GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:226 ANSWERED ON:06.03.2003 SPECIAL COMPONENT SCHEME REENA CHOUDHARY

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

(a) the salient features of the Special Component Scheme formulated for various States;

(b) the target fixed by the Government to achieve its main objectives;

(c) the details of the funds allocated for the said scheme to each State during the current financial year; and

(d) the steps taken /being taken to promote development of women in different States?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT (DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA)

(a) The Special Component Plan (SCP) was evolved in 1979-80 as one of the instrument for the economic development of Scheduled Castes to channelise funds and benefits from various sectors of the Annual Plans of the States/Uts. It envisages formulation of specific schemes within each sector keeping in view needs/situations of SCs and utilization of the funds specially earmarked for these schemes.

(b) Target is to facilitate that economic development of SCs by ensuring that all States/Uts provide SCP allocation and utilize it accordingly.

(c) Allocation of the funds is made by the State Governments/UT Administrations out of their Plan allocation. The details are at Annexure.

(d) The States/Uts formulate specific schemes under Special Component Plan for the development of SC women in the field of education, housing, drinking water supply facilities and also ownership rights on assets created under SCP.

Annexure

Statement referred to in reply to Part (c) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 226 for 6.3.2003 raised by Smt. Reena Choudhary regarding Special Component Scheme

Statement showing the details of Special Component Plan Outlays and expenditure during 2002-2003

(Rs. In Crore)

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Sl.No. States/UTs State Plan Flow to Outlay SCP
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1 Andhra Pradesh 10082.75 870.00

2 Assam 1507.35 69.78

3 Bihar 2724.13 572.48

4 Chattisgarh 2025.73 150.99

5 Gujarat 7600.00 252.18

6 Goa#

7 Haryana 2034.00 404.82

8 Himachal Pradesh 1900.00 187.00

9 Jammu &Kashmir #

10 Jharkhand #

11 Karnataka 8610.61 667.40

12 Kerala 4326.00 402.55

13 Madhya Pradesh 4821.00 611.79

14 Maharashtra 4150.00 530.27

15 Manipur #
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16 Orissa 3100.00 276.25 17 Punjab 2793.00 392.33 18 Rajasthan 5622.91 895.73 19 Sikkim 133.35 9.49 20 Tamil Nadu 5751.52 1103.73 21 Tripura 631.93 65.36 22 Uttar Pradesh 7250.00 1540.00 23 Uttaranchal 1533.63 255.89 24 West Bengal 6307.00 586.89 25 Chandigarh 165.42 10.07 26 Delhi 4700.00 250.67 27 Pondicherry. 421.00 59.86

Total 88191.33 10165.53

4 States not reported