

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PLANNING
LOK SABHA**

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PENDING PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether several projects/development schemes of the State Governments are lying pending for the approval of the Union Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to grant approval to the pending projects?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI M.V. RAJASEKHARAN)

(a) to (c): No Projects / development schemes of the States are pending for approval with the Planning Commission, as the Annual Plan outlays of the States are approved by the Planning Commission alongwith broad Sectoral / sub-sectoral allocations while finalising the Annual Plans. The details of development Projects within the approved sectoral / sub- sectoral outlays are decided by the State Governments.