

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

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CONSTRUCTION OF PHCS CHCS SCS BUILDINGS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether some of the State Governments including Maharashtra and Assam have requested for financial assistance for construction of buildings for Primary Health Centres (PHCs)/Community Health Centres (CHCs)/Sub-Centres (SCs) in their States;
- (b) if so, the details of such proposals received during the last two years and in the current year till date;
- (c) whether the Government had taken any action in this regard?
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a) to (d): Yes. Under National Rural Health Mission [NRHM], all State/UT Governments including Assam and Maharashtra project their requirement for construction of buildings for Primary Health Centres [PHCs]/ Community Health Centres [CHCs]/Sub Centres [SCs] in their annual Programme Implementation Plans [PIPs]. The same are examined in this Ministry and funds are released to the States/UTs for actual implementation of the programme in accordance with approved PIP. A Statewise statement showing the funds allocated, released and utilized by States/UTs under Mission Flexiblepool for undertaking various activities including construction of buildings of SCs/PHCs/CHCs during the years 2008-09 to 2010-11 is at annexure A.

A statement showing the requests of Assam and Maharashtra in their annual PIPs for the year 2008-09 to 2010-11 in this regard and the action by Union Government on the same is at annexure B.