GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINORITY AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3254 ANSWERED ON:13.12.2012 ACTION ON PROPOSALS RECEIVED UNDER MSDP Jakhar Shri Badri Ram

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Union Government has received proposals from the various State Governments under Multi-Sectoral Development Programme (MSDP) for the welfare of minorities in the country;

(b) If so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c) the action taken by the Union Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS (SHRI NINONG ERING)

(a) to (c): Under Multi-sectoral Development Programme (MsDP), the State Governments are allocated funds for its implementation. The plan proposals from State Governments are received accordingly and all the plan proposals with adequate information and clarifications are approved. In the 11th Five Year Plan, against total allocation of Rs.3780 crore to the State Governments/UTs, plan proposals for Rs.3733.90 crore were approved. Against this approval, Rs.2935.30 crore was released to the States/UTs. The programme has been continued in the current year (2012-13). District Plans worth Rs. 812.56 crore have been approved and Rs.345.04 crore has been released till 30.11.12. State-wise details of allocation, approvals, and release is enclosed at Annexure-I.