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43.	Projects & Development India Ltd.	-586	-892	-1058	0	0
44.	Rajasthan Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	-1976	-599	-599	0	1417
45.	Ranchi Ashok Bihar Hotel Corpn. Ltd.	-107	-168	-211	0	181
46.	Sambhar Salts Ltd.	-983	-890	-855	5368	273
47.	STCL Ltd.	-41259	-48007	-56277	0	118526
48.	TCIL Bina Toll Road Ltd.	-942	-1043	-1046	12100	274
49.	The Bisra Stone Lime Company Ltd.	-2727	-1664	-1773	751	0
50.	Tungabhadra Steel Products Ltd.	-2887	-2887	-2887	531	1209
51.	Utkal Ashok Hotel Corpn. Ltd.	-70	-197	-128	0	500

Water Supply Project under AMRUT in Tamil Nadu

- 212. DR. R. LAKSHMANAN: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:
- (a) the details of the steps taken by Government to enhance/augment water supply under the Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) in Tamil Nadu;
- (b) whether Government has fixed any benchmark regarding water supply project for States in order to prepare State Annual Action Plan;
 - (c) if so, the details thereof; and
 - (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI): (a) Under the Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT), the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs has approved State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) worth ₹ 11,195 crore submitted by the

Government of Tamil Nadu for the entire Mission period which includes projects worth ₹ 5,662 crore to enhance/augment water supply.

- (b) and (c) Yes, Sir. As per AMRUT guidelines, the basic building block for the SAAP is the Service Level Improvement Plans (SLIPs) for the AMRUT cities. Universal coverage of water supply is given top most priority while preparing the SLIPs by the Urban Local Bodies (ULBs). The ULBs assess the existing levels of coverage of water supply and thereafter plans are prepared to bridge the gap. At the State level, the SLIPs of all Mission cities are aggregated into the SAAPs.
 - (d) Does not arise.

Population below poverty line in urban areas

- 213. SHRI AMAR SHANKAR SABLE: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:
- (a) the estimated population living below poverty line in urban areas of the country, State-wise including Maharashtra;
- (b) whether any survey has been conducted recently to find out the number of urban poor and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government has any proposal to implement fresh schemes for urban alleviation; and
 - (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI): (a) and (b) As per Poverty Estimates for 2011-12 released by erstwhile Planning Commission, the percentage of persons below poverty line in 2011-12 has been estimated as 13.7% in urban areas. The details of poverty estimates State/UT-wise, including Maharashtra, is given in the Statement (*See* below). A survey to collect information on various individual parameters and household characteristics called the combined Socio-Economic Caste Census, 2011 was carried out in urban areas by respective State Government/UT Administrations. The survey has not ascertained the number of urban poor.

(c) and (d) No, Sir.

To reduce poverty and vulnerability of urban poor, *inter-alia*, the "Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM)" is being administered by Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs in all statutory towns, till 2022.