## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3065 ANSWERED ON:24.04.2012 DEVELOPMENT IN NER Ering Shri Ninong;Tanwar Shri Ashok;Toppo Shri Joseph

## Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the schemes/programmes under implementation for infrastructural development in the North Eastern States;

(b) the details of funds earmarked, sanctioned, utilised and otherwise provided thereunder during each of the last three years;

(c) whether the Government proposes to review the performance of the schemes/ programmes under implementation in these States; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

## Answer

The Minister of State (Independent Charge) in the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (Shri Paban Singh Ghatowar)

(a) and (b) Planning Commission finalises annual plans of various States, including that of North Eastern States in consultation with concerned State Governments. Size of each year's plan is finalised based on available resources of States (State's own funds, borrowings and any other resources) and available Central Assistance. A statement indicating Annual Plan outlays / actual expenditure during 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12 to enable State Governments to take up priority projects across sectors and to meet resource gap in Plan for North Eastern States is given at Annexure.

Grants-in-aid to North Eastern State Governments are also released under the Non Lapsable Central Pool of Resources (NLCPR) Scheme by Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region. Details of schemes/programmes implemented by Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (including North Eastern Council) and Budget Estimates for these schemes during last three years and expenditure thereunder is given below:

(Rs. in crore)

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Scheme/ Programme 2009-10 2010-11 2011-12
Funds Funds Funds Funds Funds
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Non Lapsable Central 700.00 668.62 800.00 805.78 800.00 798.99 Pool of Resources (NLCPR) Scheme

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Special Package for Bodol 50.00 3.15 50.00 50.00 50.00 50.00 and Territorial Council
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NLCPR - Central Started from 2012-13

North Eastern Council 624.00 620.99 700.00 678.30 700.00 688.18

(c) and (d) Performance of projects sanctioned under the schemes is reviewed regularly through various periodical reports and utilization certificates, quarterly progress reports etc. Performance is also reviewed during meeting with State Government officers.