

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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REVIEW OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEMES  
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**Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has recently reviewed certain development schemes for their effective implementation;
- (b) if so, outcome thereof; and
- (c) the targets fixed for those rural development schemes?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYA KANTA PATIL)

(a), (b) & (c) The Ministry of Rural Development regularly reviews the performance of the Rural Development programmes through a comprehensive monitoring and evaluation mechanism. The outcome of such reviews revealed that the Schemes are being implemented as per guidelines by and large, and wherever shortcomings are noticed appropriate follow up action is taken. The Ministry does not ordinarily fix target for the major rural development schemes.