

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1039
ANSWERED ON:15.11.2010
REPORTS OF NGOS ON NIRMAL GRAM PURASKAR
Rajaram Shri Wakchaure Bhausahb

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received representations regarding verification reports of Non-Governmental Organization (NGOs) on Nirmal Gram Puraskar-2009 from Government of Maharashtra and Public Representatives during the last one year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Union Government thereon ?

Answer

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

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): Letters were received from Government of Maharashtra and public representatives addressed to the Minister of Rural Development regarding verification reports of Non- Governmental Organization (NGOs) on Nirmal Gram Puraskar-2009. The letters recommended to give Nirmal Gram Puraskar 2009 to specific 333 Gram Panchayats of Maharashtra from Ahmednagar and Nandurbar districts.

(c): Necessary replies to the letters were sent clarifying the matter to satisfaction of the addressees.