

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 243
TO BE ANSWERED ON FEBRUARY 03, 2022**

URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION SCHEMES

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Will the Minister of Housing & Urban Affairs be pleased to state:

- a) the details of the schemes and projects being implemented to alleviate urban poverty in the country;**
- b) the details of the achievements in respect of each scheme and project being implemented for increasing employment and business income under urban poverty alleviation schemes during the last three years and the current year especially in Andaman & Nicobar Islands;**
- c) the details of funds allocated to address the urban poverty across the country along with the funds utilized/unutilized during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;**
- d) the reasons for unspent allocations during the said period;**
- e) whether the Government has been able to meet the challenges of urban poverty which is proliferating in the country and if so, the details of the steps taken to strike a balance between urban growth and urban poverty and the success achieved by the Government in this regard; and**
- f) the other steps taken by the Government to eradicate urban poverty in the country?**

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

- (a) to (f) Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs (MoHUA) is implementing “Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM)”, in statutory towns to reduce poverty and vulnerability of urban poor households by enabling them to access gainful self-employment and skilled wage employment opportunities, in order to improve their livelihoods on a sustainable basis, through building strong grassroots level institutions for the urban poor. The mission aims at providing shelters equipped with essential services to the urban homeless. In addition, the Mission also addresses livelihoods concerns of the urban street vendors by facilitating access to suitable spaces, institutional credit, social security, etc.

The Employment through Skill Training & Placement (EST&P) component under the Mission aims to provide skill training to urban poor in market-oriented courses, so that they can set up self-employment ventures or secure salaried employment. Further, Self-Employment Programme (SEP) component focuses on financial assistance to individuals/groups/SHGs of urban poor for setting up gainful self-employment ventures or micro-enterprises. Achievements under the Mission during the last three years and the current year i.e. during 2018-19 to 2021-22 (as on 15.01.2022), including in Andaman & Nicobar Islands, is at Annexure-I.

A statement showing details of funds released to States/UTs and utilized by them, during each of the last three years and the current year i.e. during 2018-19 to 2021-22 (as on 15.01.2022), State-wise, is at Annexure-II.

NITI Aayog in its Mid Term Evaluation report on DAY-NULM has found the Mission extremely relevant, highly equity oriented, effective and impactful.

Further, MoHUA has launched PM Street Vendor’s Atma Nirbhar Nidhi (PM SVANidhi) Scheme on June 01, 2020, to facilitate micro-credit to street vendors, vending in urban areas so that they can restart their businesses, which were adversely affected during the Covid-19 pandemic.

Statement showing details of item-wise achievement under DAY-NULM during 2018-19 to 2021-22 (as on 15.01.2022), referred in part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 243 due for answer on 03.02.2022.

S. No.	Parameters	All India during 2018-19 to 2021-22 (as on 15.01.2022)	Andaman & Nicobar Island during 2018-19 to 2021-22 (as on 15.01.2022)
1	No. of Self Help Groups (SHGs) formed	3,55,937	65
2	No. of members in SHGs	35,67,135	650
3	No. of SHGs given Revolving Fund (RF)	2,73,278	42
4	No. of candidates skill trained & certified	5,81,851	0
5	No. of skill trained candidates placed	3,37,623	0
6	No. of persons assisted with loans for individual and group micro-enterprises	4,12,518	4
7	No. of loans given to SHGs under the SHG-bank linkage programme	4,61,802	0
8	No. of functional shelters for urban homeless (Cumulative)	1,661	0
9	No. of towns in which street vendor survey completed (Cumulative)	3,179	1

Annexure II

Statement showing State/UT-wise funds released by Central Government to States/UTs and funds utilized by the State/UT under DAY-NULM during 2018-19 to 2021-22 (as on 15.01.2022), referred in part (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 243 due for answer on 03.02.2022.

(₹ in crore)

Sl. No	States/UTs	2018-19		2019-20		2020-21		2021-22	
		Released	Utilized	Released	Utilized	Released	Utilized	Released	Utilized (15.01.2022)
1	Andhra Pradesh	30.20	30.20	98.45	98.45	58.23	47.19	33.10	44.15
2	Arunachal P	3.66	3.66	6.59	6.59	9.36	2.89	0.00	0.00
3	Assam	0.00	0.00	14.86	14.86	21.92	14.95	32.91	16.77
4	Bihar	42.52	42.52	31.08	31.08	30.90	18.69	0.00	0.00
5	Chhattisgarh	21.15	21.15	17.02	11.28	0.00	0.00	14.71	9.87
6	Goa	4.85	4.85	3.40	3.40	3.90	2.72	3.40	1.85
7	Gujarat	30.94	30.94	14.08	14.08	71.58	66.42	49.67	27.05
8	Haryana	0.00	0.00	29.63	29.63	10.54	0.01	0.00	7.43
9	Himachal P	1.69	1.69	6.81	6.81	10.21	0.00	5.20	10.21
10	J & K	3.23	3.23	11.56	11.56	3.67	3.53	6.25	0.13
11	Jharkhand	11.24	11.24	16.28	16.28	16.28	8.48	12.88	8.72
12	Karnataka	0.00	0.00	16.46	16.46	32.07	6.85	0.00	14.61
13	Kerala	18.60	18.60	24.09	24.09	27.90	26.13	16.65	3.71
14	Madhya P	21.60	21.60	48.80	48.80	55.09	50.44	46.22	7.39
15	Maharashtra	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	96.15	77.18	64.37	30.55
16	Manipur	0.00	0.00	3.65	0.97	2.98	0.00	0.00	0.08
17	Meghalaya	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.79	1.00	0.00	1.09

18	Mizoram	6.82	6.82	5.82	5.82	16.17	16.17	8.40	0.00
19	Nagaland	3.43	3.43	4.06	4.06	6.96	1.75	4.92	0.00
20	Odisha	16.24	16.24	14.32	14.32	20.07	12.32	13.43	13.37
21	Punjab	0.00	0.00	16.17	16.17	0.00	0.00	19.36	0.00
22	Rajasthan	31.10	31.10	38.11	38.11	39.31	37.27	40.53	2.20
23	Sikkim	1.12	1.12	2.44	1.49	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
24	Tamil Nadu	68.53	68.53	81.36	81.36	110.65	110.65	98.67	9.03
25	Telangana	15.56	15.56	42.13	42.13	38.10	22.61	31.69	31.51
26	Tripura	6.33	6.33	7.88	7.88	13.48	9.77	14.17	1.15
27	Uttar Pradesh	53.38	53.38	98.56	98.56	65.34	51.94	0.00	0.00
28	Uttarakhand	7.75	7.75	7.32	4.42	6.05	0.00	0.00	3.37
29	West Bengal	35.94	35.94	25.79	25.79	34.30	16.32	43.39	11.69
30	A & N Islands	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.28	0.00
31	Chandigarh	1.82	1.82	3.08	3.08	1.82	1.31	1.86	1.46
32	D&N Haveli, D& D	0.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
33	Ladakh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.10	0.00
34	Delhi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
35	Puducherry	1.97	1.97	2.97	2.97	4.20	0.00	0.00	0.34
	Total	439.85	439.67	692.76	680.50	812.11	606.57	564.17	257.72