

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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SWARANJAYANTI GRAM SWAROJGAR YOJANA

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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether the Swarnjayanti Gram Swarajgar Yojana (SGSY) has achieved its objectives since its inception;and
- (b) if so, the State-wise details of the number of families/groups benefited with the SGSY during the last three years and current year?

Answer

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

(a)& (b): Swarnjayanti Gram Swarajgar Yojana (SGSY) has been in operation since 1st April, 1999. It is a holistic programme covering all aspects of self employment for rural BPL population. The objective of the Scheme is to bring the rural BPL families above the poverty line by ensuring appreciable increase in income on a sustainable basis through creation of income generating assets. Since the inception of the Scheme 3820588 number of SHGs have been formed and 14323812 Swarajgaris were assisted with bank Credit and Subsidy. An amount of Rs.22983.32 crore credit was mobilized, Rs.11071.91 crore subsidy was disbursed. The per capita investment during 1999 was Rs.17113 crore and in 2009-10 it is Rs.31817 crore. The State-wise total number of Swarajgaris assisted under SGSY during the last three years and current year is at Annexure-I.