

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION
LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of Lok Sabha Constituencies and the nodal districts where sample audits of expenditure made in respect of Members of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme; and

(b) the finding of the audits thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION, MINISTER OF STATE FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DISINVESTMENT (SHRI ARUN SHOURIE)

(a) & (b) The details of Lok Sabha Constituencies and the nodal districts and sample districts covered under evaluation study are provided in Annexure-I. The evaluation is not a formal audit. It aims at assessing the performance, adequacy of the implementation methods and the impact of the scheme. The study covers 57 Lok Sabha Constituencies and 28 Rajya Sabha MPs. Survey work of the study is in its last leg and the final report is expected by December, 2000.