GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1178 ANSWERED ON:05.03.2013 ASSISTANCE UNDER SCSP Vishwanath Shri Adagur H

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the budget allocation/financial assistance provided to Karnataka and the amount released/utilised under the Scheduled Castes Sub-Plan (SCSP) during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (b) whether the Union Government would commensurately increase the amount under the plan in view of rise in SC population in Karnataka; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRIP. BALRAM NAIK)

(a) Details of State Plan outlay and allocation and expenditure of funds under Scheduled Caste Sub Plan(SCSP) in respect of Karnataka, as informed by the Planning Commission, is given below:

(Rs.in Crore)

S.No Year State Plan Outlay SCSP Outlay SCSP Expenditure

1 2009-10 29500.00 3640.30 2457.46

2 2010-11 31050.00 3866.59 2926.01

3 2011-12 38070.00 4632.99 4632.99

4 2012-13 42030.00 5152.00 Not Available

(b) and (c) As per the Guidelines issued by the Planning Commission to the State/UTs in 2005, the earmarking of the funds under SCSP needs to be in proportion to the Scheduled Caste population of the States.