

**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation**

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1688  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20-12-2018

**Targets under SBM**

**1688. DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE:**

Will the Minister of **DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION** be pleased to state:

- (a) the deadline set for the Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) for achieving the targets;
- (b) the total amount required to achieve the target by the deadline;
- (c) the demand of allocation by the Ministry for Swachh Bharat Mission & National Rural Drinking Water Program during FY 2015-16, FY 2016-17, FY 2017- 18 and FY 2018-19 and the actual allocation during the same period;
- (d) whether the Government has declared 100 per cent ODF States, if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) whether any third party audit was conducted by the ministry before announcing such States 100 per cent ODF?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE**  
**MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION**  
**(SHRI RAMESH CHANDAPPA JIGAJINAGI)**

- (a) Government had launched the Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) [SBM(G)] on 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2014 with the aim to achieve 100% open-defecation free India by 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2019.
- (b) As per the Cabinet Note of SBM(G), the total estimated fund requirement under the overall Mission was Rs.1,34,386 crore as Central and State shares.
- (c) Year-wise demand for funds and the amount actually allocated under SBM(G) during the financial years 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017- 18 and 2018-19 are as under:

<b>Year</b>	<b>Projected demand (Rs. crore)</b>	<b>Actual allocation (Rs. crore)</b>
2015-16	12500.00	6525.00
2016-17	14000.00	10513.00
2017-18	25000.00	16948.00
2018-19	30343.10	15343.10*

\*In addition, amount up to Rs.15,000 crore has been provisioned to be raised through Extra Budgetary Resources.

Year-wise demand for funds and the amount sanctioned under National Rural Drinking Water Program(NRDWP) during the financial years 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017- 18 and 2018-19 are as under:

<b>Year</b>	<b>Projected demand (Rs. crore)</b>	<b>Actual allocation (Rs. crore)</b>
2015-16	16600	4373
2016-17	16600	6000
2017-18	9700	7050
2018-19	10000	7000 (as on 18.12.2018)

(d) and (e) As per the SBM(G) guidelines, villages and districts declare themselves Open Defecation Free (ODF) through a rigorous process of self-declaration, followed by a multi-level decentralized verification process by the districts and States. So far, 25 States/UTs have been declared ODF. Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation had conducted National Annual Rural Sanitation Survey (NARSS) 2017-18 through an independent agency, as per which 95.6% of ODF verified villages were confirmed to be ODF.