

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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CLUSTER HOUSES OR COLONIES UNDER BSUP/IHSDP
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Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to construct cluster houses or colonies for eligible members of the Anglo-Indian community in cities like Cochin, Bengaluru, Mumbai, Hyderabad and Kolkata as pilot projects under the Basic Services to the Urban Poor (BSUP) and the Integrated Housing and Slum Development Programme (IHSDP) components of Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM);

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the progress made in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION (KUMARI SELJA)

(a) to (c) : Urban Development/Slums being a state subject, the prioritization of slums for development under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) [Basic Services to the Urban Poor (BSUP) and Integrated Housing and Slum Development Programme (IHSDP)] depends on the respective State Governments. No specific proposal from any State for slums inhabited by Anglo-Indian community has been received from States so far.