

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3786**

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 17TH MARCH, 2020/PHALGUNA 27, 1941 (SAKA)

ASSISTANCE UNDER NDRF

3786. SHRI RAVNEET SINGH BITTU:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the funds demanded and the funds disbursed to various States/UTs in the country under the National Disaster Response Fund (NDRF) during the last three years, year and State/UT-wise;

(b) the details of the States/UTs which have not fully utilised these NDRF funds during the said period, year-wise;

(c) whether the Government intends to develop any mechanism for proper and quick assessment and timely delivery of the NDRF funds to the States to ensure its correct utilisation and distribution; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI NITYANAND RAI)**

(a) & (b): Financial assistance is provided from National Disaster Response Fund (NDRF), as per laid down procedure. State-wise details of assistance sought and releases from NDRF during the year 2017-18 to 2019-20 (as on 29.02.2020) are given in Annexure.

As per the scheme of NDRF each State Government is responsible to ensure that the expenditure incurred out of the funds received under the NDRF is in accordance with the norms approved by the Central Government. The State Accountant General is required to monitor the expenditure as per the items and norms of assistance. The Comptroller and Auditor General of India conducts audit

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of NDRF. All the States have reported full utilization of NDRF except partial utilization by the State Government of Andhra Pradesh (for cyclone 'titli' of 2018 & drought of 2018-19) and Kerala (for flood/ landslides of 2018-19).

(c) & (d): The Government of India has taken a significant decision on 19th August, 2019 that an Inter-Ministerial Central Team (IMCT) would be constituted immediately in the aftermath of any natural calamity of severe nature, even before receipt of Memorandum from the State, which would visit the affected areas of State so as to have the first hand assessment of the damages caused and relief work carried out by the State Administration. For timely delivery of NDRF, States have to ensure timely submission of detailed information/memorandum as per SDRF/NDRF guidelines, which are available on Ministry of Home Affairs' website: www.ndmindia.nic.in.

STATEMENT SHOWING STATE-WISE DETAILS OF ASSISTANCE SOUGHT AND FUND RELEASED FROM NATIONAL DISASTER RESPONSE FUND (NDRF) DURING THE YEAR 2017 TO 2019

(Rs. in crore)

Sl.No.	State	Assistance sought by State Government		Net Amount Released from NDRF
		Calamity	Amount	
1	2	3	4	5
2017-18				
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	Floods/Landslides 2017-18	2011.60	132.49
2.	Assam	Flood, 2017	4358.78	0.00#
3.	Bihar	Flood, 2017-18	7444.60	1363.48
4.	Andhra Pradesh	Flood, 2017-18	874.40	19.75
5.	Himachal Pradesh	Flood/Landslides/Cloudburst 2017-18	914.05	84.13
6.	Kerala	Cyclone 'Ockhi' 2017	431.37	133.00
7.	Manipur	Flood/Landslides, 2017	358.19	110.82
8.	Mizoram	Flood/Landslides, 2017	116.12	35.97
9.	Nagaland	Flash Flood/Flood/ Landslides 2017	750.62	65.26
10.	Rajasthan	Flood, 2017	1957.99	306.12
11.	Sikkim	Flood/Landslides 2017	245.80	54.93
12.	Tamil Nadu	Cyclone 'Ockhi' 2017	877.01	133.05
13.	Uttar Pradesh	Flood, 2017	862.82	119.67
14.	West Bengal	Flood, 2017	8867.66	324.78
2018-19				
1.	Andhra Pradesh	Cyclone 'Titli' 2018	1337.53	539.52
		Cyclone 'Phethai' 2018	161.96	82.65
2.	Assam	Flood 2018	2509.06	0.00#
3.	Himachal Pradesh	Flood/Landslide/Cloudburst 2018	1601.03	312.76
4.	Karnataka	Natural Calamities/Flood/Landslide 2018	575.15	525.22
5.	Kerala	Flood/Landslide 2018	5596.77	2904.85
6.	Manipur	Flood/Landslide 2018	165.94	0.00#
7.	Nagaland	Flash Flood/Flood/Landslide 2018	417.93	130.73
8.	Odisha	Cyclone/Storm Titli and Flood 2018	2751.72	341.72
9.	Tamil Nadu	Cyclone 'Ghaza' 2018	2715.29	900.31
10.	Tripura	Flood/Landslide 2018	805.92	171.74
11.	Uttar Pradesh	Flood, 2018	570.45	0.00#
2019-20				
1.	Assam	Flood/Landslides 2019	3237.76	0.00#
2.	Bihar	Flood, 2019	4183.32	400.00*
3.	Himachal Pradesh	Avalanches/Hailstorm and Landslide 2018-19	374.21	64.49
		Flood/Landslide/Cloudburst 2019	1141.14	283.97
4.	Karnataka	Floods/Landslides 2019	3894.57	1349.54
5.	Kerala	Flood/Landslide 2019	1624.09	.*
6.	Madhya Pradesh	Flood, 2019	6619.00	1712.14
7.	Maharashtra	Flood, 2019	2110.58	956.93
		Unseasonal/Heavy Rainfall, 2019	7207.79	.*
8.	Nagaland	Flash Flood/Flood/ Landslides 2019	303.97	.*
9.	Odisha	Cyclone 'Fani' 2019	5227.61	3114.46
		Cyclone Storm Bulbul 2019	219.02	.*
10.	Rajasthan	Flood, 2019	2645.86	.*
11.	Tripura	Flood/Landslide/Cyclone 2019	444.77	.*
12.	Uttar Pradesh	Flood, 2019	808.31	.*
13.	West Bengal	Cyclone 'Bulbul' 2019	7317.48	.*

Amount approved by the HLC from NDRF was less than the 50% of the balance available in the SDRF account. Hence, the net out go from the NDRF was "nil" to the State Government.

* Final decision on additional financial assistance under NDRF is under process as per established procedure.
