

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 475**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.12.2023

**ANGANWADI CENTRES IDENTIFIED FOR UPGRADATION**

475. SHRI P. WILSON:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Anganwadi and Mini- Anganwadi centres in the State of Tamil Nadu;
- (b) the details of Anganwadi centres (AWCs) identified for upgradation under Saksham Anganwadi in the State of Tamil Nadu; and
- (c) the details of funds released for upgradation in the State of Tamil Nadu and other States?

**ANSWER**

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

- (a) The number of Anganwadi centers and mini-Anganwadi centers in the State of Tamil Nadu are 54,432 and 2,721 respectively.
- (b) A total of 800 Anganwadi Centres have been approved for upgradation as Saksham Anganwadis in the State of Tamil Nadu.
- (c) The State/UT wise details (including State of Tamil Nadu) of funds released for upgradation of Anganwadi Centres as Saksham Anganwadis during FY 2022-23 is as under:

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Sr.	Name of State/UT	No. of Saksham A	Total Funds released/approved (Rs. in lakh) (2022-23)
1	Andhra Pradesh	1105	525.58
2	Bihar	3566	1697.77
3	Chhattisgarh	4750	1957.92
4	Gujarat	1250	750.00
5	Haryana	10	3.56
6	Himachal Pradesh	100	72.86
7	Jammu & Kashmir	86	69.66
8	Jharkhand	6850	3028.88
9	Karnataka	100	47.39
10	Kerala	250	116.12
11	Madhya Pradesh	2220	1305.85
12	Maharashtra	1150	520.47
13	Odisha	6000	2920.92
14	Punjab	100	56.88
15	Rajasthan	213	102.93
16	Tamil Nadu	800	395.76
17	Telangana	500	278.16
18	Uttar Pradesh	2349	1015.80
19	Uttarakhand	350	306.04
20	West Bengal	4750	2308.19
21	Arunachal Pradesh	100	71.51
22	Assam	3963	3285.58
23	Manipur	30	20.25
24	Meghalaya	100	68.90
25	Mizoram	100	64.13
26	Nagaland	100	72.14
27	Sikkim	100	64.13
28	Tripura	200	146.25
	<b>Total</b>	<b>41192</b>	<b>21273.63</b>