## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1967 ANSWERED ON:31.07.2015 Scheme for Adolescent Girls Dhruvanarayana Shri Rangaswamy

## Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has launched/proposes to launch any scheme to provide health check-ups, counseling for nutrition, personnel-hygiene management and skill development training to out-of-school adolescent girls including SC/ST girls;
(b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise including Madhya Pradesh; and
(c) the time by which the said scheme is likely to be launched?

## Answer

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI)

(a): The 'Rajiv Gandhi Scheme for Empowerment of Adolescent Girls (RGSEAG)-'Sabla', a Centrally-sponsored scheme is being implemented in 205 districts across the country since 2010, which includes 15 districts viz. Sheopur, Rajgarh, Sidhi, Neemuch, Jhabua, Tikamgarh, Rewa, Bhind, Damoh, Indore, Sagar, Jabalpur, Bhopal, Betul, Balaghat in Madhya Pradesh.

Under the non-nutrition component of the scheme Sabla, services viz. Health check-ups, Nutrition & Health Education (NHE) including counseling on nutrition, health & personnel-Hygiene management and skill development training etc. are provided to out of school girls of 11-18 years (including SC/ST girls).

(b): State/UT-wise details, including Madhya Pradesh, are at Annexure-1.

(c): Question does not arise in view of (a).

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