

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:972
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IAY IN UTTAR PRADESH
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the houses have been made available under Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY) to all the poor families of Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government of Uttar Pradesh has returned the funds given to it for constructing houses under IAY; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY), being implemented in the rural areas of the country including Uttar Pradesh, is an allocation based Scheme under which financial assistance is provided to rural Below Poverty Line (BPL) households for construction of dwelling units. The funds are allocated to the States giving 75% weightage to rural housing shortage as per Census data and 25% weightage to poverty ratio. Since 1985-86 i.e. inception of the Scheme, 33,65,137 houses have been constructed for the families living Below Poverty Line (BPL) in Uttar Pradesh.

(c): No, Sir.

(d): Does not arise.