

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3239  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2015**

**FOREIGN FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

**3239. SHRI ASHOK MAHADEORAO NETE:  
SHRI GOPAL SHETTY:**

Will the Minister of **HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to seek the assistance of World Health Organisation, World Bank and other international financial agencies for improving the quality of healthcare services and upgradation of the hospitals across the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the names of the States/UTs seeking foreign financial assistance through Government from foreign financial institutions during each of the last three years and the current year?

**ANSWER  
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE  
(SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA)**

(a) to (c): The Government receives assistance from various foreign agencies, including World Bank, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), The Global Fund to Fight Aids, Tuberculosis and Malaria (GFATM) and World Health Organization (WHO), among others, for improving the quality of healthcare services, public health programmes and other health sector projects. The names of States/UTs seeking foreign financial assistance through Government from foreign financial institutions during each of the last three years and the current year are annexed.

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<b>Annexure</b>		
<b>2012-2013</b>		
<b>SN</b>	<b>State/UTs</b>	<b>Foreign Financial Institutions</b>
1	Karnataka	International Development Agency, World Bank
2	Rajasthan	International Development Agency
3	Tamil Nadu	International Development Agency, World Bank
4	Uttar Pradesh	International Development Agency, World Bank
5	Bihar	Govt. of United Kingdom
6	Madhya Pradesh	Govt. of United Kingdom
7	Odisha	Govt. of United Kingdom
<b>2013-2014</b>		
1	Karnataka	International Development Agency, World Bank
2	Tamil Nadu	International Development Agency, World Bank and JICA (Japan)
3	Uttar Pradesh	International Development Agency, World Bank
4	Bihar	Govt. of United Kingdom
5	Madhya Pradesh	Govt. of United Kingdom
6	Odisha	Govt. of United Kingdom
7.	Uttarakahnd	World Bank (project posed to World Bank on 08-10-2013)
<b>2014-2015</b>		
1	Karnataka	International Development Agency, World Bank
2	Nagaland	International Development Agency, World Bank
3	Tamil Nadu	International Development Agency, World Bank, JICA
4	Uttar Pradesh	World Bank
5	Bihar	Govt. of United Kingdom
6	Madhya Pradesh	Govt. of United Kingdom
7	Odisha	Govt. of United Kingdom
8.	Nagaland	World Bank (project posed to World Bank on 11-06-2014)
<b>2015-2016</b>		
1	Karnataka	International Development Agency, World Bank
2	Nagaland	International Development Agency, World Bank
3	Tamil Nadu	International Development Agency, World Bank, JICA
4	Uttar Pradesh	World Bank
5	Uttarakhand	World Bank