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HOUSEHOLDS UNDER NRLM .

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Will the Minister of COALCOALCOALCOALRURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :-

(a) whether Government has proposed to incorporate 4.5 crore households into Self - Help Groups (SHGs) under the National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM);

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the longitudinal and coverage targets set by Government for the same with special reference to Uttar Pradesh; and

(d) the funds allocated by the Centre for the same, State-wise and year-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

(SHRI PRADEEP JAIN `ADITYA`)

(a)&(b): Yes, Sir. Universal social mobilization through formation of Self Help Groups (SHGs) under National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM) will ensure at least one member of each rural BPL family, preferably a woman member, is covered under SHG network. The objective is to cover all the rural poor households in a phased manner.

(c)&(d): The NRLM will be implemented in a phased manner. It is proposed to cover all the States, including Uttar Pradesh, within a period of seven to eight years. Under NRLM, the Central allocation for the States will be made in relation to the inter-se incidence of poverty among the states. The tentative allocation for the next financial year will be communicated to the States in advance to enable them initiate preparation of Annual Action Plan. Upon the appraisal of State Poverty Reduction Perspective Plan, the State Rural Livelihoods Mission (SRLM) will enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with NRLM. The final allocation to the States for the year will depend upon the State Action Plan for Poverty Reduction, appraised and approved by the Ministry of Rural Development.