

Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Economic Affairs

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3379**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2024/AGRAHAYANA 25, 1946 (SAKA)**

**REVENUE EXPENDITURE**

**3379. Shri Rao Rajendra Singh:**

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any data regarding the total Revenue Expenditure from the Consolidated Fund of India as a percentage of the total expenditure and the various contributing factors to it, if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) whether the Revenue Expenditure in the country has seen an increasing trend, if so, the various steps being taken by the Government to reduce the same?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE (SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)**

- (a) Yes Sir. The Government has the data regarding the total Revenue Expenditure. The required details are as follows:

(₹ in crore)

Sr. No.	Description	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23
1.	General Services	12,28,160	14,29,783	16,15,729
2.	Social Services	1,60,539	2,54,697	1,99,992
3.	Economic Services	10,98,109	8,79,389	9,66,073
4.	Grant in Aid & Contributions	5,96,711	6,37,058	6,71,338
5.	Revenue Expenditure (1 to 4)	30,83,519	32,00,926	34,53,132
6.	Total Expenditure	35,09,836	37,93,801	41,93,157
7.	Revenue Expenditure as percentage of Total Expenditure	87.9%	84.4%	82.4%

Note: Numbers have been rounded off.

- (b) No Sir. The Revenue Expenditure as a percentage of Total Expenditure has been on a declining trend since FY 2020-21 (Sr.No. 7 of the table above).

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