

“Prime Minister's new 15 – Point Programme for the welfare of Minorities”

The “Prime Minister’s new 15-point programme for the welfare of Minorities” envisages, interalia, increasing credit flow to the minority communities. Govt. of India is emphasizing the Banks to ensure that Priority Sector Lending to Minorities is maintained at 15%.

The following communities have been notified as minority communities by the Government of India, Ministry of Welfare & Ministry of Minority affairs notification; No. 217 dated 27.01.2014:

- (a) Sikhs
- (b) Muslims
- (c) Christians
- (d) Zoroastrians
- (e) Buddhists
- (e) Jains

Our Bank has 1439 branches in 96 Minority concentration districts.