

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2759
ANSWERED ON:19.12.2003
RASTRIYA SAM VIKAS YOJANA
VUKKALA RAJESWARAMMA

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of districts identified for Rastriya Sam Vikas Yojana;
- (b) the names of districts identified for first phase of development; and
- (c) the time taken by which all the remaining undeveloped districts would be covered under the programme?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE

SHRI ANAND RAO V. ADSUL:

- (a): 132.
- (b) List of 25 phase-I districts is enclosed.
- (c) 41 more districts have been covered during the current year. The remaining districts are expected to be covered under the programme from the next year.

STATEMENT REFERREED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2759 FOR 19.12.2003
List of districts covered under the first phase of the Backward Districts Initiative under Rashtriya Sam Vikas Yojana

Sl. No.	Name of the States	Name of the districts
1	Andhra Pradesh	1.Adilabad2.Warangal
2	Chhatisgarh	3.Bastar4.Dantewada
3	Gujarat	5. Dang
4	Jharkhand	6.Lohardagga7.Gumla8.Simdega
5	Karnataka	9. Gulbarga
6	Kerala	10. Palakkad
7	Madhya Pradesh	11. Barwani12. Mandla 13. West Nimar (Khargone)
8	Maharashtra	14. Gadchiroli15. Bhandara
9	Rajasthan	16. Banswara 17. Dungarpur
10	Tamil Nadu	18. Tiruvannamalai
11	Uttar Pradesh	19. Sonbhadra20. Rae Bareilly 21. Unnao22. Sitapur23. Hardoi
12	West Bengal	24. Purulia25. Jalpaiguri