

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 66
ANSWERED ON 22/07/2024

DISPLACED SLUM RESIDENTS

66. SHRI MANOJ KUMAR JHA

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

- (a) the number of slums demolished in the country in the last three years, State-wise details thereof;
- (b) the number of displaced slum residents in the country, State-wise details thereof;
- (c) the number of displaced slum residents who have received housing and rehabilitation assistance in the last three years, State-wise details thereof;
- (d) whether any deaths have been reported due to lack of shelter in the country in the last three years; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

(SHRI TOKHAN SAHU)

(a) to (e): 'Land' and 'Colonisation' are State subjects. Therefore, schemes related to housing including slums are implemented by States/Union Territories (UTs). However, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) supplements the efforts of States/UTs by providing Central Assistance under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana – Urban (PMAY-U) since June 25, 2015 to provide pucca house in urban areas including slums across the country through four verticals i.e., Beneficiary Led Construction (BLC), Affordable Housing in Partnership (AHP), In-Situ Slum Redevelopment (ISSR) and Credit Linked Subsidy Scheme (CLSS). Based on the project proposals submitted by States/UTs, more than 1.18 crore houses have been sanctioned so far. Out of which, more than 114.33 lakh have been grounded for construction, of which more than 85.04 lakh are completed/delivered to the eligible beneficiaries including slum dwellers. The implementation period of PMAY-U scheme which was earlier from 25.06.2015 to 31.03.2022, has since been extended up to 31.12.2024, except CLSS vertical, to complete all the houses sanctioned under the scheme without changing the funding pattern and implementation methodology. Data pertaining to the number of slums demolished, the number of displaced slum residents and the number of deaths reported due to lack of shelter in the country is not maintained by this Ministry.
