

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION
LOK SABHA**

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AFFORDABLE HOUSING FOR ALL
Swamygowda Shri N Cheluvaraya Swamy

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the recommendations made by the Technical Group to assess the urban housing shortage in the country; the details of the action taken so far by the Government in this regard during the XIth Five Year Plan;
- (c) the details of the funds allocated for the said purpose during the above Plan period along with the targets fixed for providing 'Affordable Housing for All' particularly, the economically weaker sections in the country; and
- (d) the details of the achievements in respect of the targets fixed in this regard, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HOUSING & URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION (KUMARI SELJA)

(a); The details of findings/recommendations made by the Technical Group to assess the urban housing shortage in the country are at Annexure-I.

(b); The details of the action taken so far by the Government in this regard during the XIth Five Year Plan are at Annexure-II.

(c) and (d): Housing being a State subject, no State-wise target has been fixed for 'Affordable Housing for All'. However, under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) Central grants are provided to States/ Union Territories for undertaking programmes for provision of housing and basic services to urban poor/slum dwellers under Basic Services to the Urban Poor (BSUP) in 65 select cities and Integrated Housing and Slum Development Programme (IHSDP)- in other cities/towns. Also under Rajiv Awas Yojana, Central grants are provided to States that are willing to assign property rights to slum dwellers.

No targets are set under Rajiv Awas Yojana. Under JNNURM (BSUP & IHSDP), a target for construction of 15 lakh houses was envisaged under the Mission.

The details of funds provided for projects under JNNURM (BSUP and IHSDP components) during XIth Five Year Plan so far are as under:

(Rs. Crore)

Scheme	Central share	Additional Central sanctioned Assistance	Central released
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BSUP	10199.37	7012/70	
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IHSDP	5825.20	4211.33	
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State-wise details achievements in respect of dwelling units sanctioned, completed and under progress under BSUP and IHSDP are at Annexure-III.