

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

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TOILETS IN SCHOOLS AND ANGANWADI

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

- (a) whether the Government has revised or proposes to revise the unit cost of school and Anganwadi Toilets being constructed under the Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM), if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of the revised cost and new specifications approved by the Government, along with the quantum of additional financial expenditure likely to be incurred for the purpose;
- (c) the number of school and Anganwadi toilet units constructed so far against the targets fixed, State/UT-wise and the reasons for delay, if any, in achieving the targets;
- (d) whether the Government has any separate initiative/component to ensure sufficient toilets in schools under SBM, if so, the details thereof along with the status of implementation; and
- (e) the total funds earmarked for this initiative/component along with the funding pattern among the Government, Public Sector Undertakings and Private Sector in the last year?

**Answer**

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

- (a) After the launch of Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) on 2nd October, 2014, school and anganwadi toilets are to be provided by the Ministry of Human Resource Development HRD and Ministry of Women and Child Development respectively.
- (b) Under Nirmal Bharat Abhiyan (NBA), the unit cost of school toilet was Rs. 35000/-(Rs.38500 for Hilly and difficult areas) and unit cost of Anganwadi toilets was Rs. 8000 (Rs. 10000 for Hilly and difficult areas)
- (c) State/UT-wise number of school and Anganwadi toilet units constructed so far against the targets fixed under Total Sanitation Campaign (TSC)/ Nirmal Bharat Abhiyan (NBA) is at Annexure-1.
- (d) and (e) After launch of Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) on 2nd October, 2014, school toilets are to be provided by Ministry of Human Resource Development HRD. As per information provided by Ministry of Human Resource Development, aprovision for construction of 4.19 lakh toilets through SSA and RMSA (2.42 lakh), Central PSUs (1.69 lakh), private corporate (4,562), and Swachh Bharat Kosh (5,245) has been made. Of these, around 73,201 have been completed and 1.12 lakh are under construction.