

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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EDUCATIONAL PROJECTS

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any review has been conducted by the Government regarding progress of every operational/pending educational projects in the country including Jharkhand during the last three years and the current year till date; and

(b) if so, the details of funds allocated/released by the Union Government along with the funds spent by State Governments for such approved/ pending projects during the said period project-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a): Educational projects being implemented in the country including Jharkhand are reviewed while formulating Five Year Plans. Thereafter it is also reviewed time to time as per the guidelines of the scheme. Recent review was taken while formulating the XII Five Year Plan. Major programmes such as Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA), Mid Day Meal (MDM) and Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan (RMSA) are reviewed twice every year by Joint Review Mission (JRM). Rashtriya Uchchar Shiksha Abhiyan has been launched only recently (10th October, 2013), therefore, no review has taken place.

(b): States submit projects/scheme wise demands which, after appropriate appraisals, are approved. Amounts are released after receipt of utilisation certificates of earlier releases as per extant rules. The funds released under various Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) during the last three years by Ministry of Human Resource Development are as under:

S.No Name of Project Fund released to States (Rs. in crore)
2011-12 2012-13 2013-14

1. Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan	20775.38	23836.55	23717.89
2. Saakshar Bharat	456.04	362.82	297.26
3. Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan	2495.90	3162.87	3037.10
4. Mid Day Meal	9890.72	10858.16	10927.22
5. Setting up of Polytechnics (Existing/New)	646.34	520.79	2568.39
6. Rashtriya Uchchar Shiksha Abhiyan	0.00	0.00	320.21
7. Other Projects/ Schemes	3084.50	2517.97	4126.55