

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1685  
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Swachh Bharat Mission  
Singh Shri Kirti Vardhan

**Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide legal backing to Swachh Bharat Mission;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether details of punishment, fine and enforcement of law is being worked out in this regard; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (d) As sanitation is a State Subject, it is upto the State Governments to provide legal backing to Swachh Bharat Mission, if considered necessary by them.