

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PANCHAYATI RAJ
LOK SABHA**

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SANITATION CAMPAIGN
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Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has undertaken sanitation campaign under the Panchayati Raj;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of districts in which the above campaign is being conducted, State-wise;
- (d) the names of the districts for which the respective State Governments have requested the Union Government to release the next instalment of Centre's share under the campaign; and
- (e) the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF PANCHAYATI RAJ (Dr. C.P. JOSHI)

(a) to (b): 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:

S.No.	Component	Central share	State share (minimum)
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1.	IHHL and difficult areas)	Rs.1,500 (Rs.2,000 for hilly	Rs.700
2.	School Toilet Unit	Rs.14,000	Rs.6,000
3.	Anganwadi Toilet	Rs 3,500	Rs.1,500
4.	Community Sanitary Complex	Rs.1,20,000	Rs.60,000

(c): TSC at present is being implemented in 606 districts. A list indicating State wise number of districts covered under TSC is annexed.

(d) & (e): TSC is a demand driven programme. The funds are released to the districts based on eligibility through State Water and Sanitation Missions as per decision taken in the Plan Approval Committee meetings.