

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1692

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“Aadhaar Based Welfare Delivery Mechanism”

1692. Dr. A. SAMPATH:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- a) whether the World Bank in one of its report described Aadhaar based welfare delivery mechanism as transformational and if so, the details thereof;
- b) the total number of beneficiaries along with the total funds disbursed and saved by curbing leakage through direct cash transfer under various schemes linked with Aadhaar during the last three years and the current year, year-scheme-wise and Statewise; and
- c) the other steps taken by the Government to ensure the benefits of schemes linked to Aadhaar caters the actual beneficiary?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE

(SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL)

(a) to (c)

World Bank in its World Development Report 2016 in Chapter 3 (Delivering Services) in Spotlight 4 (Digital Identity) has recognized the use of aadhaar as a digital ID in India for implementing direct cash transfer programmes resulting in savings through reduced leakage and efficiency gains in government expenditures. Scheme-wise details of schemes, beneficiaries and the total amount disbursed upto March, 2015 since inception of the DBT and 2015-16 and 2016-17 (up to October, 2016) are given at **Annexure I, Annexure II and Annexure III respectively**. Details of savings through DBT are given in **Annexure IV**. Further, in order to ensure that the benefits of the schemes reach the actual beneficiaries, payments are made to the actual beneficiaries in their Aadhaar linked bank account through Aadhaar Payment Bridge (APB).

ANNEXURE I**Scheme-wise details of schemes, beneficiaries and total amount disbursed upto March 2015 since inception.**

Name of Ministry/Department	Name of Schemes	Total No of Beneficiaries(in thousands)	Total Amount(Rs. in crore)
Women and Child Development	Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY)	426.27	77.11
School Education & Literacy	National Scheme For Incentive For The Girl Child For Secondary Education	197.84	5.83
School Education & Literacy	National Means Cum Merit Scholarship	41.12	37.81
Higher Education	Fellowship Schemes of AICTE	45.85	397.72
Higher Education	Fellowship Schemes of UGC*	14.54	57.82
Higher Education	Kothari PDF in Sciences	0.47	14.00
Higher Education	NETJRF	13.93	79.94
Higher Education	EMERITUS	0.36	7.01
Higher Education	Post Doctoral – Fellowship for Women	0.41	10.03
Higher Education	BSR Doctoral Fellowship in Sciences	0.66	6.08
Higher Education	Scholarship To Universities /College Students	214.48	254.94
Health & Family Welfare	Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY)	593.80	127.08
Minority Affairs	Post Matric Scholarship Scheme For Minorities	948.44	411.27
Minority Affairs	Maulana Azad National Fellowship	3.22	118.24
Minority Affairs	Merit Cum Means Scholarship For Minorities	125.51	260.94
Labour and Employment	Stipend to children in the special schools under the NCLP	30.90	6.91
Labour and Employment	Scholarship To The Children of Beedi Workers	87.13	1.47
Labour and Employment	Housing Subsidy To Beedi Workers	3.58	10.41

Name of Ministry/Department	Name of Schemes	Total No of Beneficiaries(in thousands)	Total Amount(Rs. in crore)
Labour and Employment	Stipend To Trainees Under The Scheme Of Welfare Of SC/ST Job Seekers	0.96	0.34
Labour and Employment	Stipend To Trainees for Skill Development in 34 Districts affected By Left Wing Extremism (LWE)	0.27	0.30
Tribal Affairs	Post Matric Scholarship For ST	2,106.40	1,469.40
Tribal Affairs	Top Class Education Scheme	0.58	28.00
Tribal Affairs	Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship	2.00	58.82
Social Justice & Empowerment	Post Matric Scholarship for SC Student	856.56	177.09
Social Justice & Empowerment	Upgradation of Merit of SC Students	0.30	0.66
Social Justice & Empowerment	Pre Matric Scholarship for Children of Those Engaged Unclean Occupations	13.81	2.77
Social Justice & Empowerment	Pre Matric Scholarship for SC	265.15	74.58
Social Justice & Empowerment	Top Class Education Scheme For SC	0.52	9.86
Social Justice & Empowerment	Post Matric Scholarship for OBC	756.88	157.43
Rural Development	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGWPS & IGNDPS)	25,455.52	6,955.58
Rural Development	MGNREGS [for 300 districts]	46,636.35	20,010.10
Petroleum & Natural Gas	PAHAL (DBTL)	148,558.09	14,779.31
LIC March 2015 (F.Y. 2014-15)	AABY -CLAIMS	N.A	409.59
	AABY -SCHOLARSHIPS	N.A	275.40
	Grand Total	227,401.89	46,293.86

