GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1162 ANSWERED ON:28.07.2015 Scheme for Women Koli Shri Bahadur Singh

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

- (a) whether the Government has launched/is considering to launch any scheme for upliftment and development of women belonging to SC/OBC community;
- (b) if so, the details and objectives of the said scheme and the quantum of funds allocated by the Government thereunder; and
- (c) the number of women benefitted so far, particularly in the State of Rajasthan during the last one year, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

(SHRI KRISHAN PAL GURJAR)

(a) In respect of SC community, National Scheduled Castes Finance and Development Corporation (NSFDC), inter-alia, provides concessional loans to the eligible beneficiaries belonging to Scheduled Caste (SC) through State Channelising Agencies (SCAs) nominated by respective State Governments / UT Administration.

NSFDC has launched the following schemes exclusively for women belonging to SC:

- (i) MahilaSamriddhiYojana (MSY)
- (ii) MahilaKisanYojana (MKY)
- (iii) NariAarthikSashtrikaranYojana (NASY)

For the OBCs, the National Backward Classes Finance & Development Corporation (NBCFDC) provides loans for eligible women beneficiaries of Other Backward Classes through State Channelising Agencies (SCAs) under following schemes:-

- i) New Swarnima
- ii) MahilaSamriddhiYojana
- (b) & (c) The details are annexed as Annexure-I, Annexure-II, Annexure-III, Annexure-IV and Annexure-V.