

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PLANNING
LOK SABHA**

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MODEL DALIT VILLAGE
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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government is contemplating to formulate a scheme to convert the Dalits dominated villages into Model Dalit Villages;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Union Government has formulated any action plan of this scheme;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) the amount allocated by the Union Government for this scheme; and (
- (f) the time by which it is likely to be implemented by the Union Government

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI M.V.RAJASEKHARAN)

- (a): Yes, Sir. A scheme for accelerated development of Dalit villages with a population of 50% and above is under preparation.
- (b) to (f): The details have not yet been finalised.