

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1202**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 10<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2025/ AGRAHAYANA 19, 1947  
(SAKA)**

**NEW CRIMINAL LAWS FOR SPEEDY JUDICIARY PROCESS**

**1202 #      DR. DINESH SHARMA:**

**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

**(a) whether any provisions have been made in the new criminal laws for speedy judicial process;**

**(b) if so, the details thereof;**

**(c) whether Government has State-wise data on the number of cases registered under the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNS);**

**(c) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI BANDI SANJAY KUMAR)**

**(a) to (b): Details of provisions made in new criminal laws for expediting judicial process are as follows:-**

- i.    Faster and Fair Resolution: The new laws promise a faster and fair resolution of cases, instilling confidence in the legal system. Crucial stages of investigation and trial like - preliminary enquiry (to be completed in 14 days), further investigation (to be completed in 90 days), supply of document to the victim and accused (within 14 days),**

**commitment of a case for trial (within 90 days), filing of discharge applications (within 60 days), framing of charges (within 60 days), pronouncement of judgment (within 45 days) and filing of mercy petitions (30 days before Governor and 60 days before President) - have been streamlined and to be completed within stipulated time period.**

- ii. Fast-Track Investigations: The new laws prioritize the investigations for offences against women and children, ensuring timely completion within two months of recording information.**
- iii. Adjournments: Provision of a maximum of two adjournments to avoid unnecessary delays in case hearings, ensuring timely justice delivery.**
- iv. To significantly improve the speed, efficiency and transparency of the judicial process, applications like e-Summons, e-Sakshya and Nyaya-Shruti (VC) have been developed. The e-Summon facilitates delivery of summons through electronic means. The e-Sakshya enables lawful, scientific and tamper-proof collection, preservation and electronic submission of digital evidence thus ensuring authenticity and**

**reducing delays. Nyaya-Shruti (VC) facilitates virtual appearance of accused persons, witnesses, police officials, prosecutors, scientific experts, prisoners etc. through video conferencing.**

**(c) to (d) : State-wise data on the number of cases registered under the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023 are given at Annexure.**

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<b><u>S. No.</u></b>	<b>State/UT</b>	<b>Cases registered under Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita from 01.07.2024 to 30.11.2025</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>ANDAMAN &amp; NICOBAR</b>	<b>799</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>ANDHRA PRADESH</b>	<b>1,71,472</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>ARUNACHAL PRADESH</b>	<b>3,468</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>ASSAM</b>	<b>56,826</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>BIHAR</b>	<b>3,14,844</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>CHANDIGARH</b>	<b>4,816</b>
<b>7</b>	<b>CHHATTISGARH</b>	<b>1,06,397</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>DADRA &amp; NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN &amp; DIU</b>	<b>799</b>
<b>9</b>	<b>DELHI</b>	<b>3,59,722</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>GOA</b>	<b>2,991</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>GUJARAT</b>	<b>2,19,101</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>HARYANA</b>	<b>1,52,421</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>HIMACHAL PRADESH</b>	<b>18,186</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>JAMMU &amp; KASHMIR</b>	<b>31,614</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>JHARKHAND</b>	<b>71,758</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>KARNATAKA</b>	<b>2,14,105</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>KERALA</b>	<b>4,80,231</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>LADAKH</b>	<b>785</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>LAKSHADWEEP</b>	<b>83</b>

<b>20</b>	<b>MADHYA PRADESH</b>	<b>4,31,856</b>
<b>21</b>	<b>MAHARASHTRA</b>	<b>5,27,971</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>MANIPUR</b>	<b>3,094</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>MEGHALAYA</b>	<b>4,853</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>MIZORAM</b>	<b>2,963</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>NAGALAND</b>	<b>1,103</b>
<b>26</b>	<b>ODISHA</b>	<b>2,61,373</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>PUDUCHERRY</b>	<b>6,503</b>
<b>28</b>	<b>PUNJAB</b>	<b>63,988</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>RAJASTHAN</b>	<b>2,67,160</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>SIKKIM</b>	<b>656</b>
<b>31</b>	<b>TAMIL NADU</b>	<b>85,353</b>
<b>32</b>	<b>Telangana</b>	<b>2,54,225</b>
<b>33</b>	<b>TRIPURA</b>	<b>4,142</b>
<b>34</b>	<b>UTTAR PRADESH</b>	<b>6,79,711</b>
<b>35</b>	<b>UTTARAKHAND</b>	<b>20,700</b>
<b>36</b>	<b>WEST BENGAL</b>	<b>3,05,948</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>51,32,017</b>

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