GOVERNMENT OF INDIA YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1424 ANSWERED ON:26.02.2003 NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME AMBATI BRAHMANAIAH

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the agencies which implement National Service Scheme in the country, State-wise;

(b) the details of funds allocated under this scheme during each of the last three years, till date;

(c) the details of funds released/utilised and remained unspent during the said period, State-wise;

(d) the reasons for the funds not utilised in some States;

(e) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to ensure that such funds are properly utilised; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI VIKRAM VERMA)

(a) National Service Scheme (NSS) is being implemented by the Universities through institutions and affiliated collegesAt the +2 level schools, it is being implemented through the State School Councils/Boards covering all the States and Union Territory administrations.

(b) Details of funds allocated under the Scheme are as under:-

2000-01 2001-02 2002-03

3065 lakh 3285 lakh 3144 lakh

(c) Details of funds released/utilized and remained unspent during the said period, are annexed.

(d) NSS is a centrally sponsored scheme and the pattern of sharing expenditure is in the ratio of 3:1 in the case of North Eastern States including Sikkim and Himachal Pradesh and otherhilly areas as notified by the Planning Commission and 7:5 in the case of other States/Union Territories. In case of Jammu & Kashmir and Union Territories without legislatures, the entire expenditure is met by the Central Government.

The 1st instalment of the Central Share is released to the States/U.Ts in the last quarter of the preceding year. The State Government is supposed to release its matching share to the Universities/Colleges by the 30th of May. A ssome States are facing severe resources crunch, they are not able to release their share timely. This leads to unspent balance at the end of the year.

Another reason for the high level of unspent balance is accumulation of funds over a number of years.

(e) & (f): The Ministry has been pursuing the matter with the States and has decided to proportionately reduce the share of central grant in a manner so that the unspent balance gets adjusted and the activities of NSS also do not suffer due to non release of funds.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1424 FOR 26.02 REGARDING NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

DETAILS OF FUNDS RELEASED/UTILISED AND REMAINED UNSPENT DURING THREE YEARS (STATE-WISE)

STATE/Uts Funds Unspent Funds Unspent Funds Unspent rel. Balance released Balance Balance Balance (AS on 31.3.01) (AS on 31.3.02) (UPTO 5.2.03) (AS on 31.3.03)

1 ANDHRA PRADESH 2,35,08,333 98,322 2,34,10,011 NIL 1,88,77,500 -2 ASSAM NIL NIL NIL NIL -3 ARUNACHAL PR 3,90,000 NIL 1,83,750 91,875 7,40,775 -4 BIHAR NIL 1,48,18,514 19,54,385 1,71,88,982 NIL 5 JHARKHAND NIL NIL 54,25,000 99,00,825 44,75,625 - 6 GUJARAT 1,36,52,917 4,02,94000 NIL NIL NIL -7 GOA 12,65,833 53,231 17,01,871 NIL 27,12,500 -8 HARYANA 97,65,000 8,63,333 NIL NIL NIL -9 HIMACHAL PR. 84,90,000 - 30,10,913 NIL NIL -10 J & K 16,50,000 30,69,700 NIL NIL NIL 11 KARNATAKA 2,53,16,667 1,55,26,615 1,09,44,385 62,38,334 2,44,12,500 -12 KERALA 1,53,70,833 NIL 1,80,83,333 27,12,503 1,71,79,164 -13 MADHYA PRADESH 1,62,75,000 1,36,79,307 62,37,422 91,95,004 64,84,938 -
 14 CHHATISGARH NIL
 NIL
 40,41,795
 4,03,418
 39,72,749

 15 MANIPUR
 24,00,000
 NIL
 7,70,000
 20,54,250
 16 MAHARASHTRA 3,97,83,333 2,18,05563 1,43,61,104 2,40,63,049 1,87,48,107 -17 MEGHALAYA 7,70,000 - NIL NIL NIL

 18
 NAGALAND 2,88,750 NIL
 NIL
 NIL
 9,90,000

 19
 MIZORAM
 51,00,000 34,63,750 19,23,662 NIL
 57,12,588

 20
 ORISSA
 1,49,18,750 3,21,25,555 55,65,244 2,36,04,805 1,11,89,063
 21 PUNJAB 1,05,87,500 2,30,43,949 NIL 1,70,75,865 1,17,64,998 -22 RAJASTHAN 1,71,79,167 1,88,72,146 77,05,881 85,96,839 1,43,26,254 -23 SIKKIM 9,90,000 - 3,84,249 NIL 20,04,600 -

 24
 TAMILNADU 3,07,41,667 42,22,317 2,95,93,516 43,56,508 3,28,40,909

 25
 TRIPURA 36,00,000 NIL 51,00,000 NIL 51,00,000

 26
 UTTAR PRADESH 2,91,86,500 5,91,51,193 75,44,375 4,83,28,272 NIL

 27
 UTTAR PRADESH 1,91,86,500 5,91,51,193 75,44,375 4,83,28,272 NIL
 27 UTTRANCHAL NIL NIL 85,46,945 25,13,001 71,32,866 -28 WEST BENGAL 88,60,833 - 31,56,926 31,56,926 73,10,188 -29 A & NICOBAR 99,000 - NIL NIL NIL -30 CHANDIGARH 20,15,000 - 7,59,500 NIL NIL -31 UT OF DELHI NIL NIL NIL NIL NIL -32 PONDICHERRY 12,65,833 1,96,700 8,07,500 NIL 8,00,000 -

 33 LAKSHADWEEP 56,100
 NIL
 NIL
 NIL

 34 D & N HAVELI 1,24,000 59,675
 NIL
 1,40,668

 35 DAMAN & DIU 2,04,600 86,800
 59,290
 2,04,600