

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3128
ANSWERED ON:23.12.2003
MODERNISATION OF JAIL
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the funds allocated/released for reforms in prisons under modernization of prison administration to the State Government during the year 2002-03 and till date, State-wise and year-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has conducted any study to review the working of and results achieved by establishment of open Jails; and
- (c) if so, the outcome thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI)

(a): An amount of Rs. 270 crore was released during the year 2002-03 for reforms in prisons under Modernization of Prison Administration to the State Governments, as per details in Annexure-I. During 2003-04, till date an amount of Rs. 10.7850 crore has been released to the Government of West Bengal.

(b) & (c): No study has been conducted by the Union Government.

Annexure-I

AMOUNT ALLOCATED/RELEASED DURING FINANCIAL YEAR 2002-03 UNDER THE SCHEME OF MODERNISATION OF PRISONS

Sl. No. Name of the State Amount Allocated Amount of Central Share
(including State Released (Rupees in crore)
Share (Rupees in crore)

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|---------------------|-------|---------|
| 1. Andhra Pradesh | 21.26 | 15.9450 |
| 2. Assam | 7.83 | 5.8725 |
| 3. Bihar | 35.89 | 27.4865 |
| 4. Chhattisgarh | 7.47 | 5.6025 |
| 5. Goa | 2.72 | 2.0400 |
| 6. Gujarat | 13.18 | 9.8760 |
| 7 Haryana | 20.55 | 15.4050 |
| 8. Himachal Pradesh | 4.04 | 3.030 |
| 9. Jammu & Kashmir | 6.18 | 4.6350 |
| 10. Jharkhand | 8.45 | 6.3375 |
| 11. Karnataka | 10.78 | 8.0850 |
| 12. Kerala | 6.55 | 4.9100 |
| 13. Madhya Pradesh | 31.03 | 23.2700 |
| 14. Maharashtra | 25.83 | 19.3725 |
| 15. Manipur | 3.14 | 2.3550 |
| 16. Meghalaya | 3.27 | 2.4525 |
| 17. Mizoram | 3.55 | 2.6625 |

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| 18. Nagaland | 3.17 | 2.3700 |
| 19. Orissa | 21.48 | 16.1025 |
| 20. Punjab | 14.89 | 11.1675 |
| 21. Rajasthan | 13.03 | 9.7725 |
| 22. Sikkim | 3.64 | 2.7300 |
| 23. Tamil Nadu | 19.07 | 14.3025 |
| 24. Tripura | 5.60 | 4.2000 |
| 25. Uttaranchal | 6.06 | 4.5450 |
| 26. Uttar Pradesh | 46.25 | 34.6875 |
| 27. West Bengal | 14.38 | 10.7850 |

Total: 359.31 270.00