

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 644**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 19<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2017/ AGRAHAYANA 28, 1939 (SAKA)**

**NIRBHAYA FUND**

**644. DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE:**

**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Union Government has set up Nirbhaya Fund for the compensation and welfare of rape victims;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the total funds granted and allocated therein during the last five years, State-wise;**
- (c) whether the Union Government has granted any amount to the States including Maharashtra from the Nirbhaya Fund;**
- (d) if so, the details thereof during the said period, State-wise;**
- (e) whether the Government has set up any mechanism to monitor the utilisation of these funds by the State Governments and if so, the details thereof; and**
- (f) the reasons for spending a meagre amount of this fund during the said period?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)**

**(a) to (f): Ministry of Finance, Government of India has set up a dedicated fund called "Nirbhaya Fund" in 2013 for implementation of initiatives aimed at enhancing the safety and security for women in the country. It is a non-lapsable corpus fund. The information on the funds allocated to various States/UTs under**

**Nirbhaya Fund are placed at Annexure-I & II. It is mentioned that the funds allocated to the State of Maharashtra is 735.47 Lakh till date. There is an Empowered Committee setup by Government of India which is an inter-ministerial Committee for appraising, recommending and reviewing various proposals/projects proposed by different Ministries/Departments/ States. As per Section 357A of Cr.P.C., every State Government, in co-ordination with the Central Government shall prepare a Victim Compensation Scheme (VCS) for providing funds for the purpose of compensation to the victim or his or her dependents who have suffered loss or injury as a result of the crime and who require rehabilitation. All States/UTs have notified their VCS, which include compensation to rape victims. Under the Central Victim Compensation Fund (CVCF) scheme, financial assistance of Rs. 200 crore, as a component of Nirbhaya Fund, has been released by the Ministry of Home Affairs to all States/UTs as one time grant in 2016-17 to support their respective Victim Compensation Scheme including the State of Maharashtra. Under CVCF, a sum of Rs. three lakhs is compensated to the affected individual (victim) in rape cases. The details of Central Victim Compensation Fund (CVCF) scheme are available in the Ministry of Home Affairs' website [www.mha.nic.in](http://www.mha.nic.in). A statement showing details of allocation made to different States/UTs under CVCF, including the State of Maharashtra, is attached at Annexure III.**

**ANNEXURE-I****L.S.US.Q.NO.644 FOR 19.12.2017**

Sl. No.		2013-14 (Rs. in Cr.)	2014-15 (Rs. in Cr.)	2015-16 (Rs. in Cr.)	2016-17 (Rs. in Cr.)	2017-18 (Rs. in Cr.)
1.	Fund allotted under "Nirbhaya Fund" till date by Government of India.	1000.00	1000.00	Nil	550	550
2 [A]		Status of Funds released under " <b>Other Schemes Funded from Nirbhaya Fund</b> ".				Status of funds released (Rs. in Cr.)
		1.	Rajasthan			2.53
		2.	Haryana			0.76
		3.	Andhra Pradesh			0.75
		4.	Gujarat			0.76
		5.	Mizoram			0.36
		6.	Chhattisgarh			7.16
		7.	Karnataka			0.56
		8.	Madhya Pradesh [ Smart and safe cities free from Violence against Women and Girls programme]			1.05
		9	Uttrakhand [Safety and Security of Women]			0.32
		10	Nagaland [Nirbhaya Shelter Home]			2.56
		11.	One Stop Centre			67.57
		12.	Women Helpline			20.95
			<b>Total</b>			<b>Rs. 105.33 Cr.*</b>

