

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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ALLOCATION OF FUNDS UNDER IAY
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to allot funds under Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY) and other rural development schemes based on the population of the State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

(a) to (c) Allocation of funds under Indira Awaas Yojana(IAY) and other rural development schemes is done based on the criterion under the respective schemes. Under Indira Awaas Yojana, allocation of funds to various states is on the basis of 75% weightage to housing shortage in rural areas and 25% weightage to the number of people below poverty line (BPL).