

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINORITY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2485
ANSWERED ON:17.08.2006
MAULANA AZAD EDUCATION FOUNDATION
Chavan Shri Harischandra Deoram

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the schemes implemented by the Mauiana Azad Education;
- (b) the funds released by the Government to the foundation during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (c) the funds allocated/sanctioned to Non- Governmental Organizations (NGOs) Local Bodies by the foundation under its various schemes during the said period,scheme-wise, NGO/Local Body-wise and State/ Union Territory-wise;
- (d) the funds actually utilized by these NGOs/Local Bodies under the said Scheme during the said period, scheme-wise and State/Union Territory-wise; and
- (e) the measures taken by the foundation for proper utilisation of funds?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE MINORITY AFFAIRS (SHRI A.R. ANTULAY):

(a) The following schemes are being implemented by Maulana Azad Education Foundation:-

1. Financial assistance to establish/expand schools/residential schools/colleges;
2. Financial assistance for purchase of laboratory equipments and furniture;
3. Financial assistance for setting up/strengthening Vocational/Technical Training Centres/Institutes;
4. Financial assistance for construction of hostel buildings.
5. Maulana Azad National Scholarship for Meritorious Girl Students;
6. Maulana Azad Sadbhawna Kendras:
7. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad Literacy Award.

(b) The details of funds released by the Government to the foundation are as under:-

SI.No. Year Amount {Rs. in crores)

1. 2002-2003 2.10

2. 2003-2004 1.65

3 2004-2005 1.00

4 2005-2006 29.99

(c) State/Union Territory and Non-Governmental Organisations/Local body-wise funds released by Maulana Azad Education Foundation is given in the enclosed statement.

(d) and (e) Funds are released in two instalments by the Foundation. Second instalment is released on receipt of utilization certification. Spot inspection is also conducted. Project Monitoring Committee monitors the progress of the Project.