

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

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 1535
TO BE ANSWERED ON- 09/12/2025

**IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DEENDAYAL DIVYANGJAN REHABILITATION
SCHEME**

1535. Shri S Jagathratchakan:
Shri K E Prakash:-

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that Parliamentary Committee had flagged persistent underutilisation of funds and reduction in physical targets by the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities under key schemes for persons with disabilities such as the DDRS and if so, details thereof and the action taken in this regard;
- (b) the number of projects proposed under Deendayal Disabled Rehabilitation Scheme (DDRS) during the past five years and the number of such projects approved, State-wise;
- (c) the total funds allocated and released for projects under DDRS during the past five years, State-wise, along with reasons for any underutilisation of funds; and
- (d) the details of projects approved under DDRS during the last five years, including the name of the implementing organisation, district, nature of the project and the amount allocated to each project in Tamil Nadu?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

(SHRI B. L. VERMA)

- (a) The details of Expenditure for the projects under the DDRS for the years 2022-23 to 2024-25 is as follows:-

(₹ in crore)

Financial Year	Expenditure
2022-23	114.69
2023-24	129.98
2024-25	139.39

It is evident from above that budget expenditure under the DDRS has consistently increased over the years.

- (b) and (c) State-wise details of the number of projects funded under the Deendayal Divyangjan rehabilitation Scheme (DDRS) during the past five years are placed at **Annexure-I**.

(d) The details of GIA released for the projects in the State of Tamilnadu under DDRS during the last five years is at **Annexure-II**.

Annexure-I

State-wise details of the number of projects funded under the Deendayal Divyangjan rehabilitation Scheme (DDRS) during the past five years

(Amount in Rs.)

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) and (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.1535 to be answered on 09.12.2025 regarding "IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DEENDAYAL DIVYANGJAN REHABILITATION SCHEME"											
S.N	State	2020-21		2021-22		2022-23		2023-24		2024-25	
		No. of projects	GIA released	No. of projects	GIA released	No. of projects	GIA released	No. of projects	GIA released	No. of projects	GIA released
1.	Andhra Pradesh	64	160502267	52	172341567	70	260557306	68	270553016	73	265012208
2.	Assam	5	6202482	7	13905825	7	16275702	4	12183175	5	16396646
3.	Bihar	-	-	1	4189479	2	3354015	3	6864980	3	4896171
4.	Chattisgarh	1	163059	1	4757545	--	--	--	--	1	7414799
5.	Delhi	7	24767146	5	16273590	8	18550632	10	16688500	7	19170038
6.	Gujarat	7	2332317	6	9616656	5	7092659	5	7422104	7	9350708
7.	Haryana	9	14018636	7	10198584	11	12892567	11	17461407	10	14881889
8.	Himachal Pradesh	5	5531584	5	6714621	5	4877076	5	6114188	9	7584587
9.	Karnataka	3	8129854	3	13559548	4	13991978	1	7372690	3	9487447
10.	Kerala	27	62830001	27	72530235	30	76240797	24	45520012	33	163224699
11.	Madhya Pradesh	15	21484645	13	25958865	14	31682276	13	33228017	13	26935843
12.	Maharashtra	10	15433280	6	4395057	10	35027007	12	19487147	0	0
13.	Manipur	21	53009234	20	69162255	25	99538392	23	85445224	31	103891853
14.	Meghalaya	4	10537292	2	2964334	6	10176359	5	8786110	6	16554840
15.	Mizoram	1	1173032	-	-	2	2922338	1	1725750	1	650850
16.	Nagaland	1	2631857	-	-	1	3036173	1	3760650	1	3828450
17.	Odisha	41	74203665	45	143638090	38	89917342	29	127643499	31	115596253

18.	Pudducherry	2	1848173	2	3588653	4	8526872	3	8065153	4	8275383
19.	Punjab	4	9891853	5	13189661	6	15867527	7	18656231	8	24690410
20.	Rajasthan	9	14401441	12	24113068	12	20345507	10	28514207	11	30171977
21.	Tamil Nadu	11	20824869	8	13705620	12	18469856	12	31215441	11	26088746
22.	Uttar Pradesh	43	116131593	42	125420727	36	99143941	38	150996545	43	189630566
23.	Uttrakhand	3	2937325	3	3744037	3	8487703	1	3307283	4	13039252
24.	West Bengal	13	31165848	18	55334885	21	80048352	19	74818280	19	61028561
25.	Telangana	36	114108617	38	143972187	48	151044761	43	209608729	40	172531977

Annexure-II**(Figures in Rs.)**

Annexure referred to in reply to part (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.1535 to be answered on 09.12.2025 regarding “IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DEENDAYAL DIVYANGJAN REHABILITATION SCHEME”								
S.No.	District	Implementing organization	Nature of project	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
1	CHENNAI	Balavidyalaya The School for young deaf children	Pre-School and Early Intervention and Training	-	-	1020895	1059642	2107890
2	CHENNAI	Carmel centre for mentally retarded	Special school for the ID	3477196	1724293	1648118	4899106	2776173
3	KANCHIPURAM	CHRISTIAN FOUNDATION FOR THE BLIND INDIA	Braille Press	-	2135579	4135448	2292512	2362664
4	TIRUVALLUR	Development Education Centre	Special School for ID	2690499	1578457	-	2764314	2372394
5	CHENNAI	Pathway Centre for Rehabilitation and Education	Special school for ID	2426963	737489	2374049	7938492	4882101

		for Mentally Retarded a Unit of Dr. D M C Trust						
6	TIRU NELV ELI	FLOREN CE SWAINS ON HR SEC. SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF	Special school for HI	902691	-	1420556	7938492	1722155
7	Chenn ai (ERO DE)	Kongu Arivalaya m	Special School for ID	2747723	4261916	2762467	2447717	5058293
8	Tiruva llur	Life Aid Centre for the Disabled	Special School for HI	-	-	734760	2316440	1359855
9	MAD URAI	M.S. chellamut hu trust and research foundation	Half Way Home for Psycho- Social Rehabilitat ion of Treated and Controlled Mentally Ill Persons	1560478	-	1383825	-	-
10	CHEN NAI	Madhuram Narayanan Centre For Exception al Children	Pre- School and Early Interventio n and Training	-	91670	-	1504008	499914

11	TIRU VALL UR	Manasa school for the special children	Special schools for ID	-	-	443205	733257	1555862
12	Thiruv allur	RASHTRI YA SEVA SAMITHI	Special School for ID	2692602	-	1149120	2860774	2094075
13	VIRU DHUN AGAR	Sapthagiri Rehabilitat ion Trust, Virudhuna gar	Special School for ID	896900	836973	1305743	1346415	-
