

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5292  
TO BE ANSWERED ON WEDNESDAY, THE 28<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2018**

**PER CAPITA INCOME DIFFERENTIALS**

**5292. SHRI KUNWAR PUSHPENDRA SINGH CHANDEL:**

**Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) the details of per capita income in Economically Backward Areas including Bundelkhand in last five years;**
- (b) the economically backward areas and rest of India per capita income differentials in the country during each of the last five years and the current financial year; and**
- (c) the steps taken or being taken by the Government to bridge the gap?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI VIJAY GOEL)**

**(a) & (b): Information on per capita income in Economically Backward Areas is not available in Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.**

**(c): The Government has been implementing several programmes for skill development, self-employment, wage employment and creation of assets that aim to promote inclusive growth and thereby bridge the income gaps. These include Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihood Mission (DAY-NULM) of the Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation (MHUPA) and various rural development schemes of the Department of Rural Development (DRD), namely, Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme, Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana Gramin, Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana, Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Rural Livelihoods Mission and Deen Dayal Upadhyaya-Grameen Kaushalya Yojana.**

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