

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4294  
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STATES UNDER SWACHH BHARAT MISSION  
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**Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Government has identified some States which require immediate financial support to start Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) in rural areas; f
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the total cost;
- (c) whether Government has initiated any consultation with World Bank for implementation of SBM in these States;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Government has taken up this issue with the identified States;
- (f) if so, the details thereof; (g) whether any deadline has been fixed for purpose; and (h) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION (SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a) and (b) The Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) (SBM(G)) has been launched on 2nd October, to support all States in their efforts to provide sanitation coverage in rural areas.

Financial support is provided to all the States under the SBM (G), depending upon their utilization of available funds under the programme. Total fund requirement of funds under SBM (G) is Rs. 1,34,386.61 crore out of which Rs. 1,00,447.02 crore is the central share.

(c) and (d) A sanitation project in rural areas of the country with World bank assistance is under consideration. Details of the Project are yet to be finalized.

(e) Yes Madam.

(f) Preliminary discussions with State Governments and the World Bank have been held.

(g) No Madam,

(h) Does not arise.