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7.	Himachal Pradesh		38
8.	Jammu and Kashmir		122
9.	Jharkhand		200
10.	Karnataka		1920
11.	Kerala		3
12.	Madhya Pradesh		317
13.	Maharashtra		2181
14.	Meghalaya		460
15.	Odisha		108
16.	Punjab		17145
17.	Rajasthan		4710
18.	Tamil Nadu		90
19.	Telangana		207
20.	Uttar Pradesh		373
21.	Uttarakhand		8
22.	West Bengal		1423
	Total		47797

## Allocation for Bihar under SBM

 $\dagger$ 825. SHRI RAM NATH THAKUR: Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

- (a) amount allocated to Bihar under Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) in the current financial year;
- (b) whether the target for construction of separate toilets for boys and girls in all schools, has been achieved;
- (c) whether the achievements with regard to the target set for construction of toilets for all municipalities/gram panchayats, have not been satisfactory; and

<sup>†</sup>Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(d) the efforts being made for construction of toilets in all homes under SBM?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION (SHRI RAMESH CHANDAPPA JIGAJINAGI): (a) ₹ 659.67 crore have been allocated to Bihar under Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) in the year 2017-18.

- (b) Since launch of SBM(G) on 2.10.2014, construction of school toilets is responsibility of Ministry of Human Resource Development. As per District Information System for Education (DISE) Report 2015-16, 88.14% and 89.38% schools have Boy's and Girl's toilets in Bihar.
  - (c) No, Sir. The achievements have been reasonably satisfactory.
- (d) The Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) {SBM-G} has been launched on 2nd October, 2014. The SBM (G) aims at attaining Swachh Bharat by 2nd October, 2019 by accelerating sanitation coverage in the rural areas. Under this programme, the following efforts being made for construction of toilets in all homes under SBM:—
  - Provision of incentives for the construction of Individual Household Latrine (IHHL) has been raised to ₹ 12000 for all Below poverty Line (BPL) households and to identified Above Poverty Line (APL) households (all SCs /STs, small and marginal farmers, landless labourers with homestead, physically handicapped and women-headed households).
  - The focus of the scheme now is on behavior change and usage of toilets.
    Community based collective behaviour change is mentioned as preferred approach, although the States are free to choose their approach.
  - There is a focus on capacity building.
  - Flexibility has been provided to State in the implementation of the programme.
  - Partnerships of various stakeholders working on rural sanitation including Multilateral organisations, Civil Society Organisations, Self Help Groups (SHGs), Institutions etc. is being promoted.
  - Centre-State coordination has been increased.
  - Social media [twitter (@swachhbharat), Facebook (Swachh Bharat Mission), HIKE and WhatsApp] is being extensively used for sharing innovative ideas and cross-learning.