

**NGOs in Andhra Pradesh**

1364. SHRI C.M RAMESH: Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) details of the NGOs involved in the implementation of various schemes of the Ministry in the State of Andhra Pradesh; and

(b) details of the fund released to those NGOs during the last five years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI VIJAY SAMPLA): (a) and (b) Details of the NGOs implementing various schemes of the Ministry in the State of Andhra Pradesh and the fund released to these NGOs during the last five years are given in Statement.

**Statement**

*Details of Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs) and funds released to them during the last 5 years under various schemes being implemented in the State of Andhra Pradesh.*

		(₹ in lakh)									
Sl. No.	Name of Scheme	2009-10		2010-11		2011-12		2012-13		2013-14	
1.	Scheme of Grants-in-Aid to Voluntary Organisations working for Scheduled Castes	17	114.71	18	163.11	14	123.50	09	80.82	07	54.18
2.	Integrated Programme for Older Persons (IPOP)	82	454.26	75	423.82	91	478.74	66	365.07	62	347.24
3.	Scheme of Assistance for Prevention of Alcoholism and Substance (drugs) Abuse	09	76.81	14	133.64	14	156.81	06	36.73	14	165.44

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4.	Assistance to Disabled Persons for purchase/ fittings of aids and appliances (ADIP)	01	22.75	01	5.00	03	176.00	04	79.50	01	8.00
5.	Deendayal Disabled Rehabilitation Scheme (DDRS)	80	16.18	94	20.66	94	24.35	82	12.54	85	14.15

#### **Deployment of regional positioning system**

1365. SHRIMATI JAYA BACHCHAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) is undertaking a project to deploy a Regional Positioning System for India; if so, details thereof;
- (b) the progress and budget allocated for the project; and
- (c) the details of the benefit of such a project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SPACE (DR. JITENDRA SINGH): (a) Yes Sir. Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) has undertaken a project for developing an indigenous regional positioning system for India known as Indian Regional Navigation Satellite System (IRNSS). IRNSS consists of seven satellites in a constellation, three satellites in geostationary orbit (GEO) and four satellites in geosynchronous orbit (GSO). IRNSS will provide positioning and navigational services in Indian mainland and surrounding region up to 1500 km. The objective of IRNSS is to provide positioning services with an absolute position accuracy of better than 20 metres.

(b) Out of the 7 satellites required in the constellation, three satellites namely, IRNSS-1A, 1B and 1C have already been successfully placed in the orbit. And the fourth satellite IRNSS-1D is in advanced stage of realization. The work on remaining three satellites is in progress. A number of ground stations responsible for the generation and transmission of navigation parameters, satellite control, satellite ranging and monitoring, etc., have been established across the country.