

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3910
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Housing Scheme for Retired Government Employees
Azad Shri Kirti (JHA)

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government proposes to provide houses to launch housing scheme for retired Government employees; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION
(SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)

(a) & (b): 'Land' and 'Colonisation' are State subjects and therefore, it is the responsibility of State Governments to provide housing to all citizens including retired Government Employees. To supplement the efforts of State Governments, the Central Government, in pursuance of Government's vision of facilitating housing to all by 2022, has launched the Pradhan Mantari Awas Yojana – Housing for All (Urban) Mission. According to this, industries are to plan and make provision for housing facilities for all its employees. It further envisages that housing for its employees should be an integral part of industrial set up and planning by State Governments. In addition, Central Government Employees Welfare Housing Organisation (CGEWHO) constructs houses for both serving and retired Government Employees on no-profit-no-loss basis.
