

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY
DEPARTMENT OF BIOTECHNOLOGY**

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2817
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02/08/2017**

Bio- Technology Park

2817. DR.BANSHILAL MAHATO:

Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- a. Whether funds for setting up Bio-Technology park in each State have been provided;
- b. if so, the State-wise details thereof;
- c. whether the Government proposes to set up more Bio-Technology parks;
- d. if so, the places identified for the purpose; and
- e. the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY AND EARTH SCIENCES (Y. S. Chowdary)

- a. Yes Madam, the Department has provided funds for setting up Bio-Technology Park in 6 States.
- b. The State wise details is as follows :

Sl.No.	State	Amount (Rs. in Crores)
1.	Uttar Pradesh	27.49
2.	Erstwhile Andhra Pradesh (Now Telangana)	26.80
3.	Karnataka	11.13
4.	Tamil Nadu	8.63
5.	Kerala	7.27
6.	Assam	24.38

c-e The Department in the National Biotechnology Development Strategy has announced the plan for expansion of the Biotechnology Parks. This will be dependent on the preparedness of State Government and Proposals received. The proposals received from J&K State and Chhattisgarh are under consideration.
