

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
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**ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIAL DELIVERY MONITORING UNIT .**

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- (a) whether a special delivery monitoring unit has been established in PMO to ensure time-bound implementation of key programmes;
- (b) if so, the details of key programmes which are included under a special delivery monitoring unit;
- (c) whether the special delivery monitoring unit established in Prime Minister's Office, has a proper independent administrative machinery to find out the truth of the reports submitted by various State Ministries in the country; and
- (d) if so, the details of the system evolved in Prime Minister's Office to check the realities of the reports sent by every State?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR PLANNING, PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS, PERSONNEL PUBLIC GRIEVANCES & PENSION**

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(a) and (b): A Delivery Monitoring Unit (DMU) has been set up in the Prime Minister's Office to review a select number of flagship programmes / initiatives / iconic projects, as indicated below:

1. National Rural Employment Guarantee Act
2. National Rural Health Mission
3. Sarva Siksha Abhiyan
4. Bharat Nirman

5. Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission 6. Rajiv Awas Yojana

7 Multi-sectoral District Plans for Minority Concentration Districts

8. National Mission on Female Literacy

9. Strengthening of Public Accountability 10. Prime Minister's Reconstruction Plan for Jammu & Kashmir 11. Infrastructure Development in the North East Region 12. Dedicated Railway Freight Corridors 13. Delhi Mumbai Industrial Corridor 14. Innovation Universities - Decade of Innovation 15. Development of Land Ports 16. Setting up National Council for Human Resources in Health 17. Setting up National Council for Higher Education 18. Assam Gas Cracker Project

(c) and (d): The Delivery Monitoring Unit is an oversight mechanism for improving monitoring, delivery of output and transparency to ensure effective implementation of these select programmes. However, the primary responsibility for implementation of these identified programmes and their appropriate monitoring and follow up action remains with Ministries/Departments concerned.