

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOME AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:697  
ANSWERED ON:29.02.2000  
FREEDOM FIGHTERS PENSION  
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of Freedom Fighters receiving pension and railway concession during the last three years, State-wise;
- (b) the amount of pension released and Railway fare reimbursed during the last three years, State-wise;
- (c) the number of new cases of FF Pension sanctioned during the last three years, State-wise;
- (d) the number of Freedom Fighters between 50 to 60 years of age applied for pension during the said period, State-wise; and
- (e) the number of cases out of total sanctioned during the last three years, state-wise?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a) & (b): Information about the amount of pension released and the Railway fare reimbursed during the last three years is given below :-

(Rs. in crores)

	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99
Amount of pension released	131.98	177.52	177.79
Amount of Railway fare reimbursed	54.73	51.37	55.00

State-wise information is not maintained in this regard.

(c): A Statement containing the requisite information is enclosed (Annexure).

(d) & (e) No such information is maintained.

**ANNXURE**

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART(C) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 697 FOR 29.2 REGARDING FREEDOM FIGHTERS PENSION; STATEWISE DETAILS OF CASES IN WHICH SAMMAN PENSION HAS SANCTIONED DURING 1996-97, 1997-98, AND 1998-99.

	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99
1. ANDHRA PRADESH	91	28	47
2. ARUNACHAL PRADESH	00	00	00
3. ASSAM	16	00	90
4. BIHAR	45	168	39

5. GOA	00	00	00
6. GUJARAT	05	00	01
7 HARYANA	25	06	05
8. HIMACHAL PRADESH	15	04	05
9. JAMMU & KASHMIR	03	20	03
10. KARNATAKA	24	08	05
11. KERALA	06	06	27
12. MADHYA PRADESH	07	07	08
13. MAHARASHTRA	33	19	04
14. MANIPUR	00	00	00
15. MEGHALAYA	00	00	00
16. MIZORAM	00	00	00
17. NAGALAND	00	00	00
18. ORISSA	08	05	02
19. PUNJAB	20	16	68
20. RAJASTHAN	04	04	05
21. SIKKIM	00	00	00
22. TAMIL NADU	06	06	05
23. TRIPURA	00	00	00
24. UTTAR PRADESH	31	23	11
25. WEST BENGAL	05	10	28
26. A & N ISLANDS	00	00	01
27. CHANDIGARH	00	00	00
28. NCT OF DELHI	01	06	02
29. INA	121	152	175
30. PONDICHERY	00	00	02

TOTAL : 466 488 533