

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2624
To BE ANSWERED ON 27.12.2018**

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2624.SHRI ABHISHEK SINGH:

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

- (a) the funds received and utilised under Swachh Bharat Kosh which was set up to achieve the objective of clean India till October 2018; and
- (b) the details of works for which funds from Swachh Bharat Kosh can be utilized?

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

- a. The funds received under Swachh Bharat Kosh is Rs869.07 Crore and the total fund utilised is Rs. 862.36 Crore.
- b. Swachh Bharat Kosh is used for the objective of improving cleanliness levels in rural and urban areas, including in schools. It is also used to enable to bring out innovative / unique projects and girl toilets are the priority area.