

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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APPOINTMENT OF ACCOUNTANTS IN GRAM PANCHAYATS
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of poor unemployed people in rural areas of the country, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has appointed any accountants at the Gram Panchayat level to identify the number of such unemployed persons;and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI PRADEEP JAIN `ADITYA`)

(a)to(c): No, Sir, the Ministry of Rural Development do not maintain the details of poor unemployed people in rural areas of the country. The Ministry has not appointed any Accountant at the Gram Panchayat level under any of its programmes.