GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WOMEN & CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1510 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.03.2016

NUTRITION DEFICIENCY IN WOMEN AND CHILDREN

1510. SHRI RAM PRASAD SARMAH:

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

- (a) whether large number of women and children are affected by nutrition deficiency in North Eastern Region and other parts of the country;
- (b) if so, the action taken by the Government to meet this challenge;
- (c) whether the Government has received any financial help from United Nations or UNESCO for women and child development schemes in North Eastern and other regions of the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the details of funds released for different women and child development schemes during last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise; and
- (e) whether the Government has formulated any monitoring system for executing these schemes and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) Yes. As per National Nutrition Monitoring Bureau's report of Third Repeat Survey, conducted by National Institute of Nutrition (NIN) in 2012 the proportion of pre-school children not meeting even 50% of RDA for calcium, vitamin A, riboflavin and vitamin C was about 51-82%. The intakes of micronutrients such as iron, vitamin A, riboflavin, vitamin C and folic acid were not even 50% of RDA in 51-83% of pregnant women. In general, the extent of micronutrient deficiency was low in non-pregnant and non-lactating (NPNL) women. The proportion of pre-school children with adequate intake of both protein and calorie was 49-60%, while the corresponding figure for non-pregnant and non-lactating women was about 63% and 71%, respectively. Similarly, the proportion of pregnant women and lactating mothers with adequate intake of both protein and calorie was 52% and 60%, respectively.
- (b) In order to improve the nutrition in women and children Supplementary Nutrition is provided to bridge the gap between the Recommended Dietary Allowance (RDA) and Average Dietary Intake (ADI) under Integrated Child Development Services Scheme. This Ministry is implementing 'Rajiv Gandhi Scheme for Empowerment of Adolescent Girls (RGSEAG)-'Sabla', and Indira Gandhi MatritvaSahyogYojana (IGMSY) as direct targeted interventions to address the problem of malnutrition among women and children. Under the ICDS scheme, nutritious food is provided in the form of (i) Hot Cooked Meal, (ii) Morning Snack and (iii) Micronutrient Fortified Food and/or Energy-dense Food as Take Home Ration (THR).
- (c) No Madam, United Nation does not provide funds to the Government for nutrition related schemes.
- (d) The details of State/UT-wise funds released for different women and child development schemes related to nutrition (ICDS, Sabla& IGMSY) during last three years and the current year is at **annexure-I, II,** & III.
- (e) Yes. The monitoring and supervision mechanism set up under the Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Scheme is used for the scheme **Sabla** and **IGMSY** as well. Performance of the scheme is

reviewed on a quarterly/annual basis to identify gaps and for taking corrective measures. Monitoring committees are set up at all levels (National, State, District, Block and Village level) to take stock of the progress of the scheme as also strengthen the coordination and convergence between concerned departments.

Moreover, the scheme guidelines also provides for field visits by the State Officials/District Programme Officer (DPO)/Child Development Project Officer (CDPO)/Supervisors as per the supervision schedule under ICDS.

Consolidated Statement indicating State-wise position of Funds released under ICDS Scheme [ICDS(General), SNP and Training] during 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15 and 2015-16 upto 31.01.2016

