

MEGHALAYA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

AUTUMN SESSION

STARRED

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Thursday, the 11th September, 2025.

Meghalaya Basin Development Authority

Shri ADELBERT NONGRUM

Shri CONRAD K. SANGMA
(Chief Minister)

*68. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :-

(a) The total amount of development funds being channelled through Meghalaya Basin Development Authority annually during the last 3 years for work Projects?

(a) Sir, the total amount of funds being channelled through Meghalaya Basin Development Authority annually during the last 3 years for work Projects are as follows:

2022-23	: ₹17.70 crore
2023-24	: ₹24.00 crore
2024-25	: ₹182.30 crore

(b) The total number of regular Government employees who are presently working full time with Meghalaya Basin Development Authority?

(b) Sir, there are no regular Government employees who are working full time with Meghalaya Basin Development Authority.

(c) Whether the accounts of development funds being implemented by Meghalaya Basin Development Authority are subject to Audit by Comptroller and Auditor General of India?

(c) Sir, Meghalaya Basin Development Authority is subject to Audit by the Comptroller & Auditor General of India.

(d) The reasons that the funds for development Projects in the State being channelled through Meghalaya Basin Development Authority instead of being budgeted directly to Line Departments?

(d) Sir, the funds routed through Meghalaya Basin Development Authority are primarily meant to implement Projects that are cross-sectoral and innovative.

Engineering College at Ampati

Dr. MUKUL M. SANGMA

Shri RAKKAMA A. SANGMA
(Minister in-charge Education)

*69. Will the Minister in-charge Education be pleased to state :-

(a) The status of Engineering College at Ampati?

(a) Sir, the physical progress of civil work construction is 25%.

(b) The total expenditure till date?

(b) Sir, the total expenditure till date is ₹15.00 Crore.

Setting up of New Police Station

Shri PIUS MARWEIN

Shri PRESTONE TYNSONG
[Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Home (Police)]

*70. Will the Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Home (Police) be pleased to state whether there is any plan to setup new Police Station/Outpost apart from Nonghyllam Police Station as these areas are highly sensitive where there were cases of infiltration of people from the neighbouring country?

Yes, Sir, apart from Nonghyllam Police Station, setting up of Rongdangai Police Station is under examination.

Flow Irrigation Projects

Shri HEAVING STONE KHARPRAN

Shri COMINGONE YMBON
(Minister in-charge Water Resources)

*71. Will the Minister in-charge Water Resources be pleased to state the total number of Flow Irrigation Projects constructed during the last three years?

Sir, is as per Statement placed on the Table of the House.

ABHA Card

**Shri SYNSHAR KUPAR ROY
LYNGDOH THABAH**

**Dr. M. AMPAREEN LYNGDOH
(Minister in-charge Health & Family
Welfare)**

*72. Will the Minister in-charge
Health & Family Welfare be pleased
to state :-

(a) The ABHA Card and its benefits?

(a) Sir, the ABHA (Ayushman Bharat Health Account) Card is a unique health ID created under the Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM). It enables individuals to securely access and share their health records across health facilities.

The benefits of the ABHA Card is as per Statement placed on the Table of the House.

(b) The sanctioned strength of Medical Officers, Nurses, Dentist, Ayush and Health Staff at Sohiong CHC?

(b) Sir, the sanctioned strength of Medical Officers, Nurses, Dentist, AYUSH and Health Staff at Sohiong CHC are as follows:-

Sl. No.	Category of Post	Total Sanctioned Strength
1.	Medical & Health Officers	5
2.	Nursing Staff	18
3.	Dental Surgeon	1
4.	Paramedical Staff	11
5.	Ministerial and Grade IV	15
	Total	50

(c) The current appointments of the various Medical Staff at Sohiong CHC?

(c) Sir, the current appointments of the various Medical Staff at Sohiong CHC is Nil.

