GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 76 ANSWERED ON 25/11/2024

URBAN HOUSEHOLDS CONNECTED TO PIPED SEWER SYSTEM

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

- (a) the details regarding urban households connected to piped sewer system, State-wise;
- (b) the details regarding urban households having septic tank sewer system in place, State-wise;
- (c) whether Government has taken any steps to ensure that all urban households get connected to piped sewer system and will have septic tank sewer system in a specified time-frame; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI TOKHAN SAHU)

- (a) & (b): As per the Census of India 2011, the details of state-wise urban households connected to piped sewer system and septic tank is at Annexure-1.
- (c) & (d): Sanitation being a state subject, management of sewerage and septage system in the cities/towns is the responsibility of the State Governments and the Urban Local Bodies (ULBs)/Urban Development Authorities. However, Government of India supplements the efforts of the States and Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) in providing infrastructure for basic services such as sewerage and septage infrastructure in urban areas through its various flagship Missions like Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) and AMRUT 2.0.

MoHUA is implementing AMRUT in selected 500 cities (485 cities including 15 merged cities) and towns across the country covering approximately 65% of urban population. Under AMRUT, ₹32,456 crore (42%) has been allocated to sewerage and septage projects. So far, 888 projects worth ₹34,487.86 crore have been grounded in the sewerage and septage management sector, of which work worth ₹32,022 crore have been physically completed. Till date, 149 lakh sewer/septage connections [including households covered through Fecal Sludge and Septage Management (FSSM)] have been provided through AMRUT and in convergence against targeted 145 lakh sewer/septage connections.

In addition, AMRUT 2.0 scheme has been launched on 1st Oct 2021 in all the ULBs/cities, enabling the cities to become 'self-reliant' and 'water secure'. Providing universal coverage of sewerage & septage management in 500 AMRUT cities is one of the major focus areas of AMRUT 2.0. Under AMRUT 2.0, so far 595 projects worth ₹68,198 crore have been approved by MoHUA under Sewerage and septage management sector for augmentation of around 151.74 lakh new/service sewer connections, 35,871 km sewerage network and 6784 MLD of sewage treatment capacity.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (b) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 76 REGARDING "URBAN HOUSEHOLDS CONNECTED TO PIPED SEWER SYSTEM", DUE FOR ANSWER IN THE RAJYA SABHA ON 25.11.2024.

	Number of Urban Househole		Sewer System & Sep	tic Tank
(as per Census of India 2011)				
Sl No	State/UT	Total number households	Piped sewer syster	Septic tank
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	34,346	1,033	28,584
2	Andhra Pradesh	67,78,225	22,86,517	30,10,062
3	Arunachal Pradesh	65,891	9,075	35,330
4	Assam	9,92,742	1,48,928	4,98,977
5	Bihar	20,13,671	1,45,281	10,61,688
6	Chhattisgarh	12,38,738	1,12,771	6,02,010
7	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	37,655	3,019	27,013
8	Daman & Diu	47,631	2,982	36,975
9	Goa	1,98,139	36,911	1,17,575
10	Gujarat	54,16,315	32,70,206	13,13,454
11	Jharkhand	14,95,642	2,09,864	7,35,837
12	Karnataka	53,15,715	28,33,740	9,06,083
13	Kerala	36,20,696	5,18,633	20,52,709
14	Lakshadweep	8,180	235	7,676
15	Madhya Pradesh	38,45,232	7,75,253	19,27,886
16	Maharashtra	1,08,13,928	40,84,808	30,96,573
17	Manipur	1,71,400	12,693	73,875
18	Meghalaya	1,16,102	11,241	79,781
19	Mizoram	1,16,203	5,916	82,885
20	Nagaland	1,15,054	5,195	77,394
21	NCT of Delhi	32,61,423	19,71,587	8,04,480
22	Odisha	15,17,073	1,73,924	6,83,396
23	Puducherry	2,06,143	40,984	1,25,466
24	Rajasthan	30,90,940	7,92,252	14,09,975
25	Sikkim	35,761	12,284	19,912
26	Tamil Nadu	89,29,104	24,47,780	33,85,422
27	Tripura	2,35,002	15,691	88,346
28	Uttar Pradesh	74,49,195	21,07,698	34,91,029
29	West Bengal	63,50,113	8,62,034	28,85,743
30	Chandigarh	2,28,276	1,96,202	1,954
31	Haryana	17,51,901	9,59,662	4,16,287
32	Himachal Pradesh	1,66,043	67,654	75,239
33	Jammu & Kashmir	5,17,168	1,30,728	1,96,116
34	Punjab	20,94,067	13,34,882	4,17,428
35	Uttarakhand	5,92,223	1,87,584	3,14,277
	Total	7,88,65,937	2,57,75,247	3,00,87,437