

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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FUNDS FOR ROAD SAFETY ACTIVITIES
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government provide funds to States/UTs for road safety measures/activities;
- (b) if so, the details of the funds provided to States/UTs and utilised for the purpose during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (c) whether the Government has any mechanism to check proper utilisation of the said funds; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI SARVEY SATHYANARAYANA)

- (a) & (b) Ministry of Road Transport & Highways provides financial assistance to States/ UTs for setting up of Institute of Driving Training & Research. The details of funds provided to States / UTs during the last three years and current year is at Annexure.
- (c) & (d) Central Institute of Road Transport, Pune has been appointed as Technical Consultant under the scheme to appraise the proposals, assist the States in their proper execution and monitor the progress. In addition, the Ministry reviews the progress of the sanctioned projects from time to time.