

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.6405
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.04.2018

Rashtriya Sam Vikas Yojana

†6405. SHRI ASHOK MAHADEORAO NETE:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is implementing 'Rashtriya Sam Vikas Yojana';
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the objectives of the said scheme; and
- (c) the progress of the said scheme as on date?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
(SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

(a) to (c) The Rashtriya Sam Vikas Yojana (RSVY) was launched in the financial year 2003-04 with a view to reduce regional imbalances and speed up development in the 147 identified backward districts of the country. By 31st December 2009, all 147 RSVY districts had claimed their full allocations of Rs. 45 Crore each. The RSVY was subsumed in the District component of the Backward Regions Grant Fund (BRGF) Programme in the financial year 2006-07. After the acceptance of the recommendations of the Fourteenth Finance Commission the District Component of BRGF Programme has been delinked from budgetary support of the Central Government with effect from the financial year 2015-16, on account of enhanced fiscal space made available to the States due to higher devolution from 32% to 42% of the Centre's net tax receipts to them.
