## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RURAL DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

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

- (a) the facilities being provided to the rural citizens under the Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC);
- (b) whether any decision has been taken to expand the Campaign in the rural areas of the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the details of the villages covered and availing the said facilities and those which are still uncovered under the TSC in each State of the country as on date;
- (e) the details of the funds allocated/utilized and targets set/achieved thereunder during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise; and
- (f) the time by which all the remaining villages are likely to be covered under the TSC?

## Answer

## MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (MS. AGATHA SANGMA)

(a) to (c) The Government of India administers the Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC), a comprehensive programme to ensure sanitation facilities in rural areas with the main goal of eradicating the practice of open defecation and ensuring clean environment. The main components are incentive for Individual household latrines (IHHL), School Sanitation and Hygiene Education (SSHE), assistance for Community Sanitary Complex, Anganwadi toilets and Solid and Liquid Waste Management. The incentive /assistance pattern for toilets in individual houses and other places to bring about an improvement in the general quality of life in the rural areas, is as follows:

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S.No. component Central share State share (minimum)
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- 1. IHHL Rs.1,500 (Rs.2,000 Rs.700 for hilly and difficult areas)
- 2. School Rs.14,000 Rs.6,000 Toilet Unit
- 3. Anganwadi Rs 3,500 Rs.1,500 Toilet
- 4. Community Rs.1,20,000 Rs. 60,000 Sanitary Complex
- (d) Total Sanitation Campaign is a demand driven project based programme taking district as a unit. There are 593 district projects in the country. The district project includes all Gram Panchayats in the district requiring sanitation facilities as per the TSC guidelines. No

new proposal under TSC from any other district is pending for approval with the Government of India.

(e) TSC being a demand driven programme, there are no annual allocations of funds and targets made to the States/Districts. However, State-wise release and the utilization of funds during the last three years and the current year is given in Annexure-I. The physical progress reported under TSC by the States through online monitoring system of the Department of Drinking Water Supply during the same period is given in Annexure-II.

(f) Does not arise.