Ad hoc Employees

Shri ARDENT M. BASAIAWMOIT

Shri PAUL LYGDOH
(Minister in-charge Social Welfare))

*73. Will the Minister in-charge Social Welfare be pleased to state the total number of Ad hoc employees in the Department, District-wise?

Sir, nil.

Operational of Bhaitbari Veterinary Dispensary

Dr. MIZANUR KAZI

Shri ALEXANDER LALOO HEK
(Minister in-charge Animal Husbandry & Veterinary)

*74. Will the Minister in-charge Animal Husbandry & Veterinary be pleased to state :-

(a) The operational status of Bhaitbari (Rajpur) Veterinary Dispensary?

(a) Sir, Bhaitbari (Rajpur) Veterinary Dispensary is presently functional with staff deployed from Vigilance Unit, District A.H. & Veterinary Officer, Tura with 1 (one) No. of Veterinary Assistant and 1 (one) No. of Chowkidar from Poultry Farm, Phulbari (Rongadatgre) under Dadenggre Sub-Division.

(b) The measures taken to fast track the operation of the Dispensary fully?

(b) Sir, the proposal for creation of posts is under process.

Mawlangsu Sub-Centre

Shri REMINGTON G. MOMIN

Dr. M. AMPAREEN LYGDOH
(Minister in-charge Health & Family Welfare)

*75. Will the Minister in-charge Health & Family Welfare be pleased to state the status of the upgradation of Mawlangsu Sub-Centre to Primary Health Centre at West Khasi Hills District?

Sir, the proposal from Synjuk ki Rangbah Shnong Mawlangsu Area for upgradation of Mawlangsu Sub-Centre to Primary Health Centre in West Khasi Hills has been received in July 2025. The matter is under examination of the Department.

Status of National Highway-6 (NH-6)

Shri BRIGHTSTARWELL MARBANIANG

Shri PRESTONE TYNSONG
[Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Public Works (Roads)]

*76. Will the Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Public Works (Roads) be pleased to state the status of National Highway-6 (NH-6) and specifically NH-6 passing through Mawlai?

Sir, the status of National Highway-6 from Jorabat to Mih Myntdu is in good condition except for the portion from Jowai (Mih Myntdu) up to Ratacherra where improvement work is in progress.

Sir, National Highway-6 is not passing through Mawlai.

Families Affected by Storm in 2023

Shri RUPA MARAK

Shri KYRMEN SHYLLA
(Minister in-charge Revenue & Disaster Management)

*77. Will the Minister in-charge Revenue & Disaster Management be pleased to state :-

(a) Whether the people affected by storm in 2023 has been provided with compensation?

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) If the reply at (a) above is in the affirmative,

(b)

(i) The number of affected families by the storm?

(i) Sir, 4,337 (Four Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-Seven) families were affected by storm during the year 2023.

(ii) The amount of financial assistance in the form of compensation?

(ii) Sir, an amount of ₹14,44,23,233/- (Fourteen crore forty-four lakh twenty-three thousand two hundred thirty-three) only has been sanctioned as compensation to the affected families.

Construction of Basketball Courts

Shri MATTHEW B. KURBAH

Shri SHAKLIAR WARJRI

Minister in-charge Sports & Youth Affairs)

*78. Will the Minister in-charge Sports & Youth Affairs be pleased to state :-

(a) The status of construction/renovation of Basketball Courts of the following :

(a) Sir,

(i) In the State?

(i) 12 (Twelve) numbers have been accorded Administrative Approval and taken up in this Financial Year 2025-26.

(ii) In Mawphlang Constituency?

(ii) In Mawphlang Constituency, 4 (Four) numbers have been accorded Administrative Approval and taken up in this Financial Year 2025-26.

(b) The tentative date of completion?

(b) Sir, 12 (Twelve) months from the date of issuing Final Work Order. The tentative date of completion of the various Basketball Courts in the State as well as in Mawphlang Constituency is as per Statement placed on the Table of the House.

