## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3562 TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.12.2024

#### POST-MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP FOR OBCs

### †3562. SHRI MURARI LAL MEENA:

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

- (a) the details of funds issued to Rajasthan under "Post-Matric Scholarship" for OBC Category students under Pradhan Mantri Yashasvi Yojana during the last three years, yearwise;
- (b) whether central funds of Post-Matric Scholarship for OBC Category has not been issued;
- (c) if so, the time by which it is likely to be issued and if not, the reasons for the delay;
- (d) the details of the funds issued in Dausa district under Post-Matric Scholarship under Pradhan Mantri Yashasvi Yojana during last three years, year-wise; and
- (e) whether delay in disbursal of scholarship amount is adversely affecting the studies of OBC category students?

## **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI B.L.VERMA)

(a): The details of funds released to Rajasthan under "Post-Matric Scholarships" for Other Backward Classes (OBC) Category students under PM YASASVI Scheme during the last three years, is as below:

Year	Amount Released (Rs. in lakh)
2021-22	10,226.00
2022-23	2,757.95
2023-24	0.00*

<sup>\*</sup> Proposal not received from the State Government

- (b) & (c): Release of Central Assistance of Rs. 49.95 crore for the financial Year 2024-25 to the Government of Rajasthan under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Post-Matric Scholarships for OBC, EBC and DNT students, has been approved.
- (d): Central Assistance is released directly to State under Post-Matric Scholarship for OBC Category. District-wise data is not maintained by the Department of Social Justice and Empowerment (DoSJE).
- (e): DoSJE releases funds to the States/UTs when the complete proposal is received from the States/UTs along with the Utilization Certificate of previous funds released and necessary documentation as prescribed in the Scheme guidelines.

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