

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5068

ANSWERED ON:25.04.2003

POVERTY ALLEVIATION IN TRIBAL DISTRICTS

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Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received any proposal/requests from the State Governments of Gujarat,Rajasthan and West Bengal relating tribal people/areas development projects in their respective States;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the reaction of the Union Government thereon?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE):

(a) to (c) Yes, Sir. Details of the schemes/programmes of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs being implemented In the States of Gujarat, Rajasthan and West Bengal for the development of tribal people/areas, and the funds released to these States scheme-wise, during the year 2002-03, are given in the enclosed statement.