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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4885

TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 25, 2021

AMRUT IN GUJARAT

NO. 4885. SHRI JASWANT SINGH BHABHOR:

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

- (a) the main objectives of Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT);
- (b) the number of cities from Gujarat covered under AMRUT;
- (c) whether this mission has been or is likely to be implemented in villages and towns; and
- (d) if so, the details of villages and towns of Gujarat covered thereunder?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a). The Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) was launched on 25 June, 2015 in 500 selected cities and towns across the country with the purpose to ensure that every household in the selected cities has access to a tap with assured supply of water and substantial improvement of sewerage connection. The Mission focuses on development of urban infrastructure in these cities in the sectors of water supply; sewerage and septage

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management; storm water drainage; green spaces and parks; and nonmotorized urban transport. Mission also mandates a set of 11 Reforms for all the Mission cities and Capacity Building activities for the Urban Local Bodies (ULBs).

(b). Thirty-one cities/towns of Gujarat have been selected under AMRUT. List of these cities is given at the Annexure.

(c) & (d). All cities / towns having population of one lakh and above as per 2011 census, all capital cities/towns of all States/Union Territories (UTs) irrespective of their population, all heritage cities/towns covered under Heritage City Development and Augmentation Yojana (HRIDAY), thirteen cities/towns on the stem of the main rivers with a population above 75,000and less than 1 lakh and ten cities from hill states, islands and tourist destinations, have been covered under AMRUT.

AMRUT being an urban infrastructure development scheme, villages do not come under the purview of the Mission.

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ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY OF PART (b)OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †4885 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 25 MARCH, 2021:

List of cities/towns covered under AMRUT in Gujarat				
Ahmadabad	Botad	Jamnagar	Nadiad	Surat
				Surendranagar
Amreli	Deesa	Jetpur Navagadh	Navsari	Dudhrej
Anand	Gandhidham	Junagadh	Palanpur	Vadodara
Bharuch	Gandhinagar	Kalol	Patan	Valsad
Bhavnagar	Godhra	Mahesana	Porbandar	Vapi
Bhuj	Gondal	Morvi	Rajkot	Veraval
Dwarka				
