

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2947
TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 27, 2023

STATUS OF BASIC SERVICES TO THE URBAN POOR (BSUP) SCHEME

NO. 2947. SHRI ABIR RANJAN BISWAS:
DR. SANTANU SEN:

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

- (a) the details of sanctioned projects under Basic Services to the Urban Poor (BSUP) scheme have missed their deadline for completion;
- (b) the details of funds allocated, released, and utilized under the said scheme, State/UT-wise and project-wise;
- (c) whether Government has reviewed / proposes to review the said scheme since its inception to address its shortcomings;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; year-wise, State-wise; and
- (e) if not reviewed, by when Government is planning to do so and the details thereof?
- (f) the details of the steps taken by Government for effective implementation of the scheme across the country?

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)

- (a)&(b) Government of India launched Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JnNURM) in December, 2005 for assisting States/Urban Territories (UTs) by extending Central Assistance for providing houses and related civic amenities to urban poor including slum dwellers in 65 select cities under Basic Services to the Urban Poor (BSUP) and in other cities/towns under Integrated Housing and Slum Development Programme (IHSDP). The period of JnNURM was upto March, 2012. However, to complete the on-going projects sanctioned upto 31.03.2012, the period was extended upto March 2017. Since 01.04.2017, no funds have been released to States/UTs under said scheme.
- (c) to (f): The Ministry reviewed status of implementation of projects under JnNURM on a regular basis with States/UTs through Monthly Review Meetings, in the meetings of Central Sanction and Monitoring Committee, field visits etc. Moreover, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) is implementing Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban (PMAY-U) 'Housing for All' Mission since 25.06.2015 through States/Union Territories (UTs) for providing all-weather pucca houses to all eligible urban beneficiaries across the country. The Ministry has approved 120.42 lakh houses as on 20.03.2023 based on the project proposals submitted by States/UTs, out of which 1.09 crore have been grounded and 72.6 lakh have been completed/delivered to the beneficiaries.
