## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:331 ANSWERED ON:16.12.2011 SCHEMES FOR ADOLESCENT GIRLS Paswan Shri Kamlesh ;Rajesh Shri M. B.

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

(a) the status of Kishori Shakti Yojana (KSY) and Rajiv Gandhi Scheme for Empowerment of Adolescent Girls (RGSEAG)-SABLA to address multidimensional problems of adolescent girls during the last three years and the current year;

(b) whether the Government proposes to include more components in these schemes and if so, the details thereof; (

(c) the funds sanctioned and released and its utilisation reported by the State Governments during the said period for the purpose;

(d) whether the Government has received any complaints of corruption / irregularities under these schemes; and

(e) if so, the details thereof along with the action taken thereon?

## Answer

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

(a) to (e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 331 FOR 16.12.2011 ON SCHEME FOR ADOLESCENT GIRLS BY SHRI KAMLESH PASWAN AND SHRI M.B.RAJESH

(a) & (b): Kishori Shakti Yojana (KSY) was introduced by the Ministry of Women and Child Development in the year 2000 for addressing the needs of self development, nutrition and health status, literacy and numerical skills, vocational skills, etc. of 11 to 18 years Adolescent Girls. The scheme was extended to 6118 Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) projects in the year 2005.

In 2010-11, the Government introduced Rajiv Gandhi Scheme for Empowerment of Adolescent Girls - Sabla, a comprehensive scheme for the development of 11-18 years adolescent girls in 200 districts across the country. Sabla has replaced KSY in these 200 districts. However, at present, KSY is being implemented in 4194 projects in the Non - Sabla districts.

(c): Funds released and its utilisation under these schemes as reported by the State Governments/UT Administrations during last three years and the current year is as under:

(Rs. in crores)

Year KSY Sabla Funds Funds Funds Funds released Utilised released Utilised

2008-09 52.25 50.94 Scheme was introduced in 2010-11 2009-10 37.05 35.54 2010-11 33.64 23.47 296.73 44.28 2011-12 23.06 7.36 489.32 90.21

(d): The Government has not received any complaints of corruption/irregularities under these schemes.

(e): Question does not arise, in view of (d).