

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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ASSISTANCE UNDER ICDS  
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) The financial assistance provided by the World Bank under ICDS during the last three years, State-wise;
- (b) Whether the State Governments especially Gujarat Government has utilized the financial assistance provided by the Union Government and the World Bank;
- (c) If so, the details of projects in which these funds have been utilized, State-wise; and
- (d) If not, the reasons for not utilizing the funds fully so far?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATIKANTI SINGH)

(a) During the last three years, World Bank assisted ICDS-H Project in Bihar and Madhya Pradesh, ICDS component of Andhra Pradesh Economic Restructuring (APER) Programme in Andhra Pradesh and ICDS-III Project in Kerala, Maharashtra, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Orissa & Uttaranchal and also including training component (UDISHA) throughout the country have been under implementation, Financial assistance provided by the World Bank on account of these Projects is as follows:-

(US\$ MILLION)

Project	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04
ICDS-II	32.93	15.98	Nil
ICDS APER Nil	38.34	17.58	
ICDS-ffl	33.31	60.88	1.66
Total	66.24	115.20	19.24

(b),(c)&(d) State-wise details of funds released for ICDS (General), World Bank assisted ICDS Projects and Training of ICDS functionaries (Udisha) are given in Annexures-I to III. Number of projects sanctioned and operationalised state-wise and year-wise for the last three years is given in Annexure-IV. Funds remaining unutilized in a financial year are utilized in the subsequent year.