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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4568 TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 27, 2025

PROGRESS MADE UNDER VARIOUS SCHEMES

NO. 4568. DR. LATA WANKHEDE:

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

- (a) the details of the total number of families provided pucca houses so far under the 'Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Urban along with its impact on the urban poor;
- (b) the details of the improvements made in the infrastructure and digital services in various cities under the 'Smart Cities Mission; and
- (c) the details of the initiatives taken by the Government to improve the urban sanitation and waste management under the Swachh Bharat Mission-Urban?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI TOKHAN SAHU)

(a) to (c): 'Land' and 'Colonization' are State subjects. 'Therefore, schemes related to housing, urban services, sanitation for their citizens are implemented by States/Union Territories (UTs). However, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) supplements the efforts of States/UTs in urban areas through various Missions, such as Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana - Urban (PMAY-U), Smart Cities Mission (SCM), Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT 2.0), Swachh Bharat Mission – Urban 2.0 (SBM-U 2.0).

Under PMAY-U, a total of 118.64 lakh houses have been sanctioned by the Ministry, out of which 112.73 lakh have been grounded and 91.50 lakh are completed/delivered to the beneficiaries across the country as on 17.03.2025. Further, based on the learnings from the experiences of 9 years implementation of PMAY-U, MoHUA has revamped the scheme and launched PMAY-U 2.0 'Housing for All' Mission with effect from 01.09.2024 for implementation in urban areas across the country for 1 crore additional eligible beneficiaries with an estimated investment of $\gtrless10$ lakh crore.

SCM promotes cities by providing core infrastructure and gives a decent quality of life to its citizens through application of 'Smart' Solutions. This approach promoted investment from multiple funding sources like convergence with other Central and State Government schemes, Public Private Partnership etc. 100 cities have undertaken a total of 8,063 projects amounting to ₹1,64,545 crore in the Mission. As on 04.03.2025, 7,504 projects amounting to ₹1,50,306 crore have been completed, as per the data provided by 100 Smart Cities.

SBM-U was launched with the objective to make urban areas Open Defecation Free (ODF) and for scientific processing of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) generated therein since 2nd October 2014. A total of ₹10,617.31 crore of Central Assistance has been released under SBM-U.

To carry forward the progress made, SBM-U 2.0 was launched on October 1, 2021, with a vision of creating Garbage Free cities, remediation of all legacy waste dumpsite and treatment of used water in the cities having population below 1 lakh. Under SBM-U 2.0, ₹5,420.93 crore has been released so far respectively for three components IHHL/UWM/SWM (out of mission allocation of ₹28,033.89crore for the mission period 2021-2026).

AMRUT was launched to provide water supply, sewerage & septage management, storm water drainage, green spaces & parks and nonmotorized urban transport in 500 selected cities having more than 1 lakh urban population based on plans developed by States/UTs. Further, AMRUT 2.0 with estimated investment of ₹2,77,000 crore including total Central assistance of ₹76,760 crore has been launched on October 1, 2021 to make cities water secure.

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