

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2485**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 02<sup>ND</sup> JANUARY, 2018/ PAUSHA 12, 1939 (SAKA)**

**FLOOD SHELTER HOMES**

**2485. DR. RAVINDRA BABU:**

**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

**(a) whether the Government is aware that flood shelter homes are being constructed in an improper manner which cannot accommodate people during floods, as was clearly evident during the recent floods in the East Godavari district of Andhra Pradesh;**

**(b) if so, whether the Government proposes to consider a common policy between the Union and the State Governments about plan and design of construction of flood shelter homes which could be utilised in the non-flood season also for other social activities; and**

**(c) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)**

**(a) to (c): No such report has been received in this Ministry.**

**As per the information made available by the State Government of Andhra Pradesh, the flood shelters cum school buildings were constructed in flood affected mandals viz. Sakhinetipalli, Razole, Mamidikuduru, P. Gannavaram and Mummidivaram during the years 2000-02 for the purpose of running the existing schools uninterruptedly in the flood affected areas of Amalapuram division in East Godavari District. The constructions are**

**still in working condition and are being used for the intended schools purpose.**

**Subsequently, 219 Multi-Purpose Cyclone Shelters (MPCS) under National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Project (NCRMP) Phase-I (29 sanctioned for East Godavari, out of which 22 are completed) have been sanctioned for construction in Andhra Pradesh and out of which 184 have been completed.**

**The MPCSs constructed under NCRMP Phase-I will be maintained by the local community and could be utilized in the non-flood/ cyclone seasons for other social activities.**

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