

<p>ST population have been thrown out of their homes and hearths. The Report of the Working Group for Empowering the Scheduled Tribes during the Tenth Five Year Plan (July 2001) mentions the figure of 85.39 lakh tribals as having been displaced. There are other estimates. It seems, however, that scientific research studies in this regard are scarce. Overall, it seems that displacement has occurred on a large scale primarily due to acquisition of land by the State for various development projects like mining, industries, hydel, irrigation, educational institutions, health institutions, townships etc. By and large, the benefits of the development projects have not accrued to the people who have been displaced. Even rehabilitation efforts have been inadequate and the displaced families have been in dire straits. Do the State Government agree with these views?</p>	<p>Not application in view of our reply to point No.2.</p>
<p>3. What is the position in your state? Please give an overall view.</p>	<p>-do-</p>
<p>4. Have any studies of tribal families and tribal persons displaced on different grounds from agricultural land, forest land and village land been conducted? If yes, please furnish the relevant particulars. If not, why not? Would the State Government like to undertake studies at least now? Please draw up a plan.</p>	<p>-do-</p>
<p>5. In respect of each project from which displacement has occurred, please state:</p>	
<p>(i) the number of families displaced and among them the number of ST families</p>	
<p>(ii) the contents of relief package and rehabilitation package</p>	
<p>(iii) How many and which project-related ST families have been provided with full relief and rehabilitation packages? How many and which project related ST families have been provided partial relief and rehabilitation package?</p>	