

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.981
TO BE ANSWERED ON 4-12-2015**

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE/ALLOWANCE TO SINGLE MOTHERS

981. SHRI ABHISHEK BANERJEE :

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government provides any financial assistance or allowance to single mother;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the scheme in place to help single mothers in the upbringing of children;
- (d) whether the Government is planning to formulate new schemes in the same direction; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI)

- (a) No Madam.
- (b) Does not arise in view of (a)
- (c) The Ministry of Women and Child Development is not administering any specific scheme to help single mothers for upbringing of their children.
- (d) & (e) There is no such proposal is under consideration by the Ministry of Women and Child Development.