Creation of Sub-Divisional School Education Office

Shri METHODIUS DKHAR

Shri RAKKAMA. SANGMA

(Minister in-charge Education)

*79. Will the Minister in-charge Education be pleased to state the status of proposal for creation of Sub-Divisional School Education Officer (SDSEO) Office at Riango, Mawshynrut Civil Sub-Division?

Sir, it is under process.

PRIME, CM ELEVATE

Shri MAYRALBORN SYIEM

Shri CONRAD K. SANGMA
(Chief Minister)

*80. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state the initiatives taken by the Government to handhold entrepreneurs in the State with special reference to steps taken through PRIME, Chief Minister ELEVATE, etc.?

Sir,

A. Under PRIME, the initiatives to handhold the entrepreneurs are as follows :-

1. Providing support through incubation, pre-incubation, mentorship, training and resources.
2. Providing financial support through Schemes such as Kickstart Grant, Scale-up innovation loan, support to entrepreneurs under Bamboo Mission Scheme & Food Processing Scheme.
3. Supporting the grassroots entrepreneurs through door-step incubation and built environment support.
4. Supporting the Academic Institutions through Entrepreneurship cells and faculty upskilling.
5. Partnerships and inclusivity measures.

B. Under CM ELEVATE, the initiatives to handhold the entrepreneurs are as follows :-

1. Credit-linked support is being provided for setting up businesses across multiple sectors such as agriculture, dairy, piggery, sericulture, weaving, poultry, tourism, sports and wellness.
2. Continuous handholding support in the form of capacity building, technical trainings and outreach programs are being provided to the beneficiaries.

Funds Released under Jal Jeevan Mission

Shri METBAH LYGDOH

Shri MARCUISE N. MARAK

(Minister in-charge Public Health Engineering)

*81. Will the Minister in-charge Public Health Engineering be pleased to state :-

(a) The status of fund released to the State under Jal Jeevan Mission during the Years 2024-2025 and 2025-2026?

(a) Sir, funds released to the State under Jal Jeevan Mission during the Years 2024-25 and 2025-26 by the Ministry of Jal Shakti, Department of Drinking Water and Sanitation are as follows:

2024-25	₹405,64,90,000/- (Rupees Four Hundred and Five Crore, Sixty Four Lakh and Ninety Thousand) only.
2025-26	Nil

(b) The pending bills to be paid to all contractors yet to be received from the Government of India on the works completed?

(b) Sir, the pending bills as on 31.08.2025 to be paid to all contractors for the works completed, yet to be received from the Government of India amounts to ₹695,01,01,000/- (Rupees Six Hundred Ninety Five Crore, One Lakh and One Thousand) only.

Lottery in the State

Shri LAHKMEN RYMBUI

Shri CONRAD K. SANGMA
(Chief Minister)

*82. Will the Minister in-charge Taxation be pleased to state :-

(a) The total number or types of Lottery both paper and online that the Government is running or authorized to run?

(a) Only (one) Online Lottery-Daywin Easy lottery in is authorised to run presently.

(b) The total number of draw per week/month?

(b) Daily 1 (one) draw at 12:15 PM (Monday to Saturday) including Holidays.

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| (c) The total amount that the Government earn as revenue per draw? | (c) ₹10,000/- per draw. |
| (d) The total number of draw of online Lottery which have been held till 31 st July, 2025? | (d) 142 number of draws for Online Lottery. |
| (e) The details of prize money per draw and the revenue earn? | (e) Sir, is as per Statement placed on the Table of the House. |
| (f) The name of the agency/agencies which are authorized to run these Lottery? | (f) 2 Distributor have been selected.
(1) M/s Woodchip Gaming Pvt. Ltd. Tezpur, Assam
(2) M/s Aspirestar Entertainment Network Pvt. Ltd., Chennai. |
| (g) The total number of States doing paper lottery from Meghalaya and being sold/distributed? | (g) 1 (one) Nagaland. |

