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PM chides the bishops for admonishing taxpayers regarding budget allocation for RH-related services. The poor,

needing RH services, deserves State support – it is one reason why the State exists in the first place.

“The tax-exempt Catholic Church has no moral ascendancy to meddle on the State’s social spending. Will it share its wealth or pay the bills for the healthcare of poor women?” asked Miranda. ###