

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3556  
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WELFARE OF HAWKERS  
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**Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has any plan to provide houses to hawkers, if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise; and
- (b) the details of other programmes available for the welfare of the street-vendors?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)

- (a): There is no specific plan to provide houses to hawkers in the country. However, in pursuance of government's goal of providing houses for all by 2022, the Ministry is in the process of launching a comprehensive Mission for "Housing for All".
- (b): Ministry of Housing & Urban Poverty Alleviation has a scheme namely 'Support to Urban Street Vendors (SUSV)' as part of National Urban Livelihoods Mission (NULM), which aims to address the vulnerabilities of the urban street vendors through a multi-pronged approach. The scheme provides for the identification and issue of certificate of vending to street vendors and provision of infrastructure facilities to improve work environment of street vendors.