

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

RAJYA SABHA
UN-STARRED QUESTION No. 2553
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22.03.2023

PROGRESS MADE IN IMPLEMENTATION OF NIRBHAYA FUND SCHEMES

2553. SMT. SANGEETA YADAV:

Will the Minister of Women and Child Development be pleased to state:

- a. the number of One Stop Centres for violence affected women set up during the last three years;
- b. the amount of fund released to the districts in the last three years for OSCs;
- c. Mahila Police Volunteers appointed in the States along with numbers thereof; and
- d. the number of Sakhi dashboard developed till date, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) & (b): Presently, 801 One Stop Centres (OSCs) have been approved for setting up in 750 districts across the country, out of which 733 OSCs have been operationalized in 36 States/UTs. The amount of fund released to the Districts / States for functioning of One Stop Centres during the years 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22 is Rs.137.85 crore, Rs.160.24 crore and Rs. 145.39 crore respectively.

(c): Mahila Police Volunteers (MPV) scheme was implemented in 7 states/UT's and over 9,900 MPV volunteers were appointed. On the basis of findings of the Third Party Evaluation Study of MPV Scheme conducted through NITI Aayog, the scheme has been discontinued w.e.f. 01.04.2022 while suitably incorporating the appropriate provisions under other components of Mission Shakti.

(d): A Sakhi Dashboard has been put in place for effective implementation and monitoring of the One Stop Centre and Women Helpline. Further, Mission Shakti envisages development of a comprehensive dashboard for all components, including OSC, for better monitoring and review.
