

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2017
ANSWERED ON:08.03.2000
AID FOR SOCIAL SECTOR
DUMPA MARY VIJAYAKUMARI

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

the aid received from Italy during each of the last three years especially in Social Sector?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
SMT. MANEKA GANDHI

In so far as the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment is concerned, aid has been provided by Italy to the Indian spinal Injury Centre, New Delhi, in the form of equipment, under bi-lateral agreement between Government of India and Italian Government, as per details given below:-

Year	Amount provided
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1996-97	Rs. 3,36,65,497
1997-98	Rs. 76,16,153
1998-99	Rs. 31,360
Total	Rs. 4,13,13,010