

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
PLANNING  
LOK SABHA**

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CSS IN OPERATION  
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**Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details and total number of centrally sponsored schemes that are currently operational, Ministry-wise;
- (b) whether these schemes have separate delivery channels through which benefits get transferred to the targeted beneficiaries resulting in creation and maintenance of duplicate infrastructure;
- (c) if so, whether the Government has any plans to consolidate these delivery channels and initiate cross-sectoral convergence of these schemes; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCES (DR. ASHWANI KUMAR)

(a): A list of Ministry-wise Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) as per Statement of Budget Estimates 2012-13 of the Union Ministries is enclosed.

(b) to (d): Most Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) are operated through the existing State Government mechanisms and delivery channels. These delivery channels may vary from State to State. In some important schemes the delivery channels are specified, such as:

Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana;v the Core Network and District Rural Roads Plan are to be finalized by the District Panchayat; the Annual Plan proposals are implemented through District Vigilance and Monitoring Committee of the Ministry of Rural Development.

Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA): Programme Budgets are earmarked towards activities required to meet its goals. Democratic structures starting from the village level upwards through VECs, Gram Panchayats, are integral parts of the decision making process in the Programme. SSA Framework of implementation also provides for District Level Committees. The Committee is apprised of the progress under SSA in terms of targets and achievements as well as outcome indicators, such as enrolment, drop-out, learning achievement, etc. The SSA Framework of implementation provides that suggestions of the members may be taken into consideration, within the parameters of the SSA guidelines.

National Rural Health Mission (NRHM):

Rogi Kalyan Samiti(RKS) / Hospital Management society(HMS): RKS / HMS are registered societies set up in all District Hospitals / Sub District Hospitals / CHCs / FRUs.

District Rural Development Agencies (DRDAs) :

The SGSY and IAY are being implemented by the District Rural Development Agencies (DRDAs) with the active involvement of Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs), the banks, the line departments and the Non Government Organisations (NGOs). The convergence of delivery channels is the responsibility of the State Governments.