

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
PLANNING  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2297  
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FUNDS PROVIDED TO GUJARAT UNDER CENTRAL SCHEMES  
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**Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:**

- (a) the funds provided by Central Government to Gujarat under various Central Schemes during the last two years;
- (b) whether the said funds have been utilized for which the same have been sanctioned;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) whether the Union Government is making any provision for proper utilization of funds for these development schemes for which the funds have been sanctioned; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCES (DR. ASHWANI KUMAR)

(d) to (e): The funds provided by the Central Government under various Central Schemes to Gujarat were Rs. 3589.50 crore (2009-10) and Rs. 4434.00 crore (2010-11). These funds were released by the State Government to implementing departments/ agencies. As regards the provision of proper utilization of funds for the development schemes necessary directions are laid down in the sanction letters issued by the administrative Ministries/ departments to the implementing agencies. Besides, the progress of the schemes/ projects is monitored regularly through Progress Reports, Utilization Certificates/ audit reports and field visits.