GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1869 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.12.2024

MISSION SHAKTI AND MISSION VATSALYA

1869. Shri Vishnu Datt Sharma:

Will the Minister of Women and Child Development be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is implementing Mission Shakti and Mission Vatsalya;
- (b) if so, the details of needy women and children who have been provided integrated care, safety, protection, rehabilitation, and empowerment through the said mission in the districts of Panna, Katni and Khajuraho of Chhatarpur district in Madhya Pradesh;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether such measures have been taken under the said mission, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SAVITRI THAKUR)

- (a) to (d) Ministry is implementing three Umbrella Missions. Among them, Mission Shakti includes schemes for safety, protection and empowerment of women; and Mission Vatsalya includes schemes for protection, care and welfare of children in difficult or vulnerable circumstances. Details of the schemes and measures taken under the said Missions are as under:
- (i) Mission Shakti: Mission Shakti comprises of two verticals 'Sambal' and 'Samarthya' for safety and security and empowerment of women, respectively.
- (a) Sambal The following schemes have been included under the Sambal vertical: One Stop Centres (OSC) for providing integrated support and assistance to women affected by violence and those in distress, both in private and public spaces

in a convergent and coordinated manner under one roof; **Women Helplines (181-WHL)** is a 24 x 7 x 365 toll-free emergency/non-emergency response system that is integrated with ERSS (112) and other existing helplines/institutions; **Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP)** - launched with an aim to address declining Sex Ratio at Birth (SRB) and related issues of empowerment of girls and women over a life cycle continuum; **Nari Adalat** - an initiative aimed at empowering women by ensuring justice and to offer services such as alternate dispute resolution, grievance redressal, counselling, evidence-based decision-making, pressure group tactics, negotiation, mediation, and reconciliation.

- (b) Samarthya The following schemes have been included under 'Samarthya' vertical: Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana (PMMVY) a Centrally Sponsored Maternity Benefit Scheme under which cash incentives flow to the beneficiaries in Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) mode for the first child and the second girl child; Ujjwala and Swadhar Greh (renamed as Shakti Sadan) an Integrated Relief and Rehabilitation Home for women in distress situations including trafficked women; Working Women Hostel (renamed as Sakhi Niwas) to promote availability of safe and conveniently located accommodation for working women in urban, semi-urban and also in rural areas where employment opportunities for women exist; National Hub for Empowerment of Women (NHEW) to facilitate inter-sectoral convergence of schemes and programs meant for women at National level, State/ UT level and district level and National Creche Scheme (renamed as Palna) that aims to increase the participation of women in work force in the economy by providing quality crèche facility in safe and secure environment for children.
- (ii) Mission Vatsalya: Mission Vatsalya includes the Integrated Child Protection Scheme (ICPS) for better outreach and protection for children in need of care in a mission mode with the objective to: (i) Support and sustain Children in difficult circumstances. (ii) Develop context-based solutions for holistic development of children from varied backgrounds. (iii) Provide scope for green field projects for encouraging innovative solutions. Under the scheme Institutional Care is provided through Child Care Institutes (CCIs), as a rehabilitative measure. The programmes and activities in Homes, *inter-alia*, include age-appropriate education, access to vocational training, recreation, health care, counselling etc. Under the Non-Institutional Care component, support is extended for Adoption, Foster Care, After Care and Sponsorship. The scheme also provides for emergency outreach services (24x7) for children in difficult circumstances through Child Helpline 1098 which is integrated with Emergency Response Support System (ERSS) Helpline No.112 of Ministry of Home Affairs as well as the Women Helpline 181.

The status of details of the beneficiaries under the aforesaid schemes for the State of Madhya Pradesh is placed at **Annexure**.

Annexure

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (d) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1869 FOR ANSWER ON 06.12.2024 ASKED BY SHRI VISHNU DATT SHARMA REGARDING 'MISSION SHAKTI AND MISSION VATSALYA'

Details of beneficiaries under schemes of the Ministry in the State of Madhya Pradesh

S. No.	Mission	Scheme	Number of Beneficiaries (2023-24)
1.	Mission Vatsalya (erstwhile Integrated Child Protection Scheme)		16,312
2.	Mission Shakti – Sambal	One Stop Centre	19868
		Women Help Line	17385
3.	Mission Shakti – Samarthya	Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojna	635996
		Shakti Sadan (erstwhile Swadhar Greh and Ujjawala)	1202
		Sakhi Niwas (erstwhile Working Women Hostel)	691
		Palna	43
