

STATUS OF PROJECTS SANCTIONED AND FUNDS RELEASED TO THE STATE OF MIZORAM

I. Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan

Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan, a Centrally Sponsored Scheme has been under implementation since 2009-10 with the vision to make secondary education of good quality available, accessible and affordable to all young persons in the age group 15-16 years. The scheme envisages to provide a secondary school within 5 kms. of any habitation.

2. During the 11th Five Year Plan, the State of Mizoram has been released a total of Rs. 72.50 crore including Rs. 19.52 crore and Rs. 52.20 crore for interventions of non-recurring and recurring natures respectively. The year wise status of sanctioned and released funds is indicated as under:

(Rs in crore)

3. During the 11th Five Year Plan, the sanction has been accorded for following

Year	Preparatory Activities	Recurring released	Non-recurring released
2009-10	0.80	0.62	15.79
2010-11		1.47	17.61
2011-12		17.43	18.80
Total	0.80	19.52	52.20

interventions:

(a)	Opening of new secondary schools	:	81
(b)	Strengthening of existing secondary schools	:	199
(c)	Sanctioning additional classrooms	:	281
(d)	Science lab	:	187
(e)	Computer room	:	199
(f)	Libraries	:	195
(g)	Art/Craft/Culture rooms	:	198
(h)	Toilet blocks	:	138
(i)	Drinking water facilities	:	139
(j)	Minor repair	:	597
(k)	Major repair	:	27
(l)	Residential quarter for teachers	:	141

4. The other interventions sanctioned to improve quality of education in secondary schools are as under:

(a)	New teachers sanctioned	:	532
(b)	New teachers recruited against para 4 (a) above	:	184
(c)	No. of secondary school teachers sanctioned for training	:	7868
(d)	Excursion trips to students sanctioned	:	5690
(e)	Study tour to teachers	:	762

II. Model School Scheme

The Model School scheme was launched in November 2008 in pursuance to the announcement of the Prime Minister in his Independence Day speech of 2007. The scheme aims to provide quality education to talented rural children through setting up of 6,000 model schools as benchmark of excellence at block level at the rate of one school per block.

Status of Implementation	Issues
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The State has one EBB• The model school in this block has been sanctioned and Rs.1.36 crore was released in 2009-10 as first installment of Central share.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Annual report and audited statement of accounts for the year 2009-10 and 2010-11 is awaited.

III. Girls Hostel Scheme

- There is only 01 EBB in the State.
- 1 hostel recommended on 11.7.2009 and full Central share of Rs.0.39 crore at old rates has been released as under:

2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Rs.0.19 crore	-	Rs.0.20 crore

- Revised proposal based on State SOR recd. in Nov.2011.
- Cost of electrical portion and quantity for steel had not been included in the estimates.
- State Project Engineer (RMSA) has been requested to submit the complete proposal which is still awaited.

IV. Inclusive Education for Disabled at Secondary Stage

The aim of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of IEDSS is to enable all students with disabilities, after completing eight years of elementary schooling, to pursue further four years of secondary schooling (classes IX to XII) in an inclusive and enabling environment. The scheme will cover all children of age 14+ passing out of elementary schools and studying at secondary stage in Government, local body and Government-aided schools, with one or more disabilities as defined under the Persons with Disabilities Act (1995) and the National Trust Act (1999).

During the 11th Five Year Plan, Mizoram was released an amount of Rs.368.40 lakhs. No Proposal under the scheme has been received from the State for 2012-13.

V. Vocationalisation of Secondary Education

The Scheme envisages selection of vocational courses on the basis of assessment of manpower needs. The revised scheme of Vocationalisation of Secondary Education approved by CCA on 15.09.2011 provides financial assistance for imparting vocational education in Classes XI-XII in mainstream schools with a strong partnership with industry/employers. The components include strengthening of existing vocational schools and establishment of new vocational schools through State Government, assistance to

vocational schools under PPP mode, capacity building of vocational education teachers and development of competency based modules for each individual vocational course. Assistance will also be provided to NGOs to run short duration innovative vocational education programmes. Rs.450.21 Lakhs were released to the State Government and UC is pending for this amount. The State Government was asked to resubmit fresh proposals for 2011-12 which is awaited.
