

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4243

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FUNDS UNDER IAY FOR FLOOD AND DROUGHT AFFECTED AREAS

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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

a. the number of requests received by the Union Government for allocation of additional funds under Indira AwaasYojana (IAY) for flood and drought affected areas in backward regions of the country during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT and year-wise; b. whether the Union Government has made available additional funds to these States; and c. if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)

(a) to (c) Five percent of IAY allocation is kept as reserve funds within the Ministry for utilizing for Special Projects, which include rehabilitation of BPL families affected by natural calamities like floods etc. The special projects are sanctioned over and above the normal targets and allocation to the States under IAY. The State/UT-wise number of districts for which requests were received and the funds released for flood affected areas during each of the last three years and the current year are at Annexure.