GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2449 ANSWERED ON 10/12/2024

SELF-SURVEYS UNDER PMAY-G

2449. SHRI V K SREEKANDAN:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENTbe pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has allowed surveys by self for beneficiaries under the Scheme Pradhan MantriAwasYojana-Gramin;
- (b) whether it is a fact that the Government has fixed a target of two crore houses under the second phase of Pradhan MantriAwasYojana-Gramin;
- (c) whether the Government is conducting a survey to identify the beneficiaries under the said scheme to ensure that no one is left behind; and
- (d) whether the training of surveyors has been completed and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DR. CHANDRA SEKHAR PEMMASANI)

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Rural Development is implementing the Pradhan MantriAwaasYojana-Gramin (PMAY-G) w.e.f. 1st April, 2016 to provide assistance to eligible rural households for the construction of Pucca houses with basic amenities to achieve the objective of "Housing for All" in rural areas. Under PMAY-G, the initial target was construction of 2.95 crore houses during FY 2016-17 to 2023-24. The Government of India has approved the proposal for implementation of the scheme for 5 more years during FY 2024-25 to 2028-29 to provide assistance for the construction of 2 crore additional houses. Approval has also been provided for updating the

Awaas+ List for identifying eligible rural households using modified exclusion criteria under the scheme. In line with the approval of the Government of India, a survey is being conducted for the identification of additional eligible rural households under the scheme. The survey is being conducted through Awaas+ 2024 Mobile App which has already been launched on 17.09.2024. This App has provision for both self survey and assisted survey through pre registered surveyors.

(d): Orientation workshops to familiarize the registered surveyors are going on and till date in 26 States and 8 Union Territories implementing PMAY-G more than 2 lakh surveyors and other field functionaries have been oriented with the functionality and use of the Awaas+ 2024 Mobile App.
