

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1758
TO BE ANSWERED ON JULY 29, 2021
PROGRESS OF SWACHH BHARAT MISSION**

NO. 1758. SHRI RAJU BISTA :

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

- (a) the status and progress of Swachh Bharat Mission in West Bengal and more particularly in Darjeeling and Kalimpong districts;**
- (b) the details of funds allocated under Swachh Bharat Mission;**
- (c) whether the Government has achieved Open Defecation Free (ODF), ODF+ and ODF++ status as per the set deadline of 31.03.2020 and if so, the details thereof; and**
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government to ensure better sanitation in the country?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS**

(SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)

(a) and (b) : Progress of Swachh Bharat Mission-Urban (SBM-U) in the Urban Local Bodies(ULBs) of West Bengal, including Darjeeling Kalimpong is at Annexure. The Mission-period allocation for implementation of the Mission in West Bengal is ₹911.34 crores; out of which a total of ₹410.42 crores have been released.

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(c) : No Sir. Out of 128 ULBs, 125 ULBs have declared themselves Open Defecation Free (ODF) and 85 ULBs have been certified ODF, 02 ULBs (Barackpore Cantt. and Lebong Cantt.) in West Bengal have been certified as ODF+ and none of the ULBs are certified ODF++.

(d) : Besides releasing Central Share (CS) of funds to States and Union Territories (UTs), Government has introduced ODF+, ODF++ and Water+ protocols to impart further impetus to sustain the ODF outcomes. Under these protocols the entire value chain of sanitation is addressed, including access to toilets, cleanliness of Community Toilets/Public Toilets (CT/PTs), safe management of faecal sludge and waste water to prevent discharge of untreated liquid waste in open land or water bodies.

ANNEXURE TO PART (a) and (b) OF THE REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1758 FOR ANSWER ON 29.7.2021 REGARDING “SWACHH BHARAT MISSION”

Progress of Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban) in West Bengal

Physical Progress

(a) Toilet construction :

Type of Toilets	Target	Completed
Individual House Hold Latrines (IHHL)	5,15,000 Units	2,82,542 Units
Community/Public Toilet (CT/PT)	26,484 seats	5,746 seats

(b) Open Defecation Free (ODF) status :

ODF type	Number of certified ULBs	Total ULBs in the State
ODF	85	128
ODF+	2 (Barackpore and Lebong Cantt.)	
ODF++	Nil	

(c) Solid Waste Management :

Activity	Target (in %)	Achievement in (%)
Door-to-door collection of Solid Waste	100%	86
source segregation	100%	19
Processing	100%	9%

(d) Swachh Survekshans : West Bengal has not participated in Swachh Survekshan since the last two years (i.e., in 2019 and 2020).

Progress of SBM-U in Darjeeling and Kalimpong (Municipality)

(a) Toilet construction :

Type of Toilets	Darjeeling		Kalimpong	
	Target	Completed	Target	Completed
Individual House Hold Latrines (IHHL)	615 units	615 units	540 units	540 units
Community/Public Toilet (CT/PT)	16 seats	16 seats	22 seats	86 seats

(b) ODF status : Both Darjeeling and Kalimpong municipalities are self declared ODF.