

**Statement 2A****STATEMENT OF MAJOR VARIATIONS OF EXPENDITURE BETWEEN BE 2025-26 AND RE 2025-26**

Revised Estimates of Expenditure for 2025-2026 show a decrease of ₹1,00,503 crore over the Budget Estimates 2025-2026. The major items of expenditure where variations have occurred are indicated below:

	Budget 2025-2026	Revised 2025-2026	(in ₹ crores)		<b>Due to</b>
			Variation Decrease (-) /Increase (+)		
1	Other General Economic Services	...	80000	(+)	80000
2	Defence Services (Revenue)	...	36131	(+)	36131
3	Food Subsidy	203420	228154	(+)	24734
4	Capital Outlay on Defence Services	48614	72780	(+)	24166
5	Transfers to States	132767	152953	(+)	20186
6	Fertilizer Subsidy	167900	186475	(+)	18575
7	Grants to Oil Marketing Companies	...	12500	(+)	12500
8	Housing	19794	7500	(-)	12294
9	Loans for Other Scientific Research	20000	3000	(-)	17000
10	Other Communication Services	33758	6885	(-)	26873
11	Water Supply and Sanitation	67000	17000	(-)	50000
12	Grants to States	130641	18000	(-)	112641
13	Other Expenditure	4241451	4143464	(-)	97987
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>	<b>5065345</b>	<b>4964842</b>	(-)	<b>100503</b>