

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 368
TO BE ANSWERED ON JULY 18, 2019
SHELTER FOR URBAN HOMELESS

NO. 368. SHRI SELVAM. G:
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Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government provides funds to the States/UTs, particularly Tamil Nadu under the scheme “Shelter for Urban Homeless” and if so, the details thereof indicating the funds sanctioned/ released, shelters completed, proposals received along with their status during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;**
- (b) the targets fixed and achievements made thereunder during the said period;**
- (c) whether the Government has undertaken mapping of homeless concentration zones in cities and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise and if not, the reasons therefor;**
- (d) whether all major cities in all States/UTs with a population of more than five lakh have to be provided with night shelters in a ratio of one night shelter per lakh of population equipped with basic facilities and if so, the details thereof indicating the names of States/UTs which have implemented the said order; and**
- (e) the other steps taken by the Government to provide shelter to all the urban homeless in a time bound manner?**

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) OF THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS

(SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI)

(a)to(e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY PARTS (a)to(e) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *368 FOR ANSWER ON 18.07.2019 REGARDING SHELTER FOR URBAN HOMELESS

(a)&(b): It is the primary responsibility of Governments of the States/ Union Territories to provide shelter for the urban homeless. However, in order to complement the efforts of States/UTs, Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs is administering a scheme 'Shelter for Urban Homeless (SUH)' under Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana – National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM), through respective States/UTs. It focuses on providing permanent shelters equipped with basic facilities to the urban homeless.

Under DAY-NULM funds are allocated to States/UTs including Tamil Nadu in a consolidated manner, out of which appropriate amount is apportioned by States/UTs for Shelter for Urban Homeless (SUH), as per their requirements. During FY 2016-17 to 2019-20, a total of Rs. 1450.56 crore was released to States/UTs. The Year-wise and State-wise information is at Annexure-I.

The State level Project Sanctioning Committee (PSC) is competent to consider and approve proposals for construction, refurbishment and sanction appropriate operations & management (O&M) cost for shelters.

As reported by States/UTs, during the period, 992 shelters have been sanctioned, out of which, 862 shelters are operational. Remaining are in various stages of construction/refurbishment. The Year-wise and State-wise information of shelters sanctioned and operational is at Annexure-II.

- (c): It is the responsibility of concerned States/UTs to map the concentration areas of urban homeless. The guidelines of SUH provide for conducting a systematic third party survey by urban local bodiesso as to assess accurately the need for shelters at suitable locations.**
- (d): The Operational Guidelines for SUH provide that for every one lakh urban population, under the scheme, provision should be made for permanent shelters for a minimum of one hundred persons. Depending upon local conditions, each shelter should preferably cater to 50 or more persons. In exceptional situations, shelters with lesser capacity could also be approved.**
- (e): Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs has taken various other initiatives for providing shelters to the urban homeless which include;**
- Extending the implementation of SUH to all district headquarter towns and other towns with population of one lakh or more,**
 - Allowing States/UTs to take buildings on rent for running shelters, as an interim arrangement,**
 - Uploading details of shelters across the country on DAY-NULM portal,**
 - Directing the States/UTs to maintain funds for SUH component in a separate head of account and install CCTV camera in shelters to address security issues,**
 - Geo-tagging of shelters,**
 - Linking the shelters with colleges/educational institutions, so that the student volunteers can engage with the residents of the shelters to give them a sense of belonging, and**
 - Making shelters barrier free for the physically challenged shelter residents.**

ANNEXURE-I REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.368 FOR ANSWER ON 18.07.2019