Betasing-Mellim Road

Smti. MIANI D. SHIRA

Shri PRESTONE TYNSONG
[Deputy Chief Minister in-charge
Public Works (Roads)]

*83. Will the Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Public Works (Roads) be pleased to state :-

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| (a) When was the Betasing-Mellim Road sanctioned? | (a) Sir, the road was sanctioned on 10 th October, 2024. |
| (b) The physical progress of the Project? | (b) Sir, the physical progress is 5%. |
| (c) The financial progress of the Project? | (c) Sir, there is no financial progress till date. |

Meghalaya Education Grant (MEG)

Shri ADELBERT NONGRUM

Shri RAKKAM A. SANGMA
(Minister in-charge Education)

*84. Will the Minister in-charge Education be pleased to state :-

(a) Whether implementation of the proposed Meghalaya Education Grant (MEG) will have any adverse effect on the salary and other emoluments currently received by teachers in schools under Deficit grant-in-aid?

(a) Sir, Meghalaya Education Grant is still at the discussion stage.

(b) Whether implementation of the proposed Meghalaya Education Grant (MEG) will enhance the salary and other emoluments currently received by teachers in schools under Ad hoc grant-in-aid?

(b) Sir, does not arise in view at (a) above.

(c) Whether implementation of the proposed Meghalaya Education Grant (MEG) will enhance the salary and other emoluments currently received by teachers in schools under SSA?

(c) Sir, does not arise in view at (a) above.

(d) Whether implementation of the proposed Meghalaya Education Grant (MEG) will bring about any change in the autonomy of private schools and colleges under Deficit grant-in-aid?

(d) Sir, does not arise in view at (a) above.

CM ELEVATE Scheme

Shri HEAVING STONE KHARPRAN

Shri CONRAD K. SANGMA
(Chief Minister)

*85. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state the total number of individuals and communities who have benefited through the CM ELEVATE Scheme in East Khasi Hills District since its inception?

Sir, the total number of beneficiaries of the CM-ELEVATE Program in East Khasi Hills District is 241. Out of which 197 were individuals, 41 were registered entities (Societies, IVCS etc) and 3 were unregistered entities (Self Help Groups).

Cancer Incidence in the State

Shri ARDENT M. BASAIAWMOIT

Dr. M. AMPAREEN LYNGDOH
(Minister in-charge Health & Family Welfare)

*86. Will the Minister in-charge Health & Family Welfare be pleased to state the cancer incidents in the State, District-wise?

Sir, the total cancer incidents in the State for the years 2019-2023 is 12405. District-wise cancer incidents are - East Khasi Hills-5199, West Khasi Hills-416, Eastern West Khasi Hills-455, South West Khasi Hills-307, West Jaintia Hills-1127, East Jaintia Hills-467, Ri-Bhoi District-1036 and West Garo Hills-3398.

Cases Register under Phulbari & Rajabala Police Stations

Dr. MIZANUR KAZI

*87. Will the Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Home (Police) be pleased to state :-

- (a) The total number of cases registered in the entire Garo Hills Districts with particular reference to Phulbari & Rajabala Police Stations during the Years 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025- till date?
- (b) The total number of drug related arrests and seizures in the entire Garo Hills Districts with particular reference to Phulbari & Rajabala Police Stations during the Years 2023-24, 2024-25 and 2025- till date?
- (c) The measures taken to combat drug trafficking in these areas?

Shri PRESTONE TYNSONG

[Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Home (Police)]

(a), (b) & (c)

Sir, is as per Statement placed on the Table of the House.

New Building of the Shillong Bar Association

Shri BRIGHTSTARWELL MARBANIANG

*88. Will the Minister in-charge Law be pleased to State the status relating to the construction of new building of the Shillong Bar Association which was completely damaged in the fire incident that took place on the 24-02-2024?