ANNEXURE II**Scheme-wise details of schemes, beneficiaries and total amount disbursed during 2015-16**

Name of Ministry/Department	Name of Schemes	Total No of Beneficiaries	Total Amount(₹)
Rural Development	MGNREGS	103.71	25,861.77
	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGNWPS & IGNDPS)	29.29	8,364.66
Petroleum & Natural Gas	PAHAL (DBTL)	166.21	21,421.00
Women and Child Development	Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY)	0.22	118.13
School Education & Literacy	National Scheme For Incentive For The Girl Child For Secondary Education	0.15	35.90
	National Means Cum Merit Scholarship	0.11	58.37
Higher Education	Fellowship Schemes of AICTE	0.06	704.22
	Fellowship Schemes of UGC	0.02	194.40
	Kothari PDF in Sciences	0.00	59.58
	NETJRF	0.03	407.57
	EMERITUS	0.00	21.62
	Post Doctoral – Fellowship for Women	0.00	41.99
	BSR Doctoral Fellowship in Sciences	0.00	63.10
	Scholarship To Universities /College Students	0.04	388.71
Minority Affairs	Pre Matric Scholarship	3.57	529.01
	Scheme For Minorities	-	
	Post Matric Scholarship Scheme For Minorities	0.39	211.33
	Merit Cum Means Scholarship For Minorities	0.05	159.34
	Maulana Azad National Fellowship.	0.01	234.63
Labour and Employment	Stipend to children in the special schools under the NCLP	0.03	3.46
	Scholarship To The Children of Beedi Workers	0.31	37.68
	Housing Subsidy To Beedi Workers	0.00	7.61
	Stipend To Trainees Under The Scheme Of Welfare Of SC/ST Job Seekers	0.00	0.95

	Scholarship To The Children of Iron/ Manganese/Chrome Ore Workers	0.00	0.58
	Scholarship To The Children of Lime Stone and Dolomite (LSDM) Workers	0.00	0.14
	Housing Subsidy To Lime Stone and Dolomite (LSDM) Workers	0.00	0.13
Tribal Affairs	Post Matric Scholarship For ST	2.11	822.15
	Top Class Education Scheme	0.00	9.18
	Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for ST	0.00	124.23
Social Justice & Empowerment	Post Matric Scholarship for SC Student	0.00	0.03
	Pre Matric Scholarship for SC	0.07	17.38
	Top Class Education Scheme For SC	0.00	0.88
	RGNF-SC	0.01	573.08
Empowerment of persons with Disability	Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for students with disabilities	0.00	73.83
Health & Family Welfare	Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY)	3.66	647.92
Financial Services- LIC	AABY –CLAIMS #	0.10	306.38
	PMJDY #	0.00	5.58
	AABY –SCHOLARSHIPS #	2.28	196.47
Culture	Tagore Cultural complexes	0.00	8.40
	Salary Grant	0.00	11.67
	Production Grant	0.00	9.13
	Artistes Pension Scheme and Welfare Fund	0.00	0.70
	Financial Assistance to Cultural Organization with National presence	0.00	0.50
	Financial Assistance for the Cultural Function Grant Scheme(CFGS)	0.00	8.43
	Scheme for the Award of Fellowship to outstanding persons in the field of Culture	0.00	0.62
	Scheme for Scholarships to Young Artistes in different cultural fields	0.00	0.60

