

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINORITY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

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WORKING OF NMDFC
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Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether an expert Committee was set up to analyse the working of the National Minorities Development and Finance Corporation (NMDFC);
- (b) if so, the composition thereof and the main recommendations of the Committee;
- (c) the action taken by the Government on the recommendations of the Committee;
- (d) the total amount of credit provided so far by the NMDFC to the minorities particularly those residing in the North-Eastern States during the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (e) whether any evaluation has been made regarding the extent to which the credit has helped the minorities in the North-Eastern States;
- (f) if so, the findings thereof;
- (g) whether the NMDFC schemes have been extended to the remaining States of North-Eastern Region viz. Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya and Sikkim; and
- (h) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS (A.R.ANTULAY)

- (a) to (h) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.