Dr. M. AMPAREEN LYNDOH
(Minister in-charge Law)

Sir,

- (A) The Bar Association has been temporarily accommodated in the Annex Building of High Court with the approval of High Court.
- (B) Plan estimate of ₹1,26,47,361/- (One Crore Twenty-six Lakhs Forty-seven Thousand Three Hundred Sixty-One) only has been prepared and is under process for sanction of the Government.

Swadesh Darshan 2.0

Shri RUPA MARAK

Shri PAUL LYNGDOH
(Minister in-charge Tourism)

*89. Will the Minister in-charge Tourism be pleased to state :-

(a) Whether there is any place from Garo Hills Region which was selected under Swadesh Darshan 2.0?

(a) No, Sir.

(b) If the reply at (a) above is in the affirmative, the name of the places selected?

(b) & (c)
Sir, does not arise in view at (a) above.

(c) The amount sanctioned for the implementation of the Project?

Construction of Four Lane Road from Umshyrpi up to Baniun (7th Mile)

Shri MATTHEW B. KURBAH

Shri PRESTONE TYNBONG
[Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Public Works (Roads)]

*90. Will the Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Public Works (Roads) be pleased to state the construction of Four lane road from Umshyrpi upto Baniun (7th Mile) and then the Two-lane road up to Dawki with regards to:

(i) The date of issue of latest LOA for all packages?

Packages	Dates of LOA
Sir,	
Package –I (Balance Work)	24.07.2023
Package –II (Balance Work)	16.10.2023
Package- III	22.05.2025
Package- IV (Balance Work)	22.01.2024
Package- V (Balance Work)	08.03.2024

- (ii) The targeted date of completion for each package?

Packages	Dates of Completion
Sir,	
Package- I (Balance Work)	31.12.2025
Package-II (Balance Work)	07.08.2026
Package-III	3 years from the Date of Commencement/Appointed Date
Package-IV (Balance Work)	18.04.2026
Package- V (Balance Work)	13.11.2026

Drugs Across the State

Smti. MIANI D. SHIRA

Dr. M. AMPAREEN LYNGDOH
(Minister in-charge Health & Family Welfare)

*91. Will the Minister in-charge Health & Family Welfare be pleased to state:-

- (a) The different names of the drugs that are prevalent in the State amongst the patients being treated for (substance abuse) de-addiction, District-wise?

(a) Sir, the drug used for treatment for (substance abuse) de-addiction is "Buprenorphine" through the provision of Opioid Substitution Therapy (OST).

- (b) The most common drug across the State that is being abused, District-wise?

(b) Sir, the most common drugs across the State that is being abused is "Heroin".

Land around Umiam Lake

Shri ADELBERT NONGRUM

Shri PAUL LYGDOH
(Minister in-charge Tourism)

*92. Will the Minister in-charge Tourism be pleased to state :-

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| (a) The total areas of land around Umiam Lake that has been transferred from MeECL to Tourism Department during the last one year? | (a) Sir, the total area of land transferred to Tourism Department is approx. 273.41 acres. |
| (b) What is the Government planning to do with the land around Umiam Lake that has been transferred from MeECL to Tourism Department? | (b) Sir, for the purpose of developing tourism related facilities and other activities. |
| (c) Whether the plan of Government to develop the land around Umiam Lake through Tourism Department is also part of Invest Meghalaya Scheme and incentives? | (c) No, Sir. |
| (d) Whether the transfer of MeECL land to Tourism Department involves any financial payment to MeECL? | (d) Yes, Sir. |
| (e) If the reply at (d) above is in the affirmative, the total amount? | (e) Sir, by Revenue sharing of 90:10 ratio. |

Staff Employed in MBDA

Shri HEAVING STONE KHARPRAN

Shri CONRAD K. SANGMA
(Chief Minister)

*93. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :-

(a) The total number of staff employed in the Meghalaya Basin Development Authority (MBDA)?

(a) Sir, the total number of staff employed in the Meghalaya Basin Development Authority (MBDA) is **729**.