	Tagore National Fellowship for Cultural Research	0.00	0.17
	Financial Assistance for the development of Buddhist / Tibetan Organizations	0.00	1.29
	Financial assistance for the preservation and development of Himalayan Cultural Heritage for Himalayas	0.00	0.22
Ex-Serviceme Welfare- Kendriya Sainik Board	Prime Minister Scholarship Scheme	0.02	10.14
	RMDF Scheme (funded from AFFD fund)	0.02	44.65
Science & Technology	Scholarship Scheme INSPIRE	0.04	142.88
	Grand Total	312.52	61,942.43

Scheme-wise details of schemes, beneficiaries and total amount disbursed during 2016-17 till October 2016

Name of Ministry / Department	Name of Schemes	No. of Beneficiaries	Total Amount April 2016 to October 2016
Rural Development	MGNREGS	108,981.77	24,350.25
	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGNWP. S & IGNDPS)	29,442.21	3,928.04
Petroleum & Natural Gas	PAHAL (DBTL)*	184,290.85	6,852.75
Women and Child Development	Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY)	15.91	26.70
School Education & Literacy	National Scheme For Incentive For The Girl Child For Secondary Education	739.71	6.23
	National Means Cum Merit Scholarship	246.64	90.11
Higher Education	Fellowship Schemes of AICTE	32.53	219.95
	Fellowship Schemes of UGC	24.61	155.41
	P.G. Indira Gandhi Scholarship for Single Girl Child	14.83	2.41
	P.G. Scholarship for Professional Courses for SC or ST candidates	5.22	1.07
	P.G. Scholarship for University Rank Holders	3.91	0.62
	Post- Doctoral Fellowship for SC or ST Candidates	0.65	5.34
	Kothari PDF in Sciences	0.90	57.31
	NETJRF	51.23	489.72
	EMERITUS	0.55	16.48
	Post Doctoral – Fellowship for Women	0.63	39.26
	BSR Doctoral Fellowship in Sciences	2.80	84.40
	DSRPDFHS	0.48	29.41
	SVSGC	0.12	2.48
	NER	19.99	130.98
	NFOBC	0.90	21.75
Scholarship To Universities /College Students	3.62	50.28	
Minority Affairs	Pre Matric Scholarship Scheme For Minorities	12.62	354.62
	Post Matric Scholarship Scheme For Minorities	1.11	167.97
	Merit Cum Means Scholarship For Minorities	7.21	178.83

	Maulana Azad National Fellowship.	5.47	118.26
Labour and Employment	Stipend to children in the special schools under the NCLP	0.46	0.22
	Scholarship To The Children of Beedi Workers	3,053.21	0.14
	Housing Subsidy To Beedi Workers	1.46	-
	Stipend To Trainees Under The Scheme Of Welfare Of SC/ST Job Seekers	4.06	0.45
	Stipend to Differently Abled Candidates under Scheme of Vocational Rehabilitation Centre for Handicapped (VRCs)	-	-
	Scholarship To The Children of Cine Workers	0.18	-
	Scholarship To The Children of Iron/Manganese/Chrome Ore Workers	0.81	-
	Scholarship To The Children of Lime Stone and Dolomite (LSDM) Workers	0.99	-
	Housing Subsidy To Iron/Manganese/Chrome Ore Workers	0.06	-
	Housing Subsidy To Lime Stone and Dolomite (LSDM) Workers	0.08	-
	Rehabilitation Assistance	-	-
	Tribal Affairs	Umbrella Scheme for Education of ST Children - Pre-Matric Scholarship (class IX and X) for ST Students #	1,262.07
Umbrella Scheme for Education of ST Children - Post Matric Scholarship (PMS) for ST Students #		2,033.79	849.35
National Fellowship and Scholarship for Higher Education of ST Students - Scholarship (Formerly Top Class Education for Scheduled Tribe Students)		0.01	2.59
National Fellowship and Scholarship for Higher Education of ST Students - Fellowship (Formerly Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for ST Students)		3.40	36.02
Social Justice &	Post Matric Scholarship for SC Student	0.24	-

