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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1522
TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 04, 2020**

DAY-NULM IN GUJARAT

NO. 1522. SHRI NARANBHAI J. RATHWA :

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:-

- a) whether Government has implemented the Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM) in Gujarat;
- b) if so, the number of the beneficiaries under this scheme in Gujarat at present;
- c) whether the number of the beneficiaries in Gujarat is lower than the national average;
- d) if so, the reasons therefor and the steps taken by Government to bring reform in this regard; and
- e) the initiatives taken in this direction by Government in Gujarat in order to achieve rapid progress in reforms?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF
THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)**

- (a): Yes, Sir. The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs is administering “Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana- National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM)” w.e.f. September, 2013 in the country, including Gujarat.
- (b): The number of beneficiaries of DAY-NULM in Gujarat include 1,98,963 members of Self Help Groups, 42,673 candidates skill trained, 12,819 beneficiaries assisted for setting up of individual/ group micro enterprises, and 1,90,963 urban street vendors identified in survey.
- (c) to (e) : Under the Mission, as per their capacities and requirements, respective states/union territories notify the urban local bodies to implement either the entire mission or the components of the Mission therein. The states/UTs identify the beneficiaries as those living below poverty line in urban areas. Further, the coverage may be broadened by including families of disadvantaged groups like SCs, STs, women, minorities, disabled etc subject to a maximum of 25 percent of the above urban poor population.
