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Shelters for urban homeless under NULM

2827. SHRI DEREK O'BRIEN: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of shelters for urban homeless set up under the National Urban Livelihoods Mission (NULM), State-wise;

(b) the number of those shelters that provide amenities including water and electricity;

(c) the amount of funds disbursed by Government for the construction of these shelters; and

(d) the number of urban homeless people who availed of these shelters, State-wise and year-wise since 2012?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION (RAO INDERJIT SINGH): (a) and (b) The number of shelters sanctioned under Shelter for Urban Homeless (SUH) component of Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM) is 815 comprising Andhra Pradesh-47; Bihar-48; Chhattisgarh-11; Gujarat-10; Himachal Pradesh-7; Jharkhand-35; Jammu and Kashmir-2; Karnataka-40; Kerala-14; Maharashtra-29; Madhya Pradesh-133; Mizoram-35; Odisha-26; Punjab-16; Rajasthan-87; Tamil Nadu-95; Telangana-43; Tripura-5; Uttarakhand-10; Uttar Pradesh-72 and West Bengal-50. The guidelines of SUH provide for all weather permanent shelters equipped with basic amenities including water and lighting.

(c) Consolidated Funds are released to the States/UTs for all seven component of DAY-NULM including SUH. In accordance with the provision of operational guidelines, the States/UTs may apportion appropriate amount for each component of DAY-NULM taking into account the actual requirement.

(d) The operations and maintenance of these shelters is entrusted to Urban Local Bodies or other agencies identified by them. Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation does not maintain details regarding urban homeless people who availed of these shelters.