

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT
DEPARTMENT OF EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3889
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2021

ARTIFICIAL LIMBS DISTRIBUTION

3889. SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is distributing artificial limbs and assistive equipments for Divyang persons on a large-scale;
- (b) if so, the details thereof for the last five years, year-wise and State-wise; and
- (c) if not, the reasons for reduction being noticed in such distribution during the last three years?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SUSHRI PRATIMA BHOUMIK)

(a). Yes, Sir. The Government is implementing a Scheme entitled 'Assistance to Disabled Persons for Purchase/Fitting of Aids and Appliances (ADIP)' to provide various aids and assistive devices including artificial limbs, to eligible persons with disabilities (Divyangjan) across the country, which can promote their physical, social and psychological empowerment by reducing the effects of disabilities and enhancing their economic potential.

(b) The year-wise and State-wise details of beneficiaries provided aids & assistive devices including artificial limbs during the last five years under the ADIP Scheme is at **Annexure**.

(c) Does not arise, in view of reply to part (b) above.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.3889 for answer on 21.12.2021 regarding "Artificial Limbs Distribution"

State-wise details of beneficiaries covered under the Assistance to Disabled Persons for Purchase/Fitting of Aids and Appliances (ADIP) Scheme during the last five years.						
		2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
S. No.	Name of the State / UTs	No. of Beneficiaries covered	No. of Beneficiaries covered	No. of Beneficiaries covered	No. of Beneficiaries covered	No. of Beneficiaries covered
1	Andhra Pradesh	3180	5812	11195	6331	8748
2	Bihar	2178	9049	13554	5420	12985
3	Chhattisgarh	4034	1588	324	7409	4532
4	Goa	166	989	838	76	3094
5	Gujarat	28082	50687	16835	24819	21633
6	Haryana	12453	7944	12519	17617	3713
7	Himachal Pradesh	2306	1372	2186	220	2304
8	Jammu and Kashmir	3154	3296	4456	2307	3907
9	Jharkhand	806	1604	4882	216	1809
10	Karnataka	6520	5713	9640	4997	5171
11	Kerala	3106	7788	5733	3833	3687
12	Madhya Pradesh	16699	14652	15317	17587	20437
13	Maharashtra	18996	21337	42305	49762	30057
14	Odisha	13757	11864	6374	9480	10526
15	Punjab	9882	7788	11685	18863	5996
16	Rajasthan	9754	9904	16874	15343	6826
17	Tamil Nadu	9538	11377	16319	14557	14595
18	Uttar Pradesh	71375	38749	55460	109239	41107
19	Uttarakhand	8888	6101	4222	4299	5454
20	West Bengal	25199	17602	21384	18047	18312
21	Andaman & Nicobar	368	570	948	114	166
22	Chandigarh	223	14	88	227	622
23	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	70	85	0	333	87
24	Daman & Diu	82	64	74	0	130
25	Delhi	8828	3366	6410	2991	949
26	Lakshadweep	0	266	101	0	0
27	Puducherry	259	298	681	720	573
28	Arunachal Pradesh	335	439	881	309	707
29	Assam	12876	21092	1051	13000	5440
30	Manipur	6827	2464	7	145	2490
31	Meghalaya	1422	164	3192	46	201
32	Mizoram	636	282	178	0	82
33	Nagaland	432	387	1258	255	412
34	Sikkim	0	523	377	321	169
35	Tripura	3031	2326	5134	350	2508
36	Telangana	4833	5175	8383	2396	2063
Total		290295	272731	300865	351629	241492
