

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1763  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.07.2017**

**Setting up Girls Hostels and Degree Colleges**

**1763. SHRIMATI KIRRON KHER:  
SHRI ANOOP MISHRA:**

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up more girls hostels and model degree colleges in various districts of the country especially in minority dominated districts during the last three years to further increase their rate of literacy; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State and location-wise including Punjab, Haryana and Chandigarh and Madhya Pradesh including literacy progress report, year-wise?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF  
MINORITY AFFAIRS  
(SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI)**

- (a) & (b) The Multi-sectoral Development Programme (MsDP), a Centrally Sponsored Scheme, has been implemented in 710 Minority Concentration Blocks, 66 Minority Concentration Town and 13 Clusters of Contagious Villages during the 12<sup>th</sup> Plan period ending 2016-17. This programme is aimed at improving the socio-economic infrastructure and basic amenities for uplifting the quality of life of the minority. This programme has provided financial support inter-alia for creation of assets like School building, Additional Class Rooms, Polytechnics, ITIs, Hostels in minority concentration area. The Ministry during last three years has sanctioned 340 units of hostels including girl's hostels and 10 nos. of degree colleges in the identified Minority Concentration Blocks/Towns of the country including the States of Haryana and Madhya Pradesh. The details of hostels/degree colleges sanctioned by Ministry under MsDP are annexed. Further details are also available on the Ministry's website at <http://www.minorityaffairs.gov.in/schemesperformance/multi-sectoral-development-programme/empowered-committee-minutes>. The data showing literacy rates of 2001 and 2011 are as follows:-

States	2001			2011		
	Female	Male	Total	Female	Male	Total
	In percentage					
Punjab	63.55%	75.63%	69.95%	71.34%	81.48%	76.68%
Haryana	56.31%	79.25%	68.59%	66.77%	85.38%	76.64%
Chandigarh	76.65%	85.65%	81.76%	81.38%	90.54%	86.43%
Madhya Pradesh	50.28%	76.8%	64.11%	60.02%	80.53%	70.63%

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**Annexure referred in reply to part (a) and (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.1763 for 26.07.2017 regarding Setting up Girls Hostels and Degree Colleges asked by Shrimati Kirron Kher and Shri Anoop Mishra**

S.No	State	Nos. of unit of Hostels sanctioned			Nos. of unit of Degree Colleges sanctioned		
		2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
1	Uttar Pradesh	0	5	0	2	2	0
2	West Bengal	34	30	7	0	0	0
3	Assam	0	38	46	0	0	0
4	Bihar	07	8	16	0	0	0
5	Manipur	02	9	4	0	0	0
6	Haryana	0	0	2	0	0	0
7	Jharkhand	0	0	8	0	0	0
8	Uttrakhand	02	0	4	3	0	0
9	Maharashtra	03	5	0	0	0	0
10	Karnataka	10	5	4	0	0	0
12	Odisha	1		0	0	0	0
16	Jammu & Kashmir	0	2	0	0	0	0
18	Madhya Pradesh	0	3	1	0	0	0
19	Sikkim	0	0	1	0	0	0
20	Arunachal Pradesh	0	14	19	0	0	0
21	Andhra Pradesh	12	0	0	0	0	0
22	Telangana	12	0	0	0	0	0
23	Tripura	03	3	0	0	0	0
25	Rajasthan	0	7	1	1	1	0
27	Chhattisgarh	0	0	12	1	0	0
	<b>Total</b>	86	129	125	7	3	0

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