GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 448 TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.02.2020

SOCIAL AUDIT OF PMAY-G

448. SHRI MANNE SRINIVAS REDDY:

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has brought out the Social Audit guidelines for National Social Assistance Programme & Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana–Gramin (PMAY-G);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has released a report on the status of Social Audits in India; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (d): The Ministry of Rural Development has released the Social Audit Guidelines for Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana- Gramin (PMAY-G) and National Social Assistance Programme (NSAP) on 13th November, 2019. The basic objective of Social Audit is to ensure public accountability in implementation of the schemes. The Social Audit Units (SAU), set up by the State/UT Governments under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA), are to be utilized to facilitate conduct of Social Audit of both the schemes. No report on status of Social Audit in respect of PMAY-G and NSAP has been released by the States/UTs.
