

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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IMPLEMENTATION OF SGSY

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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of swarozgaris assisted under Swaranjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY) in the country including Karnataka during the last three years, year-wise and State-wise;
- (b) the details of the targets set and achieved including the number of families brought above poverty line and funds allocated and utilized for SGSY to various States including Karnataka during the last three years, year-wise and district-wise;
- (c) whether the States have requested for release of additional amount;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken in this regard; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government for effective implementation and achievement of objectives of the scheme?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): Under SGSY the targets for swarozgaris assisted with bank credit & subsidy for taking up economic activities are set for states. A statement showing the details of target set, state wise, for swarozgaris assisted with bank credit & subsidy is at annexure-1. A statement showing state wise Central allocation, funds released and utilized is at Annexure-2.

(c)&(d): During 2011-12 some of the states have proposed for additional funds under SGSY. No additional funds have been released to the States/UTs during 2011-12.

(e): The SGSY has been restructured as National Rural Livelihoods Mission (NRLM) to implement it in a mission mode in a phased manner for targeted and time bound delivery of results. NRLM will work towards organizing the rural BPL into institutions of the poor and empowering these institutions who will in turn support their members in enhancing their income levels through improved and easy access to credit and their entitlements. Under NRLM target of women beneficiaries has been increased to 50% from 40% in SGSY, for SC/STs it is 50%, Minorities 15% and 3% for disabled. NRLM will be a demand based programme with the states preparing their own poverty reduction strategies under the overall `Framework for Implementation` of NRLM. For effective implementation of NRLM, all the States will set up programme management units at State, Districts & Block levels by inducting dedicated professionals of various streams. A robust IT-based Monitoring, Evaluation and Learning (MEL) system would be in place to facilitate learning and continuous improvement and support informed decision making at all levels.