

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2699
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DEVELOPMENT PROPOSALS FROM ASSAM
Borkataky Shri Narayan Chandra

Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of proposals submitted by the Government of Assam to the Development of North East Region (DONER) during the last three years;
- (b) the number of proposals sanctioned during the said period and fund sanctioned, year-wise;
- (c) whether the Government have any plan to open an office in the North East Region in near future;
- (d) if so, the time by which it is likely to be open; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION (SHRI P.R. KYNDIAH)

(a) Since inception of the Department of Development of North Eastern Region in September 2001 till 2003-04, the Government of Assam submitted 285 priority proposals.

(b) The number of projects sanctioned and funds released during the last three years is as under:

(Rs. in lakh)

Year	No. of Projects	Funds Released
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2001-2002	31	3915.00
2002-2003	11	3915.00
2003-2004	10	3547.17

Total:	52	11377.17
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(c): No, Sir.

(d): Does not arise.

(e): The Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region extends financial assistance for specific development projects. This Ministry do not implement projects and therefore, there is no need for an office in the North Eastern Region.