Rs. In Lakhs

SI. No.	State	Year				
		2012-13 2013-14 2014-15			2015-16	
		Funds released	Funds released	Funds released	Funds released (upto 31.01.2016)	
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	110011.33	111334.49	99446.78	52961.70	
2	BIHAR	107957.00	107609.68	116266.84	86191.19	
3	CHHATTISGARH	53860.37	50459.30	51703.52	48193.79	
4	GOA	1859.53	1567.58	2617.25	1031.38	
5	GUJARAT	60144.11	60807.51	48886.15	30571.95	
6	HARYANA	30331.08	31266.40	31158.68	15931.55	
7	HIMACHAL PRADESH	17014.46	17278.95	17184.09	18692.53	
8	JAMMU & KASHMIR	26029.50	29610.25	26031.19	27260.97	
9	JHARKHAND	38673.75	49930.46	46904.30	40912.35	
10	KARNATAKA	67426.31	75135.57	82856.77	54743.70	
11	KERALA	27472.04	35995.97	24726.35	17097.81	
12	MADHYA PRADESH	147086.26	102418.63	122544.60	105106.08	
13	MAHARASHTRA	140032.78	129519.81	90781.88	60251.44	
14	ORISSA	66424.71	97438.29	87511.73	47888.84	
15	PUNJAB	29429.25	24546.11	25893.06	13531.31	
16	RAJASTHAN	68853.08	65232.45	73992.88	43391.45	
17	TAMIL NADU	42882.04	65605.57	67902.29	49632.35	
18	UTTARAKHAND	12036.13	17763.50	20165.67	32960.34	
19	UTTAR PRADESH	250471.26	235448.38	272553.08	177777.86	
20	WEST BENGAL	106618.64	123227.84	97578.85	58716.68	
21	TELANGANA	0.00	0.00	46057.10	28637.52	
22	DELHI	16495.76	17700.74	17855.94	10663.01	
23	PONDICHERRY	387.11	736.39	1275.34	926.08	
24	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	575.17	391.79	891.78	654.52	
25	CHANDIGARH	685.85	731.19	996.18	650.34	
26	D. & NAGAR HAVELI	238.37	378.31	281.31	210.97	
27	DAMAN & DIU	188.1	161.19	195.77	133.55	
28	LAKSHADWEEP	146.44	147.46	138.16	122.01	
29	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	12392.5	10344.16	15557.38	7666.57	
30	ASSAM	90085.33	103145.19	103517.50	74247.19	
31	MANIPUR	7700.66	16140.54	14929.58	6679.81	
32	MEGHALAYA	10608.84	14287.83	14357.78	9397.00	
33	MIZORAM	5480.34	4772.89	5695.57	3127.59	
34	NAGALAND	8526.31	8912.80	12202.63	7566.58	
35	SIKKIM	2115.37	2607.14	2998.60	2001.31	
36	TRIPURA	9437.63	13651.31	14074.26	11608.21	
37	AKBY (LIC) #	472.18	442.90	451.09		
	Total	1570149.59	1626748.57	1658181.93	1147137.53	

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State-wise funds released under Sabla in 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15 & current year								
	(Rs. in la							
SI.	States/UTs	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16			
No.		Released	Released	Released	Released			
1	Andhra Pradesh	508.63	1305.11	805.48	675.68			
2	Arunachal Pradesh	135.26	116.83	120.94125	78.41			
3	Assam	1987.42	2311.46	1042.63	668.26			
4	Bihar	1442.76	3289.87	6458.23	1100.24			
5	Chhattisgarh	179.15	1076.83	4232.15	1904.46			
6	Goa	135.36	130.56	225.675	248.705			
7	Gujarat	2625.6	4707.3	2270.3044	0			
8	Haryana	455.38	269.66	792.0925	755.28			
9	Himachal Pradesh	595.68	574.95	583.70875	956.78			
10	Jammu & Kashmir	282.56	466.8	292.11725	156.27			
11	Jharkhand	1244.03	150.99	944.5	193.31			
12	Karnataka	2438.8	3118.78	4345.4863	3164.54			
13	Kerala	852.56	1511.57	802.45	1201.843			
14	Madhya Pradesh	6623	6554.02	7395.7363	8746.45			
15	Maharashtra	1550.81	2797.64	386.74	1531.253			
16	Manipur	121.23	53.2	21.15	95.82438			
17	Meghalaya	179.16	383.58	296.92	232.0356			
18	Mizoram	84.94	111.15	96.36875	90.65			
19	Nagaland	183.6	240.73	185.31	188.3894			
20	Orissa	2404.9	4003.62	3528.3644	3477.67			
21	Punjab	538.53	0	0	814.7			
22	Rajasthan	4031	5163.67	4301.4788	3275.09			
23	Sikkim	19.99	30.9	55.985625	48.2			
24	Tamil Nadu	2174.03	3774.02	4322.4106	4011.91			
25	Telangana			1226.4788	1242.82			
26	Tripura	447.88	599.6	622.76875	417.25			
27	Uttar Pradesh	12975.15	13836.29	14642.59	8823.483			
28	Uttaranchal	333.23	0	243.19	14.12			
29	West Bengal	2621.14	0	0	0			
30	A&N Islands	93.61	24.36	93.11125	3.64			
31	Chandigarh	0	5.7	7.78	14.01			
32	Daman & Diu	16.46	0	0	0			
33	D & NH	0	22.99	0	16.44			
34	Delhi	579.77	884.48	655.19625	204.43			
35	Lakshadweep	0	3.52	0	12.03			
36	Pondicherry	28.59	16.26	24.02	19.27			
	Total	47890.21	57536.41	61021.365	44383.44			

Annexure-III

State/UT-wise grants-in-aid released under Indira Gandhi MatritvaSahyogYojana (IGMSY) during the last three years and current year (As on 29.02.2016)							
SI.	Name of the States/ UTs		2013-14	2014-15	2015-16		
No.		(Rupees in	(Rupees in	(Rupees in Lakh)	(Rupees in Lakh)		
		` Lakh)	` . Lakh)	,	(Up to 29.02.2016)		
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1	Andhra Pradesh	2734.68	1814.47	3,004.65	1502.32		
2	Arunachal Pradesh	23.59	0.00	41.49	20.74		
3	Assam	0.00	149.78	1,744.74	872.38		
4	Bihar	0.00	1758.10	4,862.81	2431.40		
5	Chhattisgarh	557.76	1456.53	859.86	429.94		
6	Goa	57.40	300.95	164.30	82.16		
7	Gujarat	1271.23	1007.80	1,504.88	1090.90		
8	Haryana	50.35	343.65	-	171.82		
9	Himachal Pradesh	64.84	124.30	295.19	537.11		
10	Jammu & Kashmir	349.04	665.24	522.38	261.20		
11	Jharkhand	0.00	34.64	-	17.32		
12	Karnataka	0.00	1452.81	-	726.40		
13	Kerala	553.45	1390.69	934.59	467.30		
14	Madhya Pradesh	1698.75	2128.07	3,627.44	2358.21		
15	Maharashtra	0.00	3160.24	2,838.51	1419.26		
16	Manipur	43.72	0.00	-	0.00		
17	Meghalaya	0.00	53.93	-	26.96		
18	Mizoram	54.76	0.00	19.39	9.70		
19	Nagaland	39.79	60.64	56.90	28.46		
20	Odisha	336.84	2038.85	1,796.57	1606.61		
21	Punjab	0.00	66.20	-	33.10		
22	Rajasthan	0.00	935.01	3,640.40	1820.20		
23	Sikkim	8.75	7.87	24.12	12.06		
24	Tamil Nadu	0.00	3032.19	2,241.40	1837.75		
25	Telangana	-	-	1,877.78	938.90		
26	Tripura	0.00	161.76	209.70	479.83		
27	Uttar Pradesh	0.00	95.29	-	47.64		
28	Uttarakhand	332.14	322.64	570.58	1182.74		
29	West Bengal	0.00	394.82	3,016.90	1508.46		
30	Delhi	0.00	58.65	371.42	929.70		
31	Andaman & Nicobar	12.44	122.32	44.35	22.14		
	Islands						
32	Puducherry	7.61	32.75	24.58	12.30		
33	Chandigarh	60.69	20.23	-	172.47		
34	Daman & Diu	0.00	4.13	18.70	9.36		
35	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.00	11.29	-	5.64		
36	Lakshadweep	0.00	0.00	-	0.00		
	Total	8257.83	23205.84	34,313.63	23072.48		
* NR - Not Reported/ - = Not Released							