

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:88

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IMPLEMENTATION OF PURA

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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the provision made by the Government for implementation of Provision of Urban Amenities in Rural Areas (PURA) during the Twelfth Five Year Plan;

(b) whether the allocation for implementation of PURA during the Twelfth Plan period have been finalised by the Planning Commission;

(c) if so, the details in this regard; and

(d) the details of funds so far allocated and utilised for developing infrastructure under PURA in various States, State-wise?

Answer

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

(a): Government has made provision to upscale the Provision of Urban Amenities in Rural Areas (PURA) scheme to more areas in the 12th Five Year Plan.

(b) & (c): The allocation for PURA during the Twelfth Plan period has not been finalised by the Planning Commission.

(d): The PURA Scheme is in the pilot phase. The allocation for the pilot projects of restructured PURA is as under:

(Rs. in crore)

Year	Allocation
2009-10	30.00
2010-11	74.00
2011-12	90.00
2012-13	150.00

State-wise releases are given in Annexure – I.