

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5179
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.03.2018**

FUNDS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SOCIAL WELFARE HOSTELS

**5179. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH:
SHRI PRABHAKAR REDDY KOTHA:**

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any scheme for providing financial assistance for construction of Social Welfare Hostels in the States and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the State Government of Telangana has requested the Union Government for release of funds for construction of thirteen Social Welfare Hostels in the State;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether any decision has been taken by the Government for release of funds at the earliest and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SHRI VIJAY SAMPLA)**

(a): Yes Madam, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment is implementing the following two Centrally Sponsored schemes for providing financial assistance for construction of hostels, namely, (i) Babu Jagjivan Ram Chhatrawas Yojna (BJRCY) for SC Boys and Girls; and (ii) Construction of Hostels for OBC Boys and Girls. The details of the schemes are at Annexure-I.

(b) to (d) : No Madam, this Ministry has not received any request for construction of 13 Social Welfare Hostels in Telangana from the State Government.

However, a proposal for construction of 29 Scheduled Caste (SC) girls' hostels by Telangana Social Welfare Residential Educational Institutions Society (TSWREIS), Hyderabad was received during 2016-17 through the State Government of Telangana under the Scheme, Babu Jagjivan Ram Chhatrawas Yojna (BJRCY). However, the proposal was not found a fit case for consideration under the extant provisions of the scheme, BJRCY. The same has been communicated to the State Government. The details of proposal received under Babu Jagjivan Ram Chhatrawas Yojna (BJRCY) are at Annexure-II.

As regards hostels for Other Backward Classes (OBCs), proposals for construction of 31 hostels accommodating 3100 inmates were received through the State Government of Telangana in 2016-17 under the "Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Construction of Hostels for OBC Boys and Girls". However, the proposals received from the State Government of Telangana were incomplete. In the absence of complete proposals, the same could not be sanctioned and the State Government of Telangana has been informed accordingly. The details of proposals received under the scheme are at Annexure-III.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 5179 for 27.03.2018 by Shri Sunil Kumar Singh and Shri Prabhakar Reddy Kotha regarding "Funds for Construction of Social Welfare Hostels"

Details of scheme 'Babu Jagjivan Ram Chhatrawas Yojna (BJRCY)'

Objective

The objective of the Scheme is to provide residential accommodation facilities to SC Boys and Girls students studying in middle schools, higher secondary schools, colleges and universities.

Implementing Agencies & Eligibility

The State Governments/Union Territory Administrations and the Central & State Universities/Institutions will be eligible for central assistance, both for new construction of hostel buildings and for expansion of existing hostel facilities. The NGOs and Deemed Universities in the private sector are eligible for central assistance only for expansion of their existing hostel facilities.

Funding Pattern

Implementing Agency	Central Assistance Component	
	Boys Hostel	Girls Hostel
State Government	50%*	100%
UT Administration	100%	100%
Central University/ Institution	90%**	100%
State University/ Institution	45%***	100%
NGO/ Deemed University	45%****	90% (remaining 10% cost to be borne by NGO/ Deemed University)

* Remaining 50% to be shared by State Government.

**Remaining 10% cost to be borne by University/ Institution.

***Remaining 55% cost to be borne by University/ Institution and State Government in the ratio of 10:45

****Remaining 55% cost to be borne by NGO/ Deemed University and State Government to the ratio of 10:45

In case the State Government/UT Administration concerned do not contribute their expected share to NGOs/State Universities, the share of former will also have to be borne by the NGOs/State Universities concerned.

Cost Norms

The cost norms for construction of SC Girls and Boys Hostels under the Scheme are:

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| (a) North Eastern Region | : Rs.3.50 lakh per inmate |
| (b) Northern Himalayan Regions | : Rs.3.25 lakh per inmate |
| (c) Gangetic Plains & Lower Himalayan Region | : Rs.3.00 lakh per inmate |

Maintenance of Hostels

The expenditure on maintenance of hostels constructed under the scheme will be borne by implementing agencies concerned from their own funds.

Release of Central Assistance

- The Central assistance to the State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations and Central and State Universities/ Institutions would be released in one single instalment after ensuring physical release of matching share by them.
- The admissible grant-in-aid to the implementing agencies would be released to them directly.
- The grant-in-aid would be released generally in two equal instalments to NGOs/ Deemed Universities. The second instalment is released to them after completion of construction work at least upto roof level and full utilization of the first instalment.

