

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3115
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CYCLONE SHELTERS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether 155 cyclone shelters have been sanctioned for the State of Odisha under the National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Project (NCRMP) alongwith shelter-cum-godown and approach roads/bridges to habitations in coastal areas of the State;
- (b) if so, the details of such programme approved for extension in different coastal districts of the States; and
- (c) the progress of execution of works in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS(SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN)

(a): Yes, Madam. The construction of 149 multi-purpose cyclone shelters and six shelter-cum-godowns (totaling 155) alongwith approach roads to the cyclone shelters/habitations have been approved under Phase-I of National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Project (NCRMP).

(b): NCRMP has been drawn up with a view to address the cyclone risks in the country. The main aim and objective of the project is to strengthen the structural and non-structural cyclone mitigation efforts and reduce the cyclone risk and vulnerability in the coastal districts prone to cyclones. The Project envisages to be implemented in 13 coastal States/Union Territories in three phases. The Project comprises four Components viz. Component "A" (Last Mile Connectivity), Component "B" (Structural and non-structural measures), Component "C" (Technical Assistance for Cyclone Hazard Risks Mitigation, Capacity Building and Knowledge creation) and Component "D" (Project Management and Implementation Support). Phase-I of NCRMP covers Odisha and Andhra Pradesh.

The Component-wise approved project outlay for Andhra Pradesh and Odisha are given in Annexure-I. No such programme has been approved for extension in different coastal districts of the above two States.

(c) : The Progress of execution of works as indicated by Government of Odisha (as on 30.11.2011) is given in Annexure-II