

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE  
LOK SABHA**

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DFID ASSISTANCE  
ANANTA NAYAK

**Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the States which are getting Department for International Development(DFID) fund/loan assistance;
- (b) the amount of loan assistance received by each of those States during each of the last three years;
- (c) the purpose for which DFID loan/assistance obtained by those States; and( d ) the extent to which the fund has been utilised by those States ?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI ANANDRAO V. ADSUL)

(a) to (d): The States which have received assistance provided by the Department for International Development(DFID) of the Government of United Kingdom during the last three years are Andhra Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Orissa, Rajasthan and West Bengal. The assistance received and utilised by these States during each of the last three years is given below:-

(Rs. In crores)

S.No. Name of the State 2000-01 2001-02 2002-03

1 Andhra Pradesh 76.03 503.78 169.17

2. Himachal Pradesh 1.52 2.36 00

3. Karnataka 00.00 00.00 6.31

4. Kerala 11.78 20.04 00.00

5. Orissa 2.80 15.51 263.67

6. Rajasthan 32.52 55.17 69.38

7 West Bengal 33.35 46.77 58.34

The above mentioned assistance was received and utilised by these States for implementing development projects mainly relating to education, health and family welfare, environment and forests, rural development, urban poverty, energy efficiency and economic reforms.