# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI DEPARTMENT OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION

#### LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1381 TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.12.2022

#### Toilets under Swachh Bharat Abhiyan

#### 1381. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR MONDAL:

Will the Minister of **JAL SHAKTI** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has been successful in providing twelve million toilets as claimed under Swachh Bharat Abhiyan or under other schemes, as according to a UN report, forty four per cent of the total population continues to defecate in the open still in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor and the time by which it would be completed?

#### **ANSWER**

### MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI (SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

(a) to (c) Swachh Bharat Mission (Grameen) [SBM(G)] was launched by the Government on 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2014 with the main aim to make the country Open Defecation Free (ODF) by 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2019, by providing access to toilets to all the rural households. All the villages had declared themselves ODF by 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2019. The States/UTs were, however, advised to cover any left out households under the programme and to ensure that no one is left behind. Having achieved the ODF status, Phase-II of SBM(G) has been launched with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2020 with focus to sustain the ODF status and to cover all the villages with Solid and Liquid Waste Management (SLWM), i.e. to convert villages from ODF to ODF Plus, by 2024-25.

As per the findings of the Swachh Survekshan Grameen, 2022, conducted by the Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation through an independent agency, 95.4% households were found to have access to toilets.

Under SBM(G) Phase-II also, provision for providing financial incentive for construction of individual household latrines (IHHLs) for new or any left out households has been kept. As reported by the States/UTs on the online Integrated Management Information System (IMIS), since the launch of SBM(G) on 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2014, 11.09 crore IHHLs have been constructed under the programme so far. State/UT-wise details are given at **Annexure**.

## $State/UT\text{-wise, No. of Individual household latrines (IHHLs) constructed under \\SBM(G)\ since\ 2.10.2014$

S.N.	State/UT	No. of IHHLs constructed since 2.10.2014
1	A & N ISLANDS	22,527
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	42,78,472
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1,48,035
4	ASSAM	41,14,535
5	BIHAR	1,23,46,133
6	CHHATTISGARH	34,55,947
7	D & N HAVELI AND DAMAN & DIU	22,562
8	GOA	28,637
9	GUJARAT	42,36,276
10	HARYANA	6,94,800
11	HIMACHAL PRADESH	2,03,695
12	JAMMU & KASHMIR	13,13,302
13	JHARKHAND	41,56,776
14	KARNATAKA	46,32,294
15	KERALA	2,43,492
16	LADAKH	18,516
17	LAKSHADWEEP	0
18	MADHYA PRADESH	73,03,605
19	MAHARASHTRA	69,13,882
20	MANIPUR	2,72,354
21	MEGHALAYA	2,91,499
22	MIZORAM	46,125
23	NAGALAND	1,49,242
24	ODISHA	72,13,828
25	PUDUCHERRY	29,695
26	PUNJAB	5,32,730
27	RAJASTHAN	82,94,142
28	SIKKIM	13,878
29	TAMIL NADU	55,51,973
30	TELANGANA	31,07,081
31	TRIPURA	4,53,808
32	UTTAR PRADESH	2,25,58,260
33	UTTARAKHAND	5,31,218
34	WEST BENGAL	77,22,817
	GRAND TOTAL	11,09,02,136