

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1000  
ANSWERED ON TUESDAY, THE 3<sup>rd</sup> MAY, 2016**

**CSR SPENDS ON SWACHH BHARAT CESS**

**QUESTION**

1000. SHRIMATI WANSUK SYIEM:

Will the Minister of CORPORATE AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Swachh Bharat Cess introduced in November, 2015 is likely to mop up ₹ 10,000 crores in 2016-17;
- (b) whether Government proposes to ask Indian Corporates to set aside 30 per cent of its CSR spend for Swachh Bharat to help the Centre raise over ₹ 2 lakh crores over the next three years for Swachh Bharat Programme;
- (c) whether the corporate sector has already tied up, to large extent, its CSR spends over Digital India and Skill India initiatives; and
- (d) if so, Government's comments thereon?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS

(SHRI ARUN JAITLEY)

- (a): As per Union Budget 2016-2017, the estimated amount to be collected from Swachh Bharat Cess during the year 2016-17 is ₹ 10,000 crores.
- (b): There is no proposal to mandate Corporates to set aside 30% of their CSR spend for Swachh Bharat under consideration of this Ministry.
- (c) & (d): Information relating to CSR expenditure on various developmental work incurred by 460 listed companies, which have placed annual returns on CSR for the year 2014-15 on their website, is given at Annexure.

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**ANNEXURE**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN THE REPLY TO PART (c) & (d) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1000 FOR 03.05.2016.**

**Development Sector wise CSR expenditure (FY 2014-15)**

<b>Sl. No</b>	<b>Subjects in Schedule VII</b>	<b>CSR Expenditure (in Rs. Crore)</b>
1	<b>Eradicating Hunger, Poverty &amp; Health Care</b>	1421.66
2	<b>Education/ Vocational skills / livelihood enhancement</b>	1462.6
3	<b>Women / Old Age / Children</b>	219.27
4	<b>Environment sustainability</b>	1188.69
5	<b>Art &amp; Culture</b>	539.83
6	<b>Sports promotion</b>	454.91
7	<b>PMNRF etc.</b>	125.32
8	<b>Rural Development</b>	724.32
9	<b>Slum Development</b>	114.14
10	<b>Swatch Bharat Kosh</b>	42.64
11	<b>Clean Ganga Fund</b>	15.49
12	<b>Others</b>	28.5
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>6337.36</b>

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