

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:295
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STARVATION DEATHS
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Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government have received any report from any State Government about the starvation deaths in the tribal areas;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of tribals who died due to starvation during each of the last three years, State-wise;
- (d) the progress made by the various State in the implementation of tribal development schemes during the said period; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Union Government to avoid starvation deaths in the tribal areas of the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM)

- (a)to(e) The information is being collected and shall be laid on the Table of the House.