2. [B]	Proposals appraised/approved along with total project cost and Expenditure incurred.	Projects	Project cost as appraised by EC so far (Rs. in Cr.)	Expenditure incurred till date (Rs. in Cr.)
		1 <b>Railways</b> Integrated Emergency Response Management System(IERMS)	500.00	50.00
		2 <b>MeITY</b> Emergency Alarm based safety device for cars and buses- MeITY	3.5	2.44
		3 <b>WCD</b> Abhaya Project- A.P.	138.49	58.64
		4 <b>MoRTH</b> Women safety in Public transport- UPSRTC	83.50	40.20
		5 <b>MoRTH</b> Safety Initiatives by Bengaluru Metropolitan Transport- Karnataka	56.06	
		6 <b>MHA</b> Emergency Response Support System (ERSS)	321.69	262.00
		7 <b>MHA</b> Cyber Crime Prevention against Women and Children	195.83	82.00
		8 <b>MHA</b> Corpus to supplement States/UTS for Victim Compensation	200.00	200.00
		9 Govt. of Odisha Safe City Project in Bhubaneswar	110.35	0
		10 <b>MHA**</b> Investigative Unit for Crime Against Women	324.00	0
		11 <b>MHA</b> Organized Crime Investigative Agency	83.20	0
		12 <b>MHA</b> Delhi Police Special Unit for Women & Children	23.53	2.35
		13 <b>MHA</b> Delhi Police Hiring of professional counselors	5.07	0.05
		14 Mahila Police Volunteers	17.12	10.35
		15 Rajasthan	10.20	2.76
		16 Nagaland	2.84	2.55
		17 Madhya Pradesh Safety of Women	1.74	1.05
		18 Uttarakhand Safety of women	0.72	0.32
		<b>Total</b>	<b>Rs. 2077.84 Cr.</b>	<b>Rs. 714.71 Cr.</b>

\*\* : Project dropped

\* Most of the projects to be implemented /continued by / up to 2020.

**A. The details of funds Allocated Under Nirbhaya Fund on different schemes**

The details of Total Funds Allocated under Nirbhaya Fund till date is as under:

2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
1000 Cr.	1000 Cr.	NIL	550 Cr.	550 Cr.

**B The details of Funds released under Nirbhaya Fund under different schemes is as under:  
(Figures in Rs. Lakhs)**

Sl. No.	State Government	Districts in which is being implemented	Funds released		
			2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
[A]	Mahila Police Volunteers (MPVs)				
1.	Government of Haryana	Karnal and Mahendragarh	-	77.00	-
2.	Government of Andhra Pradesh	Anantapur and Kadapa	-	75.00	-
3.	Govt. of Gujarat	Surat and Ahmedabad	-	-	76.00
4.	Govt. of Mizoram	Aizwal and Lunglei	-	-	35.00
5.	Govt. of Chhattisgarh	Korea and Durg	-	-	715.00
6.	Govt. of Karnataka	Gulbarga and Belgaum	-	-	56.00
7.	Govt. of Madhya Pradesh	Morena and Vidisha	-	-	30.00
	<b>Total</b>		-	<b>152.00</b>	<b>912.00</b>
[B]	Smart and Safe City/Shelter Homes/Women Empowerment Projects etc.				
	State Governments		<b>2015-16</b>	<b>2016-17</b>	<b>2017-18</b>
1.	Govt. of Madhya Pradesh		-	-	105.00
2.	Govt. of Utrakhand		-	-	32.00
3.	Govt. of Nagaland		-	-	255.00
4.	Chirali Proposal, Govt. of Rajsathan		-	23.00	253.00
5.	Abhya Project, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh		-	-	5864.00
6.	UPSRTC Govt. of Uttar Pradesh		-	-	4020.00
	<b>Total</b>		-	<b>23.00</b>	<b>10529.00</b>

