GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2193 ANSWERED ON:12.12.2008 SALARIES OF ANGANWADI WORKERS Kharventhan Shri Salarapatty Kuppusamy

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that a number of women who have started Anganwadis under ICDS Scheme in various parts of the country are not getting their salaries for the last many months;

(b) if so,the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and

(c) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY)

(a): The Integrated Child Development Services I.C.D.S. Scheme, a 100% Centrally Sponsored Scheme is implemented through the States and Union Territories and not through any individual of organization.Based on the Statement of Expenditure furnished by the States/UTs, the Government of India releases funds to the States/UTs to meet the expenditure on the implementation of the Scheme.

(b) & (c): Does not arise.