

**Reply to Parliament Question No 564 for 27.11.2024 for Rajya Sabha regarding “Development of Tribal Areas” in respect of Numaligarh Refinery Limited (NRL):**

**Q no. (a):** whether any concrete schemes being implemented for the development of tribal areas in the country in the year 2023-24 and 2024-25;

**Reply:** Ministry to reply.

[NRL has undertaken the following CSR initiatives for the development of tribal areas –

- Promotion of Health
- Promotion of Education
- Skill development and Livelihood generation
- Women empowerment
- Rural development.

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**Q no. (b):** if so, the details thereof along with the scheme-wise and state-wise details of the fund allocated for the implementation of these scheme and the amount spent so far; and

**Reply:** Ministry to reply.

[The details along with scheme-wise and state-wise details of the fund allocated and the amount spent are as follows –

SN	Name of State	Details of Project	Amount Spent (Rs in Lakh)	
			2023-24	2024-25
1	Assam	Plantation of tree saplings for income generation	13.00	-
		Installation of Solar Street Light along roads in rural areas	14.16	-
		Provided passenger transport vehicle to Medical colleges	-	97.97
2	Arunachal Pradesh	Providing hearse vehicles to facilitate the transportation of dead bodies	17.80	-
3	Meghalaya	Providing skill upgradation training in various trades	18.22	-
4	Nagaland	Infrastructure development of Public Health centre	77.44	-
5	Sikkim	Providing Ambulance vehicle to cater the medical emergency	45.77	-
6	Tripura	Skill Development training on Candle making	4.73	-

**Q no. (c):** the state-wise details of the success achieved by the Government so far in developing tribal areas with the help of these scheme?

**Reply:** Ministry to reply.

**Note for Supplementary:**

Numaligarh Refinery Limited (NRL) is a Public Sector Enterprise with a 3.0 MMTPA petroleum refinery at Numaligarh in Golaghat district of Assam. Present shareholding pattern of NRL is Oil India Limited (OIL) – 69.63%, Govt. of Assam (GoA) – 26% and Engineers India Ltd (EIL) – 4.37%.

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