

Govt identifies 36 thousand 428 villages for comprehensive development of tribal population in next 5 yrs: Tribal Affairs Minister

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Tribal Affairs Minister Arjun Munda today said, the Government has identified 36 thousand 428 villages for comprehensive development of tribal population in the next five years. These villages will have tribal population of more than 500 with 50 percent tribals.

Addressing a press conference in New Delhi, he said, seven thousand 500 villages have been selected this year. Mr. Munda said, the development of such villages will be undertaken in convergence with other Ministries to develop as Adarsh Gram under Pradhan Mantri Aadi Adarsh Gram Yojana.

An amount of one thousand 354 crore rupees has been allocated for utilizations a gap-filling arrangement.