

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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ASSISTANCE TO BPL FAMILIES  
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the state-wise amount of assistance released by the Union Government to various States to assist the scheduled caste families living below the poverty line and for various economic activities during the year 2009-10;
- (b) whether all of the State Governments have utilised the said amount; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof ?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Rural Development implements Swarnajayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana /National Rural Livelihood Mission (SGSY/NRLM) and Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY) exclusively for Below the Poverty Line (BPL) families in rural areas of the country including the Scheduled Castes (SCs). Though physical beneficiary targeting were made for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes under these programmes, no earmarking of financial assistance was made during the year 2009-10.