GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 723 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.07.2015

ASSET MAPPING OF PANCHAYATS

723. SHRI C.M. RAMESH:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) whether asset mapping of Panchayats has been started;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) how this mapping helps in providing better amenities to Panchayats and villages?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ (SHRI NIHAL CHAND)

- (a) & (b): A pilot of asset mapping was completed in eight Gram Panchayats in three States of Haryana, Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan in June, 2015.
- (c): The objective of this project is to map all the immoveable assets within a Panchayat/equivalent local body. The digital map thus prepared helps in taking informed development planning decisions relating to infrastructural issues like drinking water supply, irrigation, afforestation, rain water harvesting, health, sanitation, connectivity, education, etc.