Empowerment	Upgradation of Merit of SC Students.		
	Pre Matric Scholarship for Children of Those Engaged Unclean Occupations	-	-
	Pre Matric Scholarship for SC	73.56	
	Top Class Education Scheme For SC	0.13	-
	Post Matric Scholarship for OBC		
	RGNF-SC	11.99	226.88
Empowerment of persons with Disability	Pre-matric scholarship for Persons with disabilities	0.01	0.07
	Post-matric Scholarship for Persons with Disabilities	0.00	0.62
	Scholarship for Top Class Education	0.00	0.20
	Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for students with disabilities	0.67	15.75
Health & Family Welfare	Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY)	2,921.74	657.07
Financial Services- LIC	AABY -CLAIMS#	8.60	94.67
	PMJDY#	1.21	4.36
	AABY -SCHOLARSHIPS#	179.33	69.62
Culture	Tagore Cultural complexes	0.00	-
	Salary Grant	0.02	0.97
	Production Grant	0.02	0.54
	Scheme for Building Grant and Studio Theatre	-	-
	Artistes Pension Scheme and Welfare Fund	0.77	0.30
	Financial Assistance to Cultural Organization with National presence	0.00	0.50
	Financial Assistance for the Cultural Function Grant Scheme(CFGS)	0.04	5.53
	Scheme for the Award of Fellowship to outstanding persons in the field of Culture	0.04	0.35
	Scheme for Scholarships to Young Artistes in different cultural fields	0.20	0.62

	Tagore National Fellowship for Cultural Research	0.00	0.02
	Financial Assistance for the development of Buddhist / Tibetan Organizations	0.01	0.07
	Financial assistance for the preservation and development of Himalayan Cultural Heritage for Himalayas	0.00	-
	International Cultural Relation		
Ex-Servicemen Welfare - Kendriya Sainik Board (KSB)	Prime Minister Scholarship Scheme	15.06	35.82
	RMDF Scheme (funded from AFFD fund)	0.23	18.89
	Assistance for treatment of listed serious diseases	0.00	0.11
	Assistance for treatment of cancer and dialysis	0.00	0.01
	Assistance for procurement of modified scooter	0.00	0.01
	Assistance for purchase of Tool Kits	-	-
	Interest subsidy on Home Loan upto max Rs. 1.0 lakhs taken from Nationalised or PSU Banks etc	-	-
Science & Technology	Scholarship - INSPIRE	41.98	93.53
Food & Public Distribution	Cash Transfer of Food Subsidy	226.17	53.91
AYUSH	Rashtriya Ayurveda Vidyapeeth	0.15	3.59
	Total	33,724.63	39,559.86

Annexure-IV**Details of Savings through DBT**

Financial Year: 2014-15			
S.NO.	Central Ministry /Department	Scheme / Area	Saving
1	MoPNG	PAHAL	14,672 crore
S.NO.	State / UT	Scheme / Area	Saving
1	Rajasthan	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGWPS, IGNDPS)	19.85 Lakh
2	UP	Social Security Schemes	520 cr.
Total Saving in 2014-15 = 15,192.2 crore			
Financial Year: 2015-16			
S.NO.	Central Ministry /Department	Scheme / Area	Saving
1	MoPNG	PAHAL	6,912 crore
2	D/o Food & Public Distribution	Food subsidy	10,191 crore
3	Kendriya Sainik Board- M/o Defence	Prime Minister Scholarship Scheme	1.01 Lakh
		RMDF scheme	10.95 Lakhs
4	M/o Culture	Scheme on International Relations	20 Lakhs
S.NO.	State / UT	Scheme / Area	Saving
1	Rajasthan	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGWPS, IGNDPS)	41.07 Lakh
2	Himachal Pradesh	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGWPS, IGNDPS)	1 crore
3	Kerala	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGWPS, IGNDPS)	7.05 crore
4	Haryana	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGWPS, IGNDPS)	240 crore
5	Chandigarh	NSAP (IGNOAPS, IGWPS, IGNDPS)	2.58 Lakh
6	Kerala	Education System	600 cr
6	Across country	MGNREGS	3000 crore
Total Saving in 2015-16 = 20,951.8 crore			
Total Saving in 2014-15 & 2015-16 = 36,144 crore			