GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOME AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3800 ANSWERED ON:05.08.2014 SETTING UP OF NIDM Rao Shri Rayapati Sambasiva

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2004 envisages establishment of one National Institute Of Disaster Management in the new state of Andhra Pradesh; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI KIREN RUJJU)

(a) to (b): Yes, Madam. According to the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2014, the Government of India has to establish the National Institute of Disaster Management (NIDM) in the Successor State of Andhra Pradesh within a period of 10 years.

At the initiative of the Central Government, the Government of Andhra Pradesh has identified land in Guntur district for establishment of NIDM. The Institute is expected to be established well before the stipulated time.