GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1225 TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.05.2016

Number of Scholarships

1225. SHRI JAGDAMBIKA PAL:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of scholarships for higher education awarded to students from rural and urban areas separately in the country, State and UT-wise;
- (b) the steps taken by the Government to spread awareness among rural people about existence of such scholarships; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor and the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

- (a): The details of total number of scholarships for higher education awarded to students during 2015-16, State/UT wise details are furnished in the annexure. The classification of awardees (rural and urban) are not being maintained centrally.
- (b) & (c): The Ministry of Human Resource Development has been implementing the "Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship for College and University Students" through the State Education Boards. To bring awareness amongst target group, the State Education Boards have been uploading the information about the Scheme in their website and also advertisements are brought out in the regional dailies. The scheme is being implemented on the National e-Scholarship Portal under the Digital India Initiative. The University Grants Commission (UGC) has informed that they have been providing widespread publicity to their various scholarship schemes by giving advertisements in National Dailies, Employment News and on UGC website. The UGC also has an exclusive link 'e-SARTS fellowship' on their website to cater to various scholarship schemes where the students can apply online.

STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1225 FOR 02-05-2016 ASKED BY SHRI JAGDAMBIKA PAL, M.P. REGARDING NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS.

S. N o.	State/UT	Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship	Indira Gandhi PG Scholarship For Single Girl Child	PG Scholarship for Professional Courses for SC/ST	PG Scholarship of University Rank Holders	Ishan Uday Scholarshi p For NER	PG Scholarship to GATE/GPAT Qualified Candidates
1	Andhra Pradesh	13700	136	245	301	0	108
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	33	4	158	0
3	Assam	1046	72	24	79	5213	0
4	Bihar	398	20	1	10	0	0
5	Chhattisgarh	1634	9	0	3	0	0
6	Delhi	0	60	10	25	0	18
7	Goa	390	10	0	2	0	0
8	Gujarat	6420	34	8	10	0	2
9	Harayana	3202	17	11	6	0	0
10	Himachal Pradesh	317	9	12	2	0	0
11	Jammu & Kashmir	862	16	2	0	0	13
12	Jharkhand	397	15	14	21	0	0
13	Karnataka	14261	328	62	23	0	147
14	Kerala	3054	998	6	108	0	0
15	Madhya Pradesh	9688	26	12	26	0	38
16	Maharashtra	13666	83	20	14	0	0
17	Manipur	118	0	2	11	3058	0
18	Meghalaya	0	5	51	17	46	0
19	Mizoram	0	2	22	11	103	0
20	Nagaland	339	0	6	0	107	0
21	Odisha	2449	35	13	306	0	0
22	Punjab	2808	54	16	7	0	0
23	Rajasthan	8240	14	6	5	0	146
24	Sikkim	0	2	0	0	220	0
25	Tamilnadu	14409	838	238	234	0	0
26	Telangana	10639	79	11	196	0	0
27	Tripura	264	45	5	22	122	0
28	Uttarakhand	795	0	0	0	0	0
29	Uttar Pradesh	9461	75	46	20	0	854
30	West Bengal	3106	1647	21	116	0	175
31	Andman & Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	Chandigarh	0	2	1	1	0	44
33	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0
35	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	Puducherry	53	25	17	18	0	0
	CBSE	9694	0	0	0	0	0
	CISCE	5	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	131415	4656	915	1598	9027	1545
