

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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GRANTS TO NGOS

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

- (a) whether the Government has allocated funds for disbursement as grant-in-aids for health/education/social service related new projects/schemes sponsored by the Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) for last three years for Maharashtra;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any new fresh proposals are pending with regards to grant-in-aids scheme of Maharashtra NGO's for 2006-07; and
- (d) if so, the time by which these are likely to be cleared?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a)& b) No State-wise allocation of funds is made for disbursement as grant-in-aid for new projects/schemes sponsored by the Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) under any welfare schemes being implemented by this Ministry. Funds are released to the NGOs on the basis of the proposals received under various schemes/programmes as per their terms and conditions.

(c) & (d) During the year 2006-07, 38 fresh proposals have been received. However, it is not possible to indicate a time frame.