General Provisions

- In addition to the admissible central assistance, one-time grant of Rs.2500/- per student would also be provided for making provisions of a cot, a table and a chair for each student.
 - Central assistance is released only for meeting the cost of hostel buildings. It will be limited towards sharing of cost of construction of the hostels.
 - The proposal of NGOs/ Deemed Universities for expansion of existing hostels is to be routed through the State Government/ UT Administration with their recommendation to the Ministry of Social Justice and empowerment.
 - The Hostel shall be completed within a period of 2 years from the date of sanction of the project by the Ministry.
 - The execution of construction work of hostels may be carried out by the State/ UT Department concerned or through their agencies.
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Details of "Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Construction of Hostels for OBC Boys and Girls"

The Scheme of Construction of Hostels for OBC Boys and Girls has been revised w.e.f. 2017-18. The Scheme aims at providing hostel facilities to students belonging to socially and educationally backward classes, especially from rural areas to enable them to pursue secondary and higher education. The important provisions under the scheme after the revision are as follows:

The cost per hostel seat in different areas are as follows:-

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| a. North Eastern Region | - Rs.3.50 lakh per seat |
| b. Himalayan Regions | - Rs.3.25 lakh per seat |
| c. Rest of country | - Rs.3.00 lakh per seat |

Or as per the schedule of the rates for the concerned State Government, whichever is lower. There will also be a one-time non-recurring grant of Rs.2500/- per seat for providing furniture/equipment to the hostels constructed under the Scheme.

The funding pattern as per the guidelines are:

- i. The cost of construction for Boys hostels is shared between the Centre and the State in 60:40 ratio. For the Girls hostels the ratio is 90:10.
- ii. In case of Union Territories, the Central Assistance is 100% and for North Eastern States & three Himalayan States (Jammu and Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand), it shall be 90%.
- iii. For Central Universities/Institutes, the Central Government share is 90 % and the remaining 10 % is borne by the Central University/Institute for both Boys and Girls.
- iv. The amount of grant will be released in 3 installments in 50:45:5 ratio, of which 5% grant will be released after completion of the work and occupation of the rooms by the OBC Boys and Girls.

The construction work of the Hostel has to be completed within eighteen months from award of work order or two years from the release of Central assistance, whichever is earlier. In no case the time will be extended beyond 2 years. Any cost escalation due to delay in project will be borne by the State/Institute.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 5179 for 27.03.2018 by Shri Sunil Kumar Singh and Shri Prabhakar Reddy Kotha regarding "Funds for Construction of Social Welfare Hostels"

Details of the proposals received for construction of 29 SC girls hostels under BJRCY from the State Government of Telangana

Sl. No.	Location of the Hostels	No. of inmates	Estimated cost (Rs. in Lakh)
1	Mandamarri, Distt- Komaram Bheem	672	40020.00
2	Kagaznagar, Distt.- Asifabad	672	
3	Choppadandi, Distt.- Karimnagar	672	
4	Bejjanki, Distt.- Siddipet	672	
5	Gajwel, Distt.- Siddipet	672	
6	Illanthakunta, Distt.- Rajanna	672	
7	Kataram, Distt.- Jayashanker	672	
8	Dharamasagar, Distt.- Warangal (Rural)	672	
9	Hasanparthy, Distt.- Warangal (Urban)	672	
10	Atmakur, Distt.- Warangal (Rural)	672	
11	Bhupalapalle, Distt.- Warangal (Urban)	672	
12	Narmetta Distt.- Jangaon	672	
13	Madhira, Distt.- Khammam	672	
14	Kusumanchi, Distt.- Khammam	672	
15	Manopad, Distt.- Jogulamba	672	
16	Alampur, Distt.- Jogulamba	672	
17	Vangoor, Distt.- Nagar Karnool	672	
18	Veldanda, Distt.- Nagar Karnool	672	
19	Kollapur, Distt.- Nagar Karnool	672	
20	Mominpet, Distt.- Vikarabad	672	
21	Bantwaram, Distt.- Vikarabad	672	
22	Shankarpalle, Distt.- Ranga Reddy	672	
23	Chevella, Distt.- Ranga Reddy	672	
24	Maheshwaram, Distt.- Ranga Reddy	672	
25	Amangal, Distt.- Ranga Reddy	672	
26	Katangur, Distt.- Nalgonda	672	
27	Nidamanoor, Distt.-Nalgonda	672	
28	Jajireddygudem, Distt.- Suryapet	672	
29	Armoor, Distt.- Nizamabad