GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 404 TO BE ANSWERED ON DECEMBER 08, 2022

DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE

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

- (a) whether the Government has set the target of cent percent scientific processing and disposal of solid waste under Clean India Mission and if so, the details thereof and the action being taken by the Government in this regard;
- (b) whether any roadmap is being prepared in this regard for future and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government is aware that several tonnes of municipal waste (garbage) that Indian cities and towns generate per day goes to landfill sites or dumping yards untreated;
- (d) if so, the facts and the details in this regard; and
- (e) the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to properly dispose of the municipal waste along with the assistance and technical know-how to be provided to the State Governments to address the issue?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)

(a) & (b): For achieving 100% management of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) funding under Swachh Bharat Mission-Urban (SBM-U) 2.0 is

provided to States/ Union Territories (UTs) for:

- (i). setting up to waste processing facilities such as Material Recovery Facility (MRFs), transfer stations, composting plants, bio methanation plants, Refused Derived Fuel (RDF) processing facilities, plastic waste processing facilities, waste to electricity, sanitary landfill, etc.;
- (ii). procuring mechanized sweeping equipment and setting up processing facilities for effective management of Construction and Demolition (C&D) waste;
- (iii). bio-remediation of all legacy dumpsites in all Urban Local Bodies (ULBs).
- (c) & (d): The position of total municipal solid waste generation and processing per day in the country is as under:

Total waste generation per day (in MT)	Total waste processing per day (in MT)
1,51,745	1,12,291.3 (74%)

(e): Apart from the Central assistance for management of MSW, Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs (MoHUA) has issued several advisories covering all components of MSW Management, right from collection and transportation to landfill reclamation. The management of MSW is further monitored through the independent third party led Garbage Free City (GFC) Star Rating Protocol, annual Swachh Survekshan and through regular field visits and interaction. In addition, funds and support is also being provided for Capacity Building (CB) and Information, Education & Communication (IEC).
