

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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CONTRIBUTION TO UNICEF  
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**Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether there is any provision in her Ministry for meeting the expenditure of the country's contribution to the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) and administrative expenditure of its office in New Delhi; and

(b) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b): There is a provision for expenditure of the country's contribution in the Ministry of Women & Child Development to UNICEF. Accordingly, the Ministry of Women & Child Development has released the contribution to UNICEF for the last three years as per the following details:

Sl.No. Year Contribution to UNICEF (in Rs)

1 2009 Rs.3,80,00,000

2 2010 Rs.3,80,00,000

3 2011 Rs.3,80,00,000

4 2012 Rs.3,80,00,000 (To be released)

There is no provision of financial assistance in the Ministry of Women & Child Development towards administrative expenses of UNICEF's office at New Delhi.