GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2848 ANSWERED ON:10.12.2014 SHELTER FOR HOMELESS Girri Shri Maheish;Kumar Dr. Arun

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

- (a) whether the Government has any data regarding the homeless people in Delhi;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the number of women and children therein;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (d) the efforts being made by the Government to ensure that all homeless people get accommodation in night shelters in winters; and
- (e) the district-wise details of night shelters available and being arranged in NCT of Delhi?

Answer

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

- (a) to (c): As per a survey conducted by Delhi Government in June 2014, a total no of 16760 Homeless people were found including approximately 1366 women and 1648 children.
- (d): As per Government of NCT Delhi, efforts are being made to ensure that all homeless people get accommodation in Night Shelters in Winters. Delhi Urban Shelter Improvement Board (DUSIB) is taking up the issue with DDA for procurement of five more plot in different part of Delhi. the details of which are as under:-
- (i) Sector 20, Service Centre, Dwarka,
- (ii) Sector 26, Phase II (HAF Pkt II), Dwarka,
- (iii) Sector 18, Pocket F, Rohini,
- (iv) Narela, near Mandi, and
- (v) Narela, near Truck Terminal.

Further for construction of permanent Night Shelters as per the guidelines of 'Scheme for Shelter of Urban Homeless' under National Urban Livelihoods Mission (NULM) is being taken up at seven sites identified in this regard. The details of which are as under:-

- (i) IFC, Gazipur
- (ii) Service Centre, Sector-9, Dwarka
- (iii) PSP Area, Sector-22, Rohini
- (iv) Kakrola, Sector-16 B, Dwarka
- (v) OCF Pocket, IFC, Narela
- (vi) Sector-5, Rohini
- (vi) Nangloi, Phase-II
- (e): The district-wise details of night shelters in NCT of Delhi are as under:-

Revenue District No. of Shelters Central 75 East 12 New Delhi 13 North 16 North East 09 North West 07 Shahdara 08 South 02 South East 16 South West 06 West 20 Total 184