

Government of India
Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1901
TO BE ANSWERED ON **27-07-2017**

Swachh Bharat Mission

1901. SHRI ABHISHEK SINGH:

Will the Minister of **DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION** be pleased to state:

- (a) the items of work undertaken in Chhattisgarh under Swachh Bharat Mission-Gramin (SBM-G);
- (b) the number of people who have been benefited under SBM-G in the State; and
- (c) the items of works pending under SBM-G till now and the time by which these items of works are likely to be completed in the State?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER &
SANITATION**

(SHRI RAMESH CHANDAPPA JIGAJINAGI)

(a) Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) was launched on 2nd October, 2014 with the aim to attain a Swachh Bharat by 2nd October 2019. The incentive for individual household latrine (IHHL) is Rs. 12000 and is provided to the BPL category and identified Above Poverty Line (APL). Sanitation Coverage in Chhattisgarh on the launch of SBM(G) as on 2.10.2014 was **36.65%**. This has increased to **85.59%** as on **24.7.2017**. Total **21,39,533** Individual household latrines were constructed since launch of SBM(G) on 2.10.2014 in Chhattisgarh. Out of **19648** villages in Chhattisgarh, **13379 (68.09%)** Villages have been declared Open Defecation Free (ODF). In addition, **65** Blocks and **7** districts have also been declared ODF.

(b) The number of households in Chhattisgarh who are having access to IHHL after the launch of SBM(G) is 21,39,533.

(c) 629812 Individual household latrines (IHHLs) are to be constructed in Chhattisgarh. All households in rural areas of Chhattisgarh are to be provided toilets by 31st October, 2018 by the State Government.