(b) Category-wise details of the same?

(b) Sir, the category-wise details of staff employed in MBDA are as follows :-

Regular Staff	General Manager Level	-	2
	Assistant General Manager Level	-	9
	Senior Manager Level	-	42
	Manager Level	-	104
	Deputy Manager Level	-	15
	Assistant Manager Level	-	60
	Field Engineer Level	-	36
	Programme Associate Level	-	268
	Multi-Tasking Assistant	-	40
	Driver	-	57
	Total : 633		
Daily Wage Staff	Health Cube Technician	-	4
	Data Entry Operator	-	5
	Multi-Tasking Assistant	-	60
	Driver	-	21
	Chowkidar	-	2
	Gardener	-	1
	Cleaner	-	3
	Total : 96		

Grassroot Football Centre

Shri ARDENT M. BASAIAWMOIT

Shri SHAKLIAR WARJRI
(Minister in-charge Sports & Youth
Affairs)

***94. Will the Minister in-charge Sports & Youth Affairs be pleased to state the total number of Grassroot Football Centre in the State, District-wise?**

Sir, the total number of Grassroot Football Centre in the State, District-wise is as follows :-

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| 1. Ri-Bhoi District | - 9 (Nine) |
| 2. South West Garo Hills District | - 12 (Twelve) |
| 3. West Garo Hills District | - 14 (Fourteen) |
| 4. North Garo Hills District | - 7 (Seven) |
| 5. East Garo Hills District | - 7 (Seven) |
| 6. South Garo Hills District | - 8 (Eight) |
| 7. West Jaintia Hills District | - 11 (Eleven) |
| 8. East Jaintia Hills District | - 10 (Ten) |
| 9. West Khasi Hills District | - 8 (Eight) |
| 10. Eastern West Khasi Hills District | - 5 (Five) |
| 11. South West Khasi Hills District | - 8 (Eight) |
| 12. East Khasi Hills District | - 26 (Twenty Six) |

Comprehensive List of Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools

Dr. MIZANUR KAZI

Shri RAKKAM A. SANGMA
(Minister in-charge Education)

*95. Will the Minister in-charge Education be pleased to state :-

(a) The comprehensive list of Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools in the plain belt region of Garo Hills that have sanctioned posts for Garo Language including the exact number of such posts in the region, school-wise?

(a) Sir, presently there are only 3 (three) Ad hoc Secondary Schools in the plain belt region of Garo Hills under West Garo Hills District, they are :-

- i) Williampur Secondary School.
- ii) Pedaldoba Secondary School.
- iii) Patharkatta Secondary School.

Currently there are 3 (three) sanctioned post of Garo Language in Ad hoc Secondary Schools which are occupied by the regular teachers.

(b) The current status of recruitment for the sanctioned Garo Language teaching posts in Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools in the plain belt region?

(b) Sir, does not arise in view at (a) above.

(c) Whether there are any plans to increase these posts?

(c) No, Sir.

(d) The specific measures that the Government is taking to support the Secondary and Higher Secondary Schools in the plain belt region of Garo Hills to integrate Garo Language education including infrastructure, training and resource allocation?

(d) Sir, there is no specific measures for the plain belt region to integrate Garo Language.

PMGSY Roads

Shri BRIGHTSTARWELLMARBANIANG

Shri PRESTONE TYNSONG
[Deputy Chief Minister in-charge
Public Works (Roads)]

*96. Will the Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Public Works (Roads) be pleased to state the status of all PMGSY roads in the State and specifically Mawlai in particular?

Sir, the status of PMGSY roads in the State is as follows :-

Sir, under PMGSY-I, out of 1079 roads, 1063 roads have been completed, 10 works only are remaining and ongoing.

Sir, under PMGSY-II, out of 94 roads, 90 roads have been completed. Only 3 works remain to be completed.

