

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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SWACHH BHARAT MISSION (GRAMEEN) IN ANDHRA PRADESH

736. SHRI RYAGA KRISHNAIAH:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the targets and timelines of the Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) Grameen;
- (b) whether Government has implemented the SBM-Grameen in Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) if so, the details thereof including the funds allocated, sanctioned, and released in the last three years;
- (d) whether the progress of SBM-Grameen in Andhra Pradesh has been as per the stipulated targets and timelines; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI
(SHRI V. SOMANNA)

(a) to (e) Swachh Bharat Mission (Grameen) [SBM(G)] was launched by the Government on 2nd October, 2014 with the main aim to make the rural area of the country Open Defecation Free (ODF) by 2nd October, 2019. All the villages in the country declared themselves ODF by 2nd October, 2019. Having achieved the ODF status, Phase II of SBM(G) has been launched with effect from 1st April, 2020 for a period of 5 years with the objective to sustain the Open Defecation Free (ODF) status of villages and to cover all villages with Solid and Liquid Waste Management (SLWM) and visually clean. The SBM(G) is being implemented in 34 States/UTs including Andhra Pradesh. The year wise Centre share allocated and released in Andhra Pradesh during last three years under SBM(G) are given below:

| Year | Amount (in Rs. Crores) | |
|---------|------------------------|----------|
| | Allocation | Released |
| 2021-22 | 437.64 | 58.26 |
| 2022-23 | 676.79 | 147.03 |
| 2023-24 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

Out of 15993 villages in Andhra Pradesh, 15786 villages have been declared Open Defecation Free (ODF) Plus (Aspiring -14252, Rising-704, Model- 830) so far.