## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RURAL DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

### UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:837 ANSWERED ON:04.03.2005 JOBS UNDER SGSY/SGRY Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram;Chando

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### Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of projects sanctioned under different rural development schemes during 2004-05 and till date; scheme-wise and State-wise;

(b) the total amount allocated and utilized therefore alongwith the beneficiaries;

(c) whether the State-Governments have requested the Union Government to assign jobs under SGRY and SGSY to labour cooperative societies;

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reaction of the Government thereto;

(e) whether funds meant for the said schemes have been diverted;

(f) if so, the steps proposed/taken in the regard; and

(g) the details of proposals received by the Union Government from different States, State-wise, year-wise and scheme-wise?

# Answer

#### MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYA KANTA PATIL)

(a) & (b) The projects are sanctioned under various Rural Development Programmes namely, Swarnjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY), Drought Prone Areas Programme (DPAP), Desert Development Programme (DDP), Integrated Wastelands Development Programme (IWDP) and Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC) of the Ministry of Rural Development. The State-wise allocation is not done for the projects under the schemes, as these are demand driven schemes. A statement showing number of projects sanctioned and funds released are given at Annexure-I.

Statement referred in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 837 due for reply on 4.3.2005

Scheme-wise and State-wise Status of the Projects Sanctioned/funds released during 2004-05

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl. Name of IWDP DPAP DDP ARWSP Special Projects No. State/Ut under SGSY

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(c) & (d) A request was made by Government of Maharashtra for permission to award works to labour cooperatives societies under Sampoorna Gramin Rozagar Yojana (SGRY). Under the SGRY Guidelines, it is not permissible to award works to labour cooperative societies.

(e) & (f) Some complaints regarding misappropriation/misutilisation of funds including irregularities have been received under the Sampoorna Gramin Rozgar Yojana (SGRY) for the State of Assam, Kerala, Chhatisgarh, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh. The complaints about irregularities have been received from the States of Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Orissa and Uttar Pradesh. Such cases of diversion of Funds are immediately brought to the notice of the concerned State Governments for corrective measures and to implement the programme as per the programme guidelines. The Ministry have evolved a comprehensive system of Monitoring and Evaluation of the implementation of its programmes through Monthly Progress Report, Review Meetings with State Ministers/State Officials, Utilisation Certificate & Audit Reports, intensive field inspections by the officials of Centre and State Governments, District Level Monitoring & Vigilance Committees and Social Audit by Gram Sabha.

(g) The Government receive proposals under various programmes on a continuous basis throughout the year.