

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2464  
TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, THE 26<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2018**

**ITEMS OF WORK UNDER MPLAD**

**2464. SHRI LAKHAN LAL SAHU:**

**Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has issued any guidelines to include items of work under MPLAD scheme;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the names of said items of work;**
- (c) whether the Government has also decided to increase the amount of funds under the MPLAD scheme keeping in view the increased items of work and time;**
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and**
- (e) whether any decision has been taken/ is likely to be taken to issue the said guidelines for implementation and if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI VIJAY GOEL)**

**(a) and (b) Government has revised the Guidelines for MPLAD Scheme in June 2016, keeping in view the objective of MPLADS to create durable community assets of developmental nature based on locally felt needs. An illustrative list of these works are available in Annexure IV-E of the Guidelines. Some special items and works of non-durable nature are also included in the Guidelines at Annexure II-A.**

**Moreover, some items like providing Wi-Fi system at educational institutions, villages and selected places, providing solar lighting system for public use, procurement of equipment for skill development and training have also been included by issuing circulars subsequent to the publication of the aforesaid Guidelines.**

**(c) No, Madam.**

**(d) Does not arise.**

**(e) In view of reply to part (a) and (b), question does not arise.**

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