

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1619

TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 06, 2018

MUNICIPAL SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANTS

No. 1619

SHRIMATI VANAROJA R:

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is true that only 64 per cent of the 816 municipal sewage treatment plants are functional; and

(b) if so, the steps proposed to be taken up by the Government to make the remaining municipal sewage treatment plants functional under Swachh Bharat Mission?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF  
HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS  
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a): Yes, Madam. As per report of March, 2015 of Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB), out of 816 Sewerage Treatment Plants (STP) in the country, 522 are functional.

(b): Creation of sewerage and sewage treatment facility is not covered under Swachh Bharat Mission-Urban (SBM-U).

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