

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTIONNO.2883  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.05.2016**

**SCHOLARSHIP SCHEMES**

**2883.: SHRI DEVAJIBHAI G. FATEPARA**

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of beneficiaries of the scholarship schemes being implemented by the Government for students belonging to the minority communities in the country during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise and scheme-wise;
- (b) whether there is a gap between funds sought by the States/UTs and released by the Union Government under the said schemes during the said period and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise and scheme-wise and the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the cases of irregularities/corruption/diversion of funds under the said schemes have come to the notice of the Government during the said period;
- (d) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise and scheme-wise and the reasons therefor along with the remedial measures taken/being taken by the Government in such cases so far; and
- (e) the other steps taken/being taken by the Government for effective implementation of the said schemes in the country?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS  
(SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI)**

- (a) : The number of beneficiaries of three scholarship schemes namely Pre-matric, Post-matric and Merit-cum Means based Scholarship Schemes implemented by this Ministry for students belonging to the minority communities in the country during each of the last three years and the current year is at **Annexure-I**.
- (b) : In these schemes, the physical target of scholarships is fixed for each State/UT in the beginning of the year and based on the target different scholarships are disbursed to the eligible students.
- (c)& (d) : No Madam.
- (e): From 2015-16, all the three Scholarship Schemes are being implemented through National Scholarship Portal (NSP). To explain/elaborate the benefits of the portal and effective implementation of the schemes, Ministry has organized workshops at Guwahati, Kolkata, Delhi, Mumbai and Hyderabad, which were attended by the Nodal Officers / Technical Officers of various States dealing with the Schemes. Apart from this, officers of the Ministry visit various States from time to time and conduct meetings with all stakeholders including students to discuss issues related to NSP. Ministry has also taken initiatives to give wide publicity of the Schemes through print advertisements and broadcast/telecast of audio/video spots through All India Radio (AIR), Doordarshan, private TV Channels, FM Channels, Digital Cinema, and various means of outdoor publicity, to make the target group aware of the Schemes.

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Statement referred to in reply of part (a) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.2883 to be answered on 11.05.2016 raised by Shri Devajibhai G. Fatepara regarding Scholarship schemes

State/UT- wise &amp; Year-wise Scholarships awarded under Pre-matric, Post-matric and Merit-cum Means Scholarship Schemes for students belonging to the minority communities during the last three years and the current year

S.No.	States/UTs	Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme				Post-matric Scholarship Scheme				Merit-cum-means based Scholarship Scheme			
		2013-14	2014-15	2015-16*	2016-17	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16*	2016-17	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16*	2016-17
		No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded	No. of Scholarships Awarded
1	Andhra Pradesh	334949	131069	81267	NIL	19246	5176	10490	NIL	1492	526	1083	NIL
2	Telangana	0	176178	91247		0	11580	15072		0	1238	1641	
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0		0	0	0		1	0	0	
4	Assam	241967	132981	7093		27932	29893	6829		3710	3886	3	
5	Bihar	65663	122883	20548		34485	42248	40989		6417	13393	6559	
6	Chhattisgarh	20196	19953	0		2811	2657	1818		339	614	509	
7	Goa	8319	3350	0		124	93	173		108	163	60	
8	Gujarat	355756	353933	142032		32979	40574	10535		2607	4821	4121	
9	Haryana	15780	0	0		1509	721	2524		865	1109	1179	
10	Himachal Pradesh	3577	3196	1756		353	337	0		153	129	86	
11	Jammu & Kashmir	113647	389420	0		25461	15977	0		2317	6519	62	
12	Jharkhand	26694	28465	0		11581	12281	2221		1736	1498	848	
13	Karnataka	404511	435369	444718		51771	85830	50029		5526	19814	1741	
14	Kerala	884682	845465	332629		69643	94460	11234		15602	25844	13784	
15	Madhya Pradesh	109507	104819	0		10863	10009	2893		1347	2954	1202	
16	Maharashtra	785177	717896	492605		60229	56984	31211		7113	5230	0	
17	Manipur	13232	19364	0		7853	7085	0		519	437	0	
18	Meghalaya	23825	22327	0		170	313	2515		706	884	849	
19	Mizoram	94745	141210	12284		669	389	391		97	0	47	
20	Nagaland	25792	42836	0		230	198	252		1006	1160	1156	
21	Odisha	38611	39610	0		3380	3921	0		606	550	526	
22	Punjab	353549	417001	309069		76577	83415	25639		11231	10367	3153	
23	Rajasthan	280100	253433	81219		33259	39098	12869		2769	2783	5019	
24	Sikkim	3785	4443	2208		310	184	478		146	78	68	
25	Tamil Nadu	406324	461376	267787		55152	67385	41361		5149	5747	2697	
26	Tripura	7204	9193	3158		665	757	157		138	115	136	
27	Uttar Pradesh	1262382	859667	373462		165783	99852	58381		16942	16861	15686	
28	Uttarakhand	0	54051	6085		774	1076	2123		572	577	661	
29	West Bengal	1869161	1690039	789926		195331	192267	21861		10506	10696	11476	
30	Andaman & Nicobar	236	845	0		5	0	0		9	0	0	
31	Chandigarh	6721	3319	0		290	222	253		32	40	33	
32	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	167	225	0		25	0	34		0	0	1	
33	Daman & Diu	494	728	0		26	0	34		7	4	4	
34	Delhi	36096	9301	0		680	522	1193		613	693	369	
35	Lakshadweep	0	0	0		0	0	0		0	0	0	
36	Puducherry	1341	2648	0		301	116	2		47	40	48	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7794190</b>	<b>7496593</b>	<b>3459093</b>		<b>890467</b>	<b>905620</b>	<b>353561</b>		<b>100428</b>	<b>138770</b>	<b>74807</b>	

\* These are not final figures as disbursement of scholarships for this year is still continuing from Rs.936.91 crore kept in separate bank account.

