

(c) the steps taken by Government to establish an appropriate time-line for taking action on the revival recommendations of sick CPSEs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI RADHAKRISHNAN P.): (a) and (b) Revival proposals in respect of 11 Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) have been recommended by Board for Reconstruction of Public Sector Enterprises (BRPSE) during the last five years (2009-10 to 2013-14). Out of them, the Government has approved revival proposals of 8 CPSEs.

(c) The Administrative Ministries/ Departments have been advised to process the recommendations of BRPSE for obtaining the approval of the competent authority with in a time schedule of 8 weeks. In case the administrative Ministry/ Department fails to do so within the upper time of 4 months, the concerned Ministry/ Department would have to bring a Note citing reasons for delay for the information of the Cabinet/ CCEA, and seek extension of time for submission of its proposal.

Housing shortage in country

†3129. SHRI PRABHAT JHA:

SHRI VIJAY GOEL:

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is acute housing shortage in proportion to the demand in the cities of the country, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether financial investment on a large scale is required for provision of housing commensurate with the demand in the cities; and

(c) if so, the details thereof along with the details of the measures being taken by Government to ensure sufficient financial investment?

THE MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU): (a) Yes, Sir. As per the report of the Technical Group constituted by this Ministry for estimating the housing shortage in India in the year 2012, there is a shortage of 18.78 million dwelling units across the country in urban areas. State-wise details are given in Statement (*See below*).

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The Government of India has undertaken a number of schemes like Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) {with sub-components - Basic Services to the Urban Poor (BSUP) and Integrated Housing and Slum Development

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Programme (IHSDP) , Rajiv Awas Yojana (RAY), Affordable Housing in Partnership (AHP) and Interest Subsidy for Housing the Urban Poor (ISHUP)/Rajiv Rinn Yojana (RRY) to ensure Government funding for targeted population.

To meet the objectives of the mandated programme 'Housing for All' by 2022, the Ministry has started consultations with all stakeholders.

Apart from the above schematic interventions, Government of India has brought a number of incentives like Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) and External Commercial Borrowing (ECB) for housing, tax rebates under sections 35AD and 80IB (10) of Income Tax Act, 1961, exemptions from Service Tax in certain projects sanctioned by the Government, permission for issue of Tax-free bonds, constitution of a Credit Risk Guarantee Fund etc., to ensure sufficient financial investment.

Statement

*State-wise details of Housing shortage-2012 as estimated by Technical Group (TG)
2012 set up by Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation*

Name of State/UTs	State-wise Distribution of Housing shortage-2012 (in millions)
1	2
Andhra Pradesh	1.27
Arunachal Pradesh	0.03
Assam	0.28
Bihar	1.19
Chhattisgarh	0.35
Delhi	0.49
Goa	0.06
Gujarat	0.99
Haryana	0.42
Himachal Pradesh	0.04
Jammu and Kashmir	0.13
Jharkhand	0.63
Karnataka	1.02
Kerala	0.54
Madhya Pradesh	1.10
Maharashtra	1.94

1	2
Manipur	0.08
Meghalaya	0.03
Mizoram	0.02
Nagaland	0.21
Odisha	0.41
Puducherry	0.07
Punjab	0.39
Rajasthan	1.15
Sikkim	0.01
Tamil Nadu	1.25
Tripura	0.03
Uttar Pradesh	3.07
Uttarakhand	0.16
West Bengal	1.33
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0.00
Chandigarh	0.02
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	0.05
Daman and Diu	0.01
Lakshadweep	0.01
INDIA	18.78

HUDCO assistance in West Bengal

3130. SHRI VIVEK GUPTA: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) in what capacity is Housing and Urban Development Corporation (HUDCO) is helping the economically weaker sections in building their houses and slum rehabilitation in West Bengal over the past three-years, city-wise;

(b) the details of the number of persons that benefited there-from, city-wise; and

(c) the details of units sanctioned and completed during the above period city-wise?

THE MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU): (a) to (c) During the last three years, neither the