

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2663  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.03.2026**

**Inclusive Growth and National Development**

**2663. SHRI EATALA RAJENDER:**

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government's 'Sankalp' is to focus on our poor, underprivileged and the disadvantaged, if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken by the Government in this regard;

(b) the steps taken by the Government to accelerate and sustain economic growth, by enhancing productivity and competitiveness and building resilience to volatile global dynamics;

(c) the steps taken by the Government to fulfil aspirations of our people and build their capacity, making them strong partners in India's path to prosperity;

(d) the steps taken by the Government to align with our vision of Sabka Sath, Sabka Vikas, is to ensure that every family, community, region and sector has access to resources, amenities and opportunities meaningful participation; and

(e) the total funds sanctioned and utilized for each programme, State-wise?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE  
(SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (d): Guided by the vision of *Sabka Sath, Sabka Vikas*, the government resolves to ensure that every citizen (including poor, underprivileged and the disadvantaged), family, community, region and sector have access to resources, amenities and opportunities for meaningful participation in the growth process, so that the benefits of Viksit Bharat are broad-based and inclusive. In this regard, the Government is implementing a number of targeted programmes such as Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana, the Viksit Bharat – Guarantee for Rozgar and Aajeevika Mission (Gramin) Act, 2025, Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Rural Livelihoods Mission, National Social Assistance Programme, Pradhan Mantri Jan-Dhan Yojana, Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushalya Yojana, Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana, Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana, Atal Pension Yojana, Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana, Stand Up India Scheme, Umbrella Programmes for Development of Minorities and Other Vulnerable Groups, Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi, Aspirational Districts Programme, the Aspirational Blocks Programme and rural health, nutrition, and skill-development initiatives etc. It is also implementing various programmes, including Jal Jeevan Mission, Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, PM Ujjwala Yojana, PM Saubhagya Yojana, Ayushman Bharat, etc., to bring about overall improvement in the quality of life of the citizens through universal access to basic amenities.

Further, the Union Budget 2026-27 articulates the Government's *Sankalp* to place the poor, underprivileged, and disadvantaged at the centre of policy, while pursuing high and sustainable growth. At the macro level, the Budget lays out an agenda to accelerate and sustain growth by enhancing productivity and competitiveness through scaling up manufacturing in strategic and frontier sectors, rejuvenation of legacy industries, development of "champion MSMEs", infrastructure push, long-term energy security and stability, and the development of city-centric economic regions to build resilience.

Complementing this, the budget sets out a people-centric agenda to fulfil aspirations and build the capacity of citizens to become strong partners in India's prosperity. This includes a dedicated focus on youth and skills, such as the proposal to set up a "High-Powered 'Education to Employment and Enterprise' Standing Committee", sector-specific skilling initiatives, and the adoption of new technologies, as well as targeted measures for farmers, women, Divyangjan, and citizens in the Purvodaya States and the North-East Region.

(e) The details of the funds allocated and actually spent, for various years, for the Centrally sponsored schemes and Central Sector schemes are available as per Statement 4A and Statement 4B, respectively, in the "Expenditure Profile" document, which is a part of the yearly Budget documents. The details can be accessed at the following URL: <https://www.indiabudget.gov.in/doc/eb/voll.pdf>. In addition, details of social sector expenditure of the states are available in Statement 31 of the RBI's report titled "State Finances: A Study of Budgets of 2025-26". The details can be accessed at: <https://rbi.org.in/Scripts/AnnualPublications.aspx?head=State%20Finances%20:%20A%20Study%20of%20Budgets>.

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