GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4758 TO BE ANSWERED ON 30.03.2017

FUNDS FOR TOILETS UNDER ADARSH GRAM YOJANA

4758. SHRI PARESH RAVAL:

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes more fund for 100 % toilets in the villages selected under Adarsh Gram Yojana and if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the details of the funds allocated and released to Gujarat during the last three years under the said scheme?

ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a): Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) has been launched from 2.10.2014 to accelerate sanitation facilities in the rural areas. Since Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) is a demand driven programme, statewise funds are not allocated. As per Guidelines of the Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin), Gram Panchayats / Villages selected under the Saansad Adarsh Gram Yojana (SAGY) are being given priority under Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin).

(b): The Saansad Adarsh Gram Yojana (SAGY) utilises resources available from a range of existing schemes in a convergent manner and as such no additional funding is deemed necessary. The central share released to Gujarat under Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) during last three years is as under,

Sl	Year	Fund released (Rs crore)
1	2013-14	52.64
2	2014-15	156.07
3	2015-16	478.22
