GOVERNMENT OF INDIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3850 ANSWERED ON:31.07.2009 DISCONTINUATION OF SCHEMES Siddeswara Shri Gowdar Mallikarjunappa

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any Centrally sponsored schemes for development of small and medium towns have been discontinued in the country including Karnataka due to lack of funds;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c) the contribution made by various State Governments for implementation of the schemes including Karnataka?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT(SHRI SAUGATA ROY)

(a)&(b): The Centrally sponsored Schemes of Integrated Development of Small and Medium Towns (IDSMT) and Accelerated Urban Water Supply Programme (AUWSP), have been subsumed in the Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small and Medium Towns (UIDSSMT) since December, 2005 and accordingly central assistance for new projects under IDSMT and AUWSP has been discontinued in all the State and Union Territories including State of Karnataka.

(c): State-wise details of State share released under IDSMT and AUWSP by the State Governments are given in Annexure-I.