

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3926

TO BE ANSWERED ON 9th DECEMBER, 2016 (FRIDAY)/AGRAYAYANA 18, 1938
(SAKA)

Financial Literacy Scheme

3926. SHRI NAGAR RODMAL:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has implemented any financial literacy schemes for the rural people utilising the services of the banks first time;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) if not, the measures taken to make such people financially literate?

Answer

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c) Reserve Bank of India (RBI) have advised Financial Literacy Centres (FLCs) of banks and rural branches to conduct at least one special camp in a month for newly included people in the financial system including Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY) account holders.

As per data available in this Financial Year 2016-17, FLCs and rural branches have conducted total 13768 special camps across the country. State/UT-wise details are given in **Annexure**.

Annexure to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3926 for 09.12.2016 - Financial Literacy Scheme

Sr.No.	State	No. of Camps conducted for newly included people in the financial system by FLCs as on June 2016
1	A&N	3
2	Andhra Pradesh	567
3	Assam	35
4	Bihar	381
5	Chandigarh	53
6	Chhattisgarh	421
7	Dadra Nagar haveli	0
8	Delhi	97
9	Diu & Daman	0
10	Goa	0
11	Gujarat	252
12	Haryana	1592
13	Himachal Pradesh	195
14	J&K	153
15	Jharkhand	429
16	Karnataka	1769
17	Kerala	798
18	Lakshwadeep	17
19	Madhya Pradesh	1300
20	Maharashtra	770
21	Manipur	6
22	Meghalaya	7
23	Mizoram	0
24	Odisha	149
25	Puducherry	13
26	Punjab	810
27	Rajasthan	1934
28	Tamilnadu	532
29	Telangana	602
30	Tripura	123
31	Uttar Pradesh	547
32	Uttarakhand	105
33	West Bengal	108
	Grand Total	13768

Source: RBI