

S. No.	Name of the State/JT having Tribal Population	
10.	Vocational Training Centres in Tribal Areas	158.72
11.	"Village Grain Bank Scheme	20.48
12.	Development of Primitive Tribal Groups (PTGs)	This scheme started in 1998-99

Proposal to build two million housing units

617. SHRI NILOTPAL BASU:

SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government proposed to build two million housing units during 1998-99 of which one-third were to be in urban areas;

(b) if so, the detailed break-up of the achievements made in this regard; State-wise and urban-rural-wise;

(c) the reasons for shortfall, if any; and

(d) the justification of reiterating the same target for 1999-2000 in the Presidential Address and the specific plan for achieving it and financing source thereof?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI SUKHDEV SINGH DHINDSA): (a) to (c) The two million housing programme launched in 1998-99 is a step at ensuring construction of additional houses (13 lakh units in rural areas and 7 lakh units in urban areas) particularly for the economically weaker sections (EWS) and low income groups (LIG) categories, so as to meet the shortfall in housing stock. Under this scheme, HUDCO has sanctioned funds for 6.35 lakh units in rural

areas and 4.30 lakh units in urban areas. Under the two million housing programme, the targets and achievements are given below:-

1998-99					(in lakh)
Target-Urban	Achievement		Target-Rural	Achievement	
HUDCO	4.00	4.30	HUDCO	6.00	6.35
Cooperatives	1.00	Indira	9.87	8.36	
HFI's	1.50		Awas	1.36	Yojana 0.17
Other	0.50				
sources					
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TOTAL	7.00	6.57			

Through these programmes, housing targets are expected to be substantially met.

The State-wise and urban-rural-wise achievements by Housing and Urban Development Corporation Ltd. (HUDCO), Cooperative Housing Federations and Indira Awas Yojana during 1998-99 are given in Annexure. [See Appendix 188, Annexure No. 22]

(d) Accordingly to the National Agenda for Governance, two Million additional housing units are to be constructed every year. HUDCO, National Housing Bank through its 28 HFIs and Apex Cooperative Housing Federation under National Cooperative Housing Federation are financing this programme and targets are expected to be substantially met during 1999-2000.

Allotment of Basement space to Group Housing Societies

618. SHRI RAJUBHAI A. PARMAR:

SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:

Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that enormous built up basement space, allotted to members of DDA Group Housing Cooperative Societies,