[C]	One Stop Centres				
	Name of the States/UTs		2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
			Funds released in Lakhs		
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands		13.19	-	31.20
2.	Andhra Pradesh		13.19	268.97	330.13
3	Arunachal Pradesh		13.19	28.41	53.00
4	Assam		38.84	75.65	-
5	Bihar		13.19	198.90	-
6	Chandigarh		13.19	-	-
7	Chhattisgarh		48.30	734.27	146.08
8	Dadra Nagar Haveli		43.37	-	-
9	Daman & Diu		45.88	-	10.84
10	Goa		45.88	19.41	-
11	Gujarat		45.88	38.82	-
12	Haryana		36.41	116.48	38.30
13	Himachal Pradesh		37.68	-	15.00
14	Jammu & Kashmir		45.88	95.65	87.52
15	Jharkhand		10.26	56.82	18.47
16	Karnataka		45.88	85.24	-
17	Kerala		45.08	113.65	-
18	Madhya Pradesh		45.88	773.04	-
19	Maharashtra		45.88	213.55	413.34
20	Manipur		12.89	-	-
21	Meghalaya		13.19	28.41	7.75
22	Mizoram		37.68	-	26.10
23	Nagaland		45.88	55.41	65.41
24	Odisha		10.28	15.00	-
25	Puducherry		37.00	-	19.41
26	Punjab		43.82	97.07	204.58
27	Rajasthan		12.12	346.24	-
28	Sikkim		45.88	-	-
29	Tamil Nadu		45.88	-	-
30	Telangana		45.88	155.31	48.69
31	Tripura		45.88	-	-
32	Uttar Pradesh		45.88	454.63	-
33	Uttarakhand		13.19	58.24	114.51
	Total		1102.49	4029.60	1630.33

[D]	Universalization of Women Helpline				
			Funds released in Lakhs		
			2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
1	Andhra Pradesh		51.58	-	-
2	Odisha		28.86	-	30.16
3	Chhattisgarh		51.58	37.91	63.64
4	Sikkim		47.25	-	-
5	Uttarakhand		43.10	-	46.79
6	Arunachal Pradesh		49.70	-	59.50
7	Kerala		51.58	-	-
8	Delhi		49.78	-	-
9	Telangana		28.86	-	-
10	Andaman & Nicobar		17.00	-	-
11	Chandigarh		17.00	-	89.31
12	Nagaland		49.70	29.11	42.25
13	Mizoram		51.08	-	85.20
14	Jammu & Kashmir		51.58	-	-
15	Gujarat		62.70	-	-
16	Uttar Pradesh		62.70	-	40.11
17	Jharkhand		34.54	-	-
18	Bihar		62.70	-	38.07
19	Meghalaya		49.70	-	-
20	Himachal Pradesh		49.70	-	-
21	Tripura		49.70	-	-
22	Karnataka		62.70	-	-
23	Haryana		51.58	-	-
24	Manipur		49.70	-	-
25	West Bengal		62.70	-	-
26	Tamil Nadu		62.70	-	-
27	Madhya Pradesh		62.70	-	-
28	Rajasthan		62.70	-	-
29	Daman & Diu		17.00	-	34.08
30	Maharashtra		62.70	-	-
31	Assam		34.54	-	-
32	Punjab		28.86	-	-
33	Goa		27.90	-	-
	Total		1,546.17	67.02	528.98

**Funds Released to Maharashtra Rs. 735.47 Lakh.**

**Details of funds released to Maharashtra under Emergency Response System (ERSS), Cyber Crime Prevention against Women and Children(CCPWC), Central Victim Compention Fund(CVCF) are with MHA.**

**ANNEXURE III**  
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Amount allocated to States/UTs is as under	
Name of States	Amount allocated & Released (In Lakh)
Andhra Pradesh	662
Arunachal Pradesh	33
Assam	860
Bihar	722
Chhattisgarh	685
Goa	50
Gujarat	390
Haryana	550
Himachal Pradesh	120
Jammu & Kashmir	170
Jharkhand	450
Karnataka	995
Kerala	760
Madhya Pradesh	2180
Maharashtra	1765
Manipur	34
Meghalaya	50
Mizoram	48
Nagaland	10
Odisha	1060
Punjab	410
Rajasthan	1545
Sikkim	23
Tamil Nadu	565
Telangana	590
Tripura	115
Uttar Pradesh	2810
Uttarakhand	125
West Bengal	1265
<b>TOTAL STATE(S)</b>	<b>19042</b>
A & N Islands	15
Chandigarh	23
D&N Haveli	10
Daman & Diu	10
Delhi UT	880
Lakshadweep	10
Puducherry	10
Total UT(s)	958
Total (States + UTs)	2000

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