## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA RURAL DEVELOPMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4277 ANSWERED ON:06.09.2012 PROPOSAL UNDER IAY FROM UTTAR PRADESH Punia Shri P.L.

## Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal from the Government of Uttar Pradesh for the construction of Indira Awas in rural areas; and
- (b) if so, the action being taken by the Government in this regard?;

## **Answer**

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

- (a): Yes Sir. A proposal from Chief Minister, Uttar Pradesh for construction of additional 30 lakh IAY houses in the State during the 12th Five Year Plan was received in the Ministry.
- (b): The proposal was examined. As demand for funds was not according to IAY Guidelines, it was not agreed to. Under IAY scheme, funds are allocated to States/UTs in accordance with the pre-determined criteria assigning 75% weightage to rural housing shortage and 25% to poverty ratio. The allocation amongst districts is based on 75% weightage to housing shortage and 25% weightage to SC/ST component. Accordingly, in the year 2012-13, Rs.1245.14 crore has been allocated to Uttar Pradesh for construction of 3,68,322 houses.