

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5672
ANSWERED ON:30.04.2013
FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR STRENGTHENING NARCOTIC UNITS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government provides financial assistance to the States for strengthening their enforcement capabilities for combating illicit trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances;
- (b) if so, the quantum of assistance provided for the said purpose during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (c) whether a number of States are yet to be covered under this scheme; and
- (d) if so ,the details thereof along with the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

- (a): Yes, Sir. The Union Government provides financial assistance to the states for strengthening their enforcement capabilities for combating illicit trafficking in narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances.
- (b): State-wise details is at Annexure – A.
- (c) to (d): The details is at Annexure – B.