

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1248
ANSWERED ON 10.03.2025

PMJVK IN HIMACHAL PRADESH

1248. DR. SIKANDER KUMAR:

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is formulating any scheme to address the 'development deficits' seen in Minority Concentration Districts in the State of Himachal Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of funds released under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK) by the Government for CHC projects during the current year in the State of Himachal Pradesh; and
- (d) whether Government is proposing any measures for upliftment of minorities in the State?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS

(SHRI KIREN RIJU)

- (a) , (b) & (d) Ministry of Minority Affairs is running Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK), a Centrally Sponsored Scheme, which is being implemented by via respective States Government/Union Territories with the objective to develop community infrastructure projects in the sectors viz. Health, Skill Development, Women Centric Projects, Drinking Water and Supply, Sanitation and Sports in the identified minority concentration areas across the country with development deficits with an aim of for socio-economic development of the population in the said area. The scheme is being implemented in all the States/UTs including the State of Himachal Pradesh.
- (c) An amount of Rs. 5.00 cr has been released to the State of Himachal Pradesh on 24.12.2024 as a common pool funds for the project approved to the state, including CHC project in Kaza under PMJVK.
