

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

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NATIONAL COMMON MINIMUM PROGRAMME

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

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- (a) whether the Union Government has assessed the progress and achievement of the National Common Minimum Programme;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the said programme has failed to keep its promises in the domestic front on the issue of price rise, lowering Government expenditure and minorities programme;
- (d) if so, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the steps taken or being taken by the Union Government to expedite implementation of the said programme?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE), MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI G.K. VASAN)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The 'Report to the People 2004-2006', brought out by the Government, contains the progress and achievements of the National Common Minimum Programme (NCMP). The Report is available on the Prime Minister's Office website ([www.pmindia.nic.in](http://www.pmindia.nic.in)).

(c) and (d) The NCMP gives a broad outline of Government's commitment and specific follow up is done by the Ministries concerned.

(e) All action points arising out of the NCMP are being monitored regularly by the respective Ministries/Departments and also come for consideration before the Cabinet and its Committees from time to time as per the Government of India (Allocation of Business) Rules, 1961.