Year-wise and State-wise details of fund released under DAY-NULM

Rs. in Crore

| Sl. No | State/UT | fund released | | | | |
|--------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| | | 2016-17 | 2017-18 | 2018-19 | 2019-20 | Total |
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | 56.30 | 36.31 | 30.20 | 33.38 | 156.19 |
| 2 | Arunachal Pradesh | 1.43 | 6.22 | 3.66 | 1.91 | 13.22 |
| 3 | Assam | 0.00 | 13.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 13 |
| 4 | Bihar | 22.38 | 0.00 | 42.52 | 0.00 | 64.9 |
| 5 | Chhattisgarh | 13.46 | 34.56 | 21.15 | 0.00 | 69.17 |
| 6 | Goa | 0.23 | 2.08 | 4.85 | 0.00 | 7.16 |
| 7 | Gujarat | 0.00 | 0.00 | 30.94 | 0.00 | 30.94 |
| 8 | Haryana | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 26.38 | 26.38 |
| 9 | Himachal Pradesh | 3.56 | 8.05 | 1.69 | 0.00 | 13.3 |
| 10 | Jammu & Kashmir | 0.00 | 1.89 | 3.23 | 0.00 | 5.12 |
| 11 | Jharkhand | 15.36 | 44.89 | 11.24 | 0.00 | 71.49 |
| 12 | Karnataka | 0.00 | 23.08 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 23.08 |
| 13 | Kerala | 0.00 | 25.19 | 18.60 | 13.48 | 57.27 |
| 14 | Madhya Pradesh | 28.80 | 41.75 | 21.60 | 38.18 | 130.33 |
| 15 | Maharashtra | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 |
| 16 | Manipur | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 |
| 17 | Meghalaya | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 |
| 18 | Mizoram | 20.93 | 12.73 | 6.82 | 4.21 | 44.69 |
| 19 | Nagaland | 8.45 | 10.87 | 3.43 | 2.88 | 25.63 |
| 20 | Odisha | 6.56 | 17.05 | 16.24 | 12.71 | 52.56 |
| 21 | Punjab | 0.00 | 10.07 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 10.07 |
| 22 | Rajasthan | 7.92 | 28.51 | 31.10 | 0.00 | 67.53 |
| 23 | Sikkim | 0.97 | 2.31 | 1.12 | 0.00 | 4.4 |
| 24 | Tamil Nadu | 58.45 | 78.85 | 68.53 | 0.00 | 205.83 |
| 25 | Telangana | 4.70 | 32.49 | 15.56 | 0.00 | 52.75 |
| 26 | Tripura | 0.00 | 8.93 | 6.33 | 0.00 | 15.26 |
| 27 | Uttar Pradesh | 22.66 | 71.95 | 53.38 | 31.14 | 179.13 |
| 28 | Uttarakhand | 5.38 | 8.00 | 7.75 | 0.00 | 21.13 |
| 29 | West Bengal | 8.31 | 32.96 | 35.94 | 0.00 | 77.21 |
| 30 | A & N Islands | 1.06 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 1.06 |
| 31 | Chandigarh | 0.00 | 1.99 | 1.82 | 0.00 | 3.81 |
| 32 | D & N Haveli | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 |
| 33 | Daman & Diu | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.17 | 0.00 | 0.17 |
| 34 | Delhi | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 |
| 35 | Puducherry | 2.79 | 2.97 | 1.97 | 0.00 | 7.73 |
| | Total | 289.71 | 556.73 | 439.85 | 164.27 | 1450.56 |

ANNEXURE-II REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 368 FOR ANSWER ON 18.07.2019

Year-wise and State/UT-wise details of shelters sanctioned and operational under DAY-NULM

| S.N | State/UT | FY 2016-17 | | FY 2017-18 | | FY 2018-19 | | FY 2019-20 | | Cumulative (From FY 2016-17 to FY 2019-20) | |
|-----|---------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--|-------------|
| | | Sanctioned | Operational | Sanctioned | Operational | Sanctioned | Operational | Sanctioned | Operational | Sanctioned | Operational |
| 1 | Andaman & Nicobar Islands | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2 | Andhra Pradesh | 24 | 10 | 24 | 10 | 15 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 46 |
| 3 | Assam | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4 | Bihar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 40 |
| 5 | Chandigarh | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 | Chhattisgarh | 6 | 6 | 34 | 6 | 4 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 44 | 21 |
| 7 | Goa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8 | Gujarat | 0 | 0 | 17 | 11 | 64 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 81 | 36 |
| 9 | Haryana | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 15 |
| 10 | Himachal Pradesh | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| 11 | J& K | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| 12 | Jharkhand | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 72 | 78 | 26 | 0 | 108 | 78 |
| 13 | Karnataka | 1 | 7 | 13 | 9 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 19 |
| 14 | Kerala | 7 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 16 |
| 15 | Madhya Pradesh | 0 | 13 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 25 |
| 16 | Maharashtra | 11 | 0 | 32 | 18 | 30 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 73 | 55 |
| 17 | Manipur | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 18 | Meghalaya | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 19 | Mizoram | 24 | 24 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 30 |
| 20 | Nagaland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| 21 | NCT of Delhi | 0 | 177* | 15 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 190* |

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|----|---------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|----------|------------|------------|
| 22 | Odisha | 16 | 19 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 24 | 29 |
| 23 | Puducherry | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| 24 | Punjab | 4 | 11 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 16 |
| 25 | Rajasthan | 53 | 34 | 68 | 37 | 17 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 138 | 86 |
| 26 | Sikkim | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 27 | Tamil Nadu | 46 | 46 | 43 | 11 | 58 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 147 | 57 |
| 28 | Telangana | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| 29 | Tripura | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 |
| 30 | Uttar Pradesh | 10 | 5 | 34 | 45 | 26 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 70 | 77 |
| 31 | Uttarakhand | 2 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 9 |
| 32 | West Bengal | 15 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 24 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 49 | 14 |
| | Total | 235 | 367 | 312 | 215 | 418 | 280 | 27 | 0 | 992 | 862 |

****The convergence of 83 permanent shelters and 116 porta cabins of NCT of Delhi with DAY-NULM had been approved. However, as per information available, presently there are only 190 operational shelters out of which, 13 shelters have been extended DAY-NULM funds and remaining are being maintained by Delhi Urban Shelter Improvement Board (DUSIB).***

