

Applications under RGNF

1428. DR. BHALCHANDRA MUNGEKAR: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the State-wise and year-wise details of tribal students applied for Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship (RGNF) during the years 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15;

(b) how many of these applicants were actually awarded the fellowship; and

(c) the State-wise and year-wise details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA): As per information received from the University Grants Commission through which the Scheme "Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship for ST students is implemented, the reply is as under:

(a) The requisite details sought in this part of the question are given in the Statement-I (*See below*).

(b) and (c) The requisite details sought in this part of the question are given in the Statement-II.

Statement-I

Year-wise number of applications received from tribal students under RGNF

Sl. No.	Selection/Financial Year	Total number of applications received	Number of fellowship awarded
1.	2012-13	2262	667
2.	2013-14	2059	667
3.	2014-15	3115	667

Statement-II

*State-wise number of candidates selected under the scheme of
Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowships (RGNF) during the
year 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15*

Sl. No.	Name of the States/UTs	Number of ST candidates selected under the scheme of RGNF for ST students		
		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Andhra Pradesh	50	40	22

1	2	3	4	5
2.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0	0	1
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	10	12	7
4.	Assam	31	50	26
5.	Bihar	6	3	6
6.	Chhattisgarh	16	10	53
7.	Goa	1	1	1
8.	Gujarat	58	58	58
9.	Himachal Pradesh	3	2	2
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	13	18	10
11.	Jharkhand	50	57	56
12.	Karnataka	27	27	27
13.	Kerala	3	3	3
14.	Lakshadweep	1	1	1
15.	Madhya Pradesh	96	95	95
16.	Maharashtra	66	36	66
17.	Manipur	11	14	7
18.	Meghalaya	19	28	16
19.	Mizoram	11	14	7
20.	Nagaland	18	26	14
21.	Odisha	63	64	63
22.	Rajasthan	57	56	56
23.	Sikkim	3	2	1
24.	Tamil Nadu	5	5	5
25.	Telangana	0	0	18
26.	Tripura	10	7	8
27.	Uttar Pradesh	1	1	1
28.	Uttarakhand	3	2	2
29.	West Bengal	35	35	35
TOTAL		667	667	667