

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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ASSISTANCE TO FIGHT NAXALISM

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of assistance provided to the State Governments to fight against naxalism;
- (b) whether requests received from the State Governments regarding financial assistance are still pending; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI AJAY MAKEN)

(a) to (c): Central Government provides funds to the State Governments to deal with the problem of Left Wing Extremism under Security Related Expenditure (SRE) Scheme, Modernization of State Police Forces (MPF) Scheme and Special Infrastructure Scheme (SIS). The detail of funds provided to the State Governments during the last two years are given below:-

Scheme Funds released (Rs. In crore)

2008-2009 2009-2010

MPF 515.08 578.61

SRE 80.00 60.00

SIS 99.99 30.00