrition Programme