

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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

- (a): the budgetary allocation and utilisation of funds under the National Nutrition Mission for the years 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11, year-wise;
- (b): whether Government is treating funding under National Nutrition Mission as the priority sector lending; and
- (c): if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA TIRATH)

(a) to (c) : Budgetary allocation of Rs.1(one) crore each was made for National Nutrition Mission during 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11. However, no expenditure has been incurred out of the amount allocated for the Mission.

The National Nutrition Mission is not a specific programme/scheme envisaging or relating to lending.