

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

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Convergence of Sanitation Schemes
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Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is considering convergence of Swachh Bharat Mission with other schemes; and
(b) 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) guidelines already provide for convergence with other schemes such as drinking water, provision of toilets for schools and anganwadis, river cleaning, menstrual hygiene, pension beneficiary schemes, maternal health schemes and schemes for the girl child, livelihood schemes etc.