GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 203

TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2021/AGRAHAYANA 8, 1943 (SAKA)

Release of Funds to Telangana

203. SHRI NAMA NAGESWARA RAO:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has received any proposal from Telangana requesting for release of funds on account of formation of 21 new rural districts in the State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any decision has been taken by the Union Government in this regard; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (d): The State Government of Telangana had on 16.02.2021 requested for release of Rs.900.00 crore for development of nine backward districts of Telangana. Based on the request of the State Government of Telangana and following recommendations of NITI Aayog, the Union Government has released Rs.450.00 crore to the State Government of Telangana on 31.03.2021.

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