

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PLANNING**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2426
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.03.2016**

PER CAPITA INCOME

†2426. SHRI VIKRAM USENDI:

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

- (a) whether there has been disparity in per capita income of many States;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/ UT-wise including Chhattisgarh;
- (c) the difference in urban and rural per capita income in the country during each of the last five years and the current year; and
- (d) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to bridge the differences of per capita income?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND
MINISTER OF STATE FOR DEFENCE
(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)**

(a) & (b): The per capita income level of States depend on a number of factors which include resource endowments, historical background of development, availability of socio-economic and physical infrastructure, demographic features and various other state specific factors. The State/UT-wise estimates of Per Capita Income (measured as Per Capita Net State Domestic Product (NSDP)) at current prices for the last three years are given at Annexure. The per capita NSDP at current prices is lowest for Bihar (Rs. 34,856) and highest for Goa (Rs. 2,74,939) in 2014-15. The per capita NSDP at current prices is Rs 73,758 for Chhattisgarh in 2014-15.

(c): The Central Statistics Office (CSO) has been compiling estimates of Rural and Urban income of the Indian economy in terms of Net Value Added (NVA), for the base years of National Accounts Statistics (NAS), since the 1970-71 series. These NVA estimates with rural urban break-up were so far compiled for the years 1970-71, 1981-81, 1993-94, 1999-2000, 2004-05 and 2011-12. In 2011-12, the per capita NVA for rural areas is Rs. 40,772 and that for urban areas is Rs. 1,01,313 at 2011-12 prices. Data for rural and urban per capita NVA is not available after 2011-12.

(d): The Government have taken several measures to improve the growth performance of all the States in a balanced manner. The policy instruments in this regard include plan and non-plan transfer of resources from Centre to States favouring less developed States, tax incentives for setting up of private industries in the backward regions, etc. The enhanced share of States in Central Taxes from 32% to 42% provides the much needed flexibility to the States for financing and designing of schemes suited to the local needs and to bridge the development deficit in the backward regions of the States. In addition, several Centrally Sponsored Schemes and state specific schemes are being implemented which are expected to improve the per capita income levels in different States.

ANNEXURE

**Annexure as referred in reply to part (a) & (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2426
regarding Per Capita Income for answer on 11.03.2016
State/UT-wise Per Capita Income at current prices**

S.No.	State/UT	Per Capita Income		
		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
1	Andhra Pradesh	74639	84579	95689
2	Arunachal Pradesh	80964	91686	101033
3	Assam	44769	48974	53618
4	Bihar	24647	28389	34856
5	Chhattisgarh	61356	66438	73758
6	Goa	237929	258856	274939
7	Gujarat	100821	113061	124358
8	Haryana	122571	136734	150260
9	Himachal Pradesh	98996	110209	119720
10	Jammu & Kashmir	56201	63202	65598
11	Jharkhand	47360	51534	58344
12	Karnataka	101451	116238	130897
13	Kerala	110314	123564	138390
14	Madhya Pradesh	42631	46244	51371
15	Maharashtra	111005	125146	134081
16	Manipur	40169	46740	-
17	Meghalaya	63429	68145	71101
18	Mizoram	65013	74846	85359
19	Nagaland	58727	69261	76679
20	Odisha	53196	56941	63108
21	Punjab	94318	105143	114561
22	Rajasthan	63722	69925	76881
23	Sikkim#	151395	176491	-
24	Tamil Nadu	104486	120593	135806
25	Telangana	101602	114669	129182
26	Tripura#	57402	69705	-
27	Uttar Pradesh	35358	40790	44197
28	Uttarakhand	114878	126101	139184
29	West Bengal#	60318	70059	78903
30	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	94002	102116	108168
31	Chandigarh	180625	206964	240687
32	Delhi	206407	232269	252011
33	Puducherry	130548	143045	157219

Source: Central Statistics Office

#: Estimates for the States of Sikkim, Tripura and West Bengal are at base year 2004-05. Estimates for the remaining States are at base year 2011-12.

- Not released yet