

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3273
ANSWERED ON 29/03/2023

PREPARATION OF DEVELOPMENT PLAN BY GRAM PANCHAYATS

3273 **DR. SANTANU SEN:**

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) number of Gram Panchayats in the country that have prepared their Development Plans in last five years, year-wise, State-wise, district-wise for West Bengal;
- (b) whether Government is considering proposals to improve the scheme's functioning, including, but not restricted to, increasing accountability of Development Planning Commissions for Gram Panchayats and magnifying the number of projects completed; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PANCHAYATI RAJ

(SHRI KAPIL MORESHWAR PATIL)

- (a) Gram Panchayats are constitutionally mandated to prepare plans for economic development and social justice. Break up of Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP) last 5 years is mentioned below: -

1. FY 2018-19: Total GPDP prepared: 215802
2. FY 2019-20: Total GPDP prepared: 250138
3. FY 2020-21: Total GPDP prepared: 251338
4. FY 2021-22: Total GPDP prepared: 256156
5. FY 2022-23: Total GPDP prepared: 255906

Details State-wise GPDP prepared in last 5 years and District-wise for West Bengal is at **annexure A and B**.

- (b) And (c): There is no Development Planning Commissions. The Ministry has been rolling out the People's Plan Campaign as 'Sabki Yojana Sabka Vikas' since 2018 for the preparation of evidence-based, holistic and inclusive Plan in a structured manner for the next financial year

through people's participation. This year, the campaign is being undertaken from 2nd October 2022 for preparation of the thematic Gram Panchayat Development Plan for the next financial year i.e. 2023-24 through people's participation. The People's Plan Campaign is an effective strategy for ensuring preparation of participatory Gram Panchayat Development Plans in a campaign mode with involvement of the community, elected representatives, frontline workers of respective Line Departments, Self Help Groups, and other key stakeholders.

Annexure-A

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of the Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3273 to be answered on 29.03.2023.

State-Wise details of Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP) last 5 Year

Sr. No.	State/UT	Financial Year				
		2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
1	Andaman and Nicobar Island	0	70	70	70	70
2	Andhra Pradesh	12897	12899	13200	13351	13323
3	Arunachal Pradesh	107	1769	1678	1883	1960
4	Assam	2196	2184	2154	2118	2193
5	Bihar	6433	7565	8386	8377	8067
6	Chhattisgarh	10977	10980	11663	11660	11650
7	Goa	15	191	191	191	191
8	Gujarat	14255	14051	14273	14210	14149
9	Haryana	6204	6198	6140	6155	6225
10	Himachal Pradesh	3126	3197	3222	3597	3600
11	Jammu and Kashmir	127	4348	42	2022	4289
12	Jharkhand	4350	4298	4363	4350	4338
13	Karnataka	6006	6011	6008	5952	5867
14	Kerala	369	925	941	941	941
15	Ladakh	0	0	0	193	193
16	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0
17	Madhya Pradesh	75	22744	22801	22704	22929
18	Maharashtra	27776	27794	27876	27876	27805
19	Manipur	161	161	161	2631	758
20	Meghalaya	0	936	0	0	0
21	Mizoram	0	10	834	30	763
22	Nagaland	0	806	0	1195	0
23	Odisha	6761	6298	6797	6798	6779
24	Puducherry	0	0	0	0	0
25	Punjab	12578	13113	13181	13238	13219
26	Rajasthan	9890	9906	11215	11315	11302
27	Sikkim	185	185	185	184	180
28	Tamil Nadu	12524	12504	12322	11876	12079
29	Telangana	8455	10109	12764	12769	12757
30	The Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman And Diu	0	0	0	38	38
31	Tripura	561	1165	1178	1178	1176
32	Uttarakhand	7775	7759	7791	7791	7780
33	Uttar Pradesh	58770	58737	58673	58235	58076
34	West Bengal	3229	3225	3229	3228	3209
	Total	215802	250138	251338	256156	255906

Annexure – B

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Details of District-wise GDP prepared in last 5 years for West Bengal

Sl. No.	District	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
1	24 Paraganas North	199	197	199	198	199
2	24 Paraganas South	310	310	310	310	307
3	Alipurduar	66	66	66	66	64
4	BANKURA	190	189	190	190	190
5	BIRBHUM	167	167	167	167	167
6	COOCHBEHAR	128	128	128	128	125
7	DARJEELING	22	22	22	22	22
8	DINAJPUR DAKSHIN	64	64	64	64	64
9	DINAJPUR UTTAR	98	99	98	98	97
10	HOOGHLY	207	207	207	207	207
11	HOWRAH	157	157	157	157	157
12	JALPAIGURI	80	80	80	80	79
13	JHARGRAM	79	79	79	79	79
14	MALDAH	146	146	146	146	142
15	MEDINIPUR EAST	223	222	223	223	223
16	MEDINIPUR WEST	211	211	211	211	211
17	MURSHIDABAD	250	250	250	250	245
18	NADIA	185	184	185	185	185
19	PASCHIM BARDHAMAN	62	62	62	62	62
20	PURBA BARDHAMAN	215	215	215	215	214
21	PURULIA	170	170	170	170	170
	Total	3229	3225	3229	3228	3209
