

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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PROJECTS UNDER JNNURM
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of cities in Rajasthan where projects under Jawaharlal Nehru Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) are proposed to be undertaken;
- (b) the project-wise plans for implementation of these projects and the status of their progress alongwith the funds allocated for these projects;
- (c) whether the schemes have taken a very long time in planning and implementation; and
- (d) if so, the measures proposed to be taken to expedite the implementation of the projects taken up under JNNURM?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SAUGATA ROY)

(a) & (b): The City of Ajmer-Pushkar and Jaipur are the two Mission cities covered under Urban Infrastructure & Governance (UIG) Sub-Mission of Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JnNURM) in the State of Rajasthan. The remaining cities are covered under Urban Infrastructure Development Scheme for Small and Medium Towns (UIDSSMT) of JnNURM. The projects are at various stages of implementation.

A total of 13 projects (4 projects for the Mission city of Ajmer-Pushkar and 9 projects for the Mission city of Jaipur) have been approved for the State of Rajasthan under UIG with the approved cost of Rs.122908.11 lakhs and Additional Central Assistance (ACA) commitment of Rs.76622.50 lakhs. So far an amount of Rs.42493.38 lakhs has been released as ACA for the projects for utilization.

37 projects for the 35 cities in the State of Rajasthan have been approved under UIDSSMT with the approved cost of Rs.60988.52 lakhs with ACA commitment of Rs.48790.83 lakhs. An amount of Rs. 28421.99 lakhs has been released as ACA for the projects for utilization.

(c) & (d): JnNURM is a reform linked scheme. The implementation of projects are done by State Government through Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) and Parastatals. Capacity building measures such as conducting Rapid Training Programme (RTP) of the officials of ULBs/parastatals, supporting Programme Management Units (PMU) at the state level and Project Implementation Units (PIUs) at the ULB level, Independent Review and Monitoring Agency (IRMA) at the state level, etc have been taken with a view to facilitate achievement of targets by the Mission Directorate. The progress of the projects is being assessed through State Level Steering Committee (SLSC), State Level Nodal Agency (SLNA) and IRMA for the State. The progress of the implementation of the approved projects are also reviewed by Government of India to further strengthened implementation of the Mission.