

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 142**

TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 03, 2025/MAGHA 14, 1946 (SAKA)

**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO BIHAR**

**142. SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL:**

Will the Minister of **FINANCE** be pleased to state:

- a) the details of financial assistance provided by the Government to the State Government of Bihar during the last five years including the current year, scheme-wise and year-wise;
- b) the details of funds released to the Government of Bihar during the last five years as per Finance Commission Recommendations and under the Heads of Grant-in-Aid and Special Assistance; and
- c) the progress made in each scheme in Bihar during the said period?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (c): The Union Government provides funds to the State Governments including the state government of Bihar under various heads such as Tax Devolution, Finance Commission Transfers, Grant-in-Aid for Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS), Special Assistance (Grant) and Scheme for Special Assistance to States for Capital Expenditure/Investment. In addition, funds are released in various Central Sector Schemes to be utilized in the State of Bihar. Details of funds provided/released to the state government of Bihar under these heads during the last five years and the current year are given in Annexure:

ANNEXURE TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 142 TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 03, 2025/MAGHA 14, 1946 (SAKA)

Details of financial assistance provided by the Union Government to the State Government of Bihar during the last five years and the current year

(Rs. in crore)

<b>Heads</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2024-25 (as on 28.01.2025)</b>
<b>Tax Devolution</b>	63406.33	59861.41	91352.62	95509.85	113604.49	108040.89
<b>Finance Commission Transfers</b>	7896.79	10105.27	8116.52	6732.65	7662.52	4477.89
<b>Grant-in-Aid for Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS)</b>	18,052.58	22,346.15	21893.52	25174.75	22991.69	17,898.75
<b>Special Assistance (Grant)</b>	0.00	195.73	250.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Scheme for Special Assistance to States for Capital Expenditure /Investment</b>	--	843.00	1246.50	8455.85	8814.80	11521.87

Details of funds released in various Central Sector Schemes to be utilized in the State of Bihar

(Rs. in crore)

<b>Heads</b>	<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>	<b>2024-25 (as on 28.01.2025)</b>
<b>Central Sector Schemes (CS) *</b>	7,485.79	11,268.47	15289.36	18002.26	13020.61	11,176.47

\*: As per data available in PFMS.