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Sl. No.	Name of the State	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
1.	Chhattisgarh	65.97	75.36	110.33
2.	Jharkhand	405.76	966.29	1429.16
3.	Odisha	457.37	1168.97	2222.85

VIII. Scheme of Strengthening Education among ST girls in Low Literacy Districts:

(₹ in lakh)

Sl. No.	State	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
1.	Chhattisgarh	39.63	37.12	64.49
2.	Jharkhand	Nil	Nil	36.13
3.	Odisha	1929.41	1102.18	1013.56

Awareness component in central sector scheme for tribal welfare

- 752. DR. SANTANU SEN: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:
- (a) whether it is a fact that the awareness component in Central Sector Scheme for tribal welfare is less than twenty per cent of expenditure made;
 - (b) if so, the reasons therefor;

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- (c) the details of money spent for publicising schemes for tribal welfare during the last three years, year-wise; and
 - (d) the details of beneficiaries of the schemes during that period, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI ARJUN MUNDA): (a) to (c) Total expenditure of ₹ 379.16 crore was made under the Central Sector Schemes of Ministry of Tribal Affairs (MoTA) during 2018-19.

The details of funds expended for publicizing benefits of the schemes of MoTA by way of newspaper advertisement, TV telecast etc. for tribal welfare during the last three years under the said scheme is given below:

Year	Amount (₹ in lakhs)
2016-17	0.00
2017-18	18.00
2018-19	151.71

(d) The information is being collected from the State Governments and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Scholarships under National Overseas Scholarship Scheme

†753. SHRI RAM VICHAR NETAM: Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of funds allocated under the National Overseas Scholarship Scheme to ST students during the last three years and the number of applications received for this:
 - (b) the details of eligibility criteria and age limit prescribed under this scheme;
- (c) the subjects/courses that could be taken up for scholarship and the time period of study prescribed along with the financial assistance; and
- (d) whether there has been an increase in the number of students receiving such scholarships during the last few years and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI ARJUN MUNDA): (a) The allocation of funds under the scheme of National Overseas Scholarship (NOS) Scheme for Scheduled Tribe (ST) candidates and number of applications eligible received for the last three years are as follows:—

Year	Fund Allocated			
	Budget	Revised	No.of eligible	
	Estimates	Estimates	applications	
	(BE)	(RE)	received for	
	(₹ in crores)	(₹ in crores)	NOS award	
2016-17	1.00	0.39	43	
2017-18	1.00	1.00	96	
2018-19	2.00	2.00	124	

(b) The eligibility criteria and age limit prescribed under the Scheme of National Overseas Scholarship for Scheduled Tribe candidates is as under:-

[†]Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.