

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
PANCHAYATI RAJ  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1124

ANSWERED ON:15.11.2010

E-PANCHAYAT SCHEME

Das Shri Ram Sundar;Shankar Alias Kushal Tiwari Shri Bhisma;Singh Shri Radhey Mohan

**Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Panchayats have been computerised under e-panchayat scheme in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which all the Panchayats are likely to be computerised;
- (c) the amount earmarked/incurred by the Government for this purpose during the year 2010-11;
- (d) whether the Government has imparted basic computer training to the public representatives of Panchayat; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF PANCHAYATI RAJ(Dr. C. P. JOSHI)

(a & b): Details of the status of computerization of Panchayats, as received from States/UTs are given in the Annexure.

(c): No funds have been earmarked under e-Panchayat for providing computers to Panchayats during the year 2010-11.

(d & e): Rs. 30 lakh were released during 2009-10 to Govt. of West Bengal as one time grant for computer training of Elected Representatives and functionaries of PRIs under Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Yojana in the non-BRGF districts of the State.