

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3823  
ANSWERED ON:14.12.2009  
PROVISION OF HOMESTEAD SITE UNDER IAY  
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide rural BPL household homestead sites under Indira Awas Yojana (IAY); and
- (b) if so, the details thereof , category-wise and State-wise ?

**Answer**

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

(a)& (b): The Ministry of Rural Development is implementing Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY) across the country except Delhi and Chandigarh, under which financial assistance is provided to the rural BPL households for construction of a dwelling unit. Over a period of time, it has been noticed that those rural BPL households who have neither land nor a housesite are left out from getting the benefit under IAY. Accordingly a scheme for providing homestead sites to such rural BPL households has been started from the current year 2009-10 as a part of IAY. For this purpose, all the States/UTs were requested to furnish the number of rural households without land or housesites. As per the information received from the State Governments so far, there are 60,14,461 families included in the Permanent IAY Waitlists who have neither land nor a housesite for construction of a dwelling unit. State-wise details of such families are at Annexure. Rs. 10,000/- will be provided for a housesite of 100 to 250 sq.mt which will be shared by the Centre and the States in the ratio of 50:50.

Annexure referred to in reply to Part (a) & (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3823 due for answer on 14.12.2009

No. of rural BPL families included in the Permanent IAY Waitlists who have neither land nor a housesite for construction of dwelling unit.

Sr.No. Name of State Number of BPL families as per Permanent IAY  
Waitlists who have neither land nor housesite

1. Andhra Pradesh 8,80,071

2. Assam 1000

3. Chhatisgarh 34,029

4. Goa 1053

5. Gujarat 1,93,384

6. Karnataka 10,42,986

7. Kerala 4,65,177

8. Maharashtra (13 districts) 196332

9. Meghalaya 77,996

10. Mizoram 4,211

11. Punjab (5 districts) 119

12. Tamil Nadu 26,71,532

13. Uttarakhand 1,405

14. West Bengal 4,43,879

15. Manipur 1287

Total 60,14,461