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Central Educational Institutions and Infrastructure Projects in Andhra Pradesh

1589. Dr. C M Ramesh:

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

- (a) the details of Central Educational Institutions and infrastructure projects sanctioned or established in the State of Andhra Pradesh during the last five years, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of such institutions sanctioned or proposed for the Anakapalli Parliamentary Constituency, including Universities, Colleges and specialised institutes; and
- (c) the timelines fixed for the completion and operationalisation of these institutions?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(Dr. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR)

(a) to (c): Education being in the Concurrent List, enhancing the quality of education is the responsibility of both the Central and State Governments. However, recognizing the need for central assistance, the Central Government has implemented various centrally sponsored schemes including Rashtriya Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) for supporting the State Governments. The government has launched the third phase of the RUSA in June 2023 in the form of Pradhan Mantri Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (PM-USHA), with an outlay of Rs. 12,926.10 crore, including the committed liabilities of the earlier phases of RUSA, for the period 2023-24 to 2025-26, to cater to the needs of educationally unserved/ underserved areas. The scheme has been further extended till 31st March, 2028 for completion of PM-USHA projects and for additional 6 months (i.e., 30th September, 2026) for completion of ongoing RUSA projects.

During the last five years, a total of 33 units have been approved support in the State of Andhra Pradesh under PM-USHA for a total amount of Rs. 378.71 crore.

Furthermore, since inception of the scheme, a total of 12 units have been approved support for a total amount of Rs. 157 crore under various components of RUSA and PM-USHA in the Anakapalli Parliamentary Constituency (Vishakhapatnam district) of the State.