Sir, under PMGSY-III, out of 141 roads, 29 roads have been completed. There are 26 roads that are ongoing and 86 roads that are in commencement stage as they have been recently allotted during Feb-May 2025. Further, 1 road work and 8 bridges are under bidding/rebidding.

Sir, in Mawlai, there is only one ongoing road, namely "MRL05-Mawlai to Lummawsiang to Mawsiatkhnem (L-10.00Km)", which was sanctioned under PMGSY-III (2022-23), which is in good progress having a physical progress of 85%.

Floriculture Mission

Shri RUPA MARAK

Dr. M. AMPAREEN LYNDOH
(Minister in-charge Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare)

*97. Will the Minister in-charge Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare be pleased to state :-

(a) Whether the Floriculture Mission has been started in the State?

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) If the reply at (a) above is in the affirmative,

(b) Sir,

(i) The exact number of farmers engaged in floriculture in the State?

(i) 791

(ii) The total number of farmers provided with the support from the Floriculture Mission in the State?

(ii) 469

(iii) The total number of farmers provided with the support through the Floriculture Mission particulars in Garo Hills Region?

(iii) Out of the 469 farmers of the State provided with support through Floriculture Mission 157 farmers are in the Garo Hills Region.

Greater Ampati Water Supply Scheme

Smti. MIANI D. SHIRA

Shri MARCUISE N. MARAK
(Minister in-charge Public Health Engineering)

*98. Will the Minister in-charge Public Health Engineering be pleased to state :-

(a) The physical status of Greater Ampati Water Supply Scheme?

(a) Sir, the overall physical progress of the work is 88%.

(b) The financial status of the total estimated cost of the total Project?

(b) Sir, the total up-to-date expenditure is ₹175.00 Crore against the sanction provision of ₹199.48 Crore.

(c) The timeline for completion of the Project?

(c) Sir, the scheme is rescheduled for completion in the year 2026.

Eviction Drive by the Assam Government

Shri HEAVING STONE KHARPRAN

**Shri CONRAD K. SANGMA
(Chief Minister)**

*99. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state the various steps taken by the Government to prevent the entry of foreigners in view of the eviction drive by the Assam Government?

Sir, is as per Statement placed on the Table of the House.

New Shillong Township

Shri ARDENT M. BASAIAWMOIT

**Shri SNIAWBHALANG DHAR
(Deputy Chief Minister in-charge
Urban Affairs)**

*100. Will the Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Urban Affairs be pleased to state :-

(a) The name of individual who acquired large track of land at New Shillong Township from the original landowner?

(a) Sir, records are not available with this Department relating to the individuals who acquired large track of land at New Shillong Township.

(b) The maximum permissible height of building/structure in the State and Shillong conglomeration in particular?

(b) Sir, maximum possible height of building/structure in the State and Shillong conglomeration is 42 metres as per latest amendment. Details is as per statement placed on the Table of the House.

JJM in Chibonggre Village

Shri RUPA MARAK

Shri MARCUISE N. MARAK
(Minister in-charge Public Health Engineering)

*101. Will the Minister in-charge Public Health Engineering be pleased to state whether the water being supplied under Jal Jeevan Mission in Chibonggre Village is safe for human consumption?

Sir, the scheme Aminggokgre Combined Water Supply Scheme whose coverage includes Chibonggre village is yet to be commissioned.

Contractual Employees in the State

Shri ARDENT M. BASAIAWMOIT

Shri CONRAD K. SANGMA
(Chief Minister)

*102. Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :-

- (a) The total number of contractual employees in the State, District-wise?
- (b) The mode of payment to these types of employees?

(a) & (b)
Sir, information is being collected.

Desiltation of the Umiam Reservoir

Shri HEAVING STONE KHARPRAN

Shri ABU TAHER MONDAL
(Minister in-charge Power)

*103. Will the Minister in-charge Power be pleased to state whether the Government has any plan to take up desiltation of the Umiam Reservoir?

Sir, there are no plans as of now, to take up desiltation of Umiam Reservoir.