

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
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One time settlement of displaced persons from PoK and West Pakistan

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- (a) under PMs package, whether any time-frame have been set up for distribution of one time settlement of displaced persons from Pakistan Occupied Kashmir (PoK) and West Pakistan refugees and guidelines issued to State Government in this regard; and
(b) whether funds have been released for disbursement of relief?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIREN RIJJU)

(a) to (b): Under the Prime Minister's development package for Jammu & Kashmir-2015, there is a provision of Rs. 2000 crore for rehabilitation package for one time settlement of 36,384 families from PoK and Chhamb Displaced Persons. This specific package does not include West Pakistan Refugees. So far no funds have been disbursed on this account and no time-frame for the same has been fixed.
