LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1238 To be answered on the 22nd December, 2017 (Pausha 01, 1939 (Saka))

Externally Aided Projects of Gujarat

1238. SHRI DEVUSINH CHAUHAN:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- a) Whether the 6 projects of the Government of Gujarat viz. Saurashtra Narmada Avataran Irrigation Project (SAUNI)-Phase II Costing Rs. 6400 crores, Rural Roads Development Project costing Rs. 4500 crores, Water Supply and Underground Sewerage Project-GUDM costing Rs. 2200 crores, Smart City Project-Vadodara Municipal Corporation costing Rs. 750 crores, Development of Fishing Harbours and Fish Landing Centers costing Rs. 1850 crores and Solid Waste Management Projects of Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation costing Rs. 515 crores for external aid are pending for approval with the Union Government; and
- b) if so, the time by which these projects will be cleared for funding?

<u>ANSWER</u>

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI P. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a)&(b) Three projects of the Government of Gujarat viz. Saurashtra Narmada Avataran Irrigation Project (SAUNI)-Phase II, Water Supply and Underground Sewerage Project-GUDM and Solid Waste Management Projects of Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation, have been posed to ADB for financing. One project, namely, Rural Roads Development Project has been signed with Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank (AIIB) for external funding. For the remaining 2 projects viz. Smart City Project-Vadodara Municipal Corporation costing Rs. 750 crores and Development of Fishing Harbours and Fish Landing Centers costing Rs. 1850 crores, the State Government has been advised to submit revised proposals.