Government of India Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No.2392

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QUESTION

North East Special Infrastructure Development Scheme

2392. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN REGION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the work being carried out/still under progress under the North East Special Infrastructure Development Scheme (NESIDS);

(b) the objective behind the NESIDS;

(c) the steps being taken by the Government for water supply, electricity and connectivity under physical infrastructure project;

(d) the provision made by the Government to promote tourism; and

(e) the details of the progress made in education and health sector?

ANSWER

Minister of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region [Shri G. Kishan Reddy]

(a) to (e) Under the North East Special Infrastructure Development Scheme (NESIDS), financial assistance is provided to enhance tourism through physical infrastructure projects relating to water supply, power and connectivity; and to upgrade social infrastructure for primary and secondary education and health. So far, 110 projects worth Rs.2563.14 crore have been sanctioned in the North Eastern States under

NESIDS and are at various stages of implementation. The sector-wise details of projects approved for funding in North Eastern States under NESIDS are as under:-

S. No.	Sector	Number of projects	Cost (Rs. in crore)
1	Connectivity	35	1138.57
2	Power	4	231.98
3	Water Supply	18	585.86
4	Education	26	96.26
5	Health	27	510.47
	Total	110	2563.14
