## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1464 TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.07.2018

### **REVIEW OF TARGET UNDER PMAY**

#### 1464. SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA:

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the target for construction of houses under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (PMAY) by 2018-19;
- (b) the number of houses constructed during 2016-17 which were sanctioned for that year itself and the number of houses constructed in 2016-17 to clear backlogs of the previous years;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to review the target under the said scheme and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the steps taken by the Government to increase the pace of construction of houses to meet the target?

# ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a) : Ministry of Rural Development implements Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana-Gramin (PMAY-G) from 01.04.2016. Under PMAY-G, one crore houses are targeted for construction by the year 2018-19.

(b) : Under PMAY-G, as reported by the States/UTs on AwaasSoft on 23.07.2018, 2,097 houses were constructed during the year 2016-17 which were sanctioned for the year itself and 32,12,467 houses were constructed in the year 2016-17 to clear backlog of previous years.

(c) and (d) : No, Madam. To achieve the target within the stipulated time under PMAY-G, following steps have been taken:

- i. Evidence based monitoring through I.T. based platform AwaasSoft/Mobile application, AwaasApp.
- ii. Timely availability of funds to the beneficiaries -Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT).
- iii. Attaching local functionary with each beneficiary to improve monitoring and facilitate timely construction of houses.
- iv. Performance under PMAY-G is also reviewed through Performance Review Committee (PRC) meetings, Regional Review Meetings, Area Officers visits, through National Level Monitors (NRLM) and Common Review Mission (CRM).