

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1107**  
ANSWERED ON 13/12/2022

**PEOPLE'S PARTICIPATION IN PANCHAYATI RAJ**

1107. SHRI THIRUMAAVALAVAN THOL:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any new programme to promote people's participation in the activities of Panchayati Raj;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has any plan to promote the public cooperation and coordination in the efforts made by the Panchayats; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PANCHAYATI RAJ

(SHRI KAPIL MORESHWAR PATIL)

(a) to (d) The Ministry has been rolling out People's Plan Campaign as 'Sabki Yojana Sabka Vikas' since 2018 for preparation of evidence based, holistic and inclusive Plan in structured manner for the next financial year through people's participation. This year, the campaign is being undertaken from 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2022 for preparation of thematic Gram Panchayat Development Plan for next financial year i.e. 2023-24 through people's participation. The People's Plan Campaign is an effective strategy for ensuring preparation of participatory Gram Panchayat Development Plans in a campaign mode with voluntary involvement of community, elected representatives, frontline workers of respective Line Departments, Self Help Groups, and other related stakeholders.

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