

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO: 5034**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON: 24.07.2019

**ONLINE SERVICES TO PANCHAYATS**

**5034 SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:**

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up facility to provide online services to people in all panchayats across the country including Maharashtra and if so, details thereof; and
- (b) the funds allocated/spent by the Government in this regard during each of the last three years and the current year?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a) and (b): e-Panchayat Mission Mode Project (MMP) is a project of Ministry of Panchayati Raj, under the aegis of Digital India Programme of Government of India with a vision to empower and transform rural India. Under the e-Panchayat MMP, a suite of Core Common Applications collectively called – Panchayat Enterprise Suite (PES) Applications, has been developed that cater to various aspects of Panchayat functioning viz. planning, budgeting, implementation, accounting, monitoring etc. Panchayat being a State subject, governance of Panchayats is the primary responsibility of concerned State Government / Union Territories (UTs) Administration. Ministry of Panchayati Raj (MoPR) initiatives supplement the efforts of States/UTs. The State of Maharashtra is a prolific user of the PES Applications.

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