GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2126

TO BE ANSWERED ON JULY 31, 2018

INTEGRATED TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

No. †2126. SHRI MANSUKHBHAI DHANJIBHAI VASAVA:

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

(a) whether the integrated transmission system of sewerage for Narmada and Bharuch districts of Gujarat is being funded by the Government;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government proposes to take the assistance of any foreign agency to set up sewerage system in Narmada and Bharuch districts of Gujarat; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS

(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a) & (b). Sewerage and Septage Management is a major component of Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT).

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In the State of Gujarat, 31 cities have been selected under the Mission including Bharuch city in Bharuch district. No town from Narmada district is included in the Mission.

Under AMRUT, selection, appraisal, approval and implementation of individual projects is done by the concerned State/Union Territory (UT). The Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs approves only the State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) submitted by the States/UTs and releases Central Assistance (CA) as per Mission guidelines. Under the Mission, funds are allocated State-wise and not city or sector wise.

For Gujarat, the Ministry has approved SAAPs for ₹ 4,884.42 crore for the entire Mission period, which includes projects costing ₹ 2,634.37 crore for sewerage & septage management.

In case of Bharuch city, so far State Government has taken up two projects for sewerage infrastructure which include sewerage network and Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) at a total cost of ₹ 43.23 crore.

(c) & (d). No, Madam.
