

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No.1150

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QUESTION

Losses due to climate disasters in North East

1150 . Ms. Sushmita Dev:

Will the Minister of Development of North Eastern Region be pleased to state:

- (a) the loss of properties, both private and public, due to climate-related disasters in the North East in the last five years, year-wise, State-wise;
- (b) whether Government has collated any data on the economic loss due to the climate-related disasters, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the number of casualties due to climate-related disasters in the last five years, year-wise, State-wise?

ANSWER

The Minister of State of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region
[Dr.Sukanta Majumdar]

(a) to (c) As per the Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA), that looks after matters relating to loss of human life and property due to natural calamities, State-wise information of damage caused due to natural calamity is not maintained centrally. However, as per the information received by MHA from States, the year-wise and State-wise details of damages in the wake of hydrometeorological disasters during last five years are given in Annexure-I.

**Details of damages as reported by North Eastern States due to hydrometeorological calamities
during the years 2019-20 to 2023-24***

Sl. No.	State	2019-20				2020-21				2021-22				2022-23				2023-24			
		Humans Lost (Nos)	Cattle Lost (Nos)	Houses/Huts Damaged (Nos)	Crops Area Affected (in lakh ha.)	Humans Lost (Nos)	Cattle Lost (Nos)	Houses/Huts Damaged (Nos)	Crops Area Affected (in lakh ha.)	Humans Lost (Nos)	Cattle Lost (Nos)	Houses/Huts Damaged (Nos)	Crops Area Affected (in lakh ha.)	Humans Lost (Nos)	Cattle Lost (Nos)	Houses/Huts Damaged (Nos)	Crops Area Affected (in lakh ha.)	Humans Lost (Nos)	Cattle Lost (Nos)	Houses/Huts Damaged (Nos)	Crops Area Affected (in lakh ha.)
1	Arunachal Pradesh	7	23	377	-	19	809	707	0.28	6	18	98	0.02	23	49	1045	0.001	9	14	134	-
2	Assam	101	250	140440	2.00	149	393	57931	2.67	13	-	2163	0.1	200	2043	202214	1.15	65	1671	3805	0.59
3	Manipur	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4	Meghalaya	23	-	37771	-	32	263	2374	-	2	20	1556	-	27	167	1681	0.12	26	27	2115	-
5	Mizoram	3	-	1523	-	-	-	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	212	-
6	Nagaland	19	5	1458	-	9	1	1030	-	2	3503	948	0.17	10	14077	1957	-	8	5	2001	-
7	Sikkim	6	1304	485	-	18	134	1432	0.02	3	51	1098	0.02	8	126	1013	0.002	64	1431	3083	-
8	Tripura	8	15	44963	0.014	5	4	11650	-	6	33	1796	-	13	1	2476	-	35	-	6660	-
Total		167	1597	227017	2.014	232	1604	75474	2.97	32	3625	7659	0.31	334	16463	210387	1.273	212	3148	18010	0.59

*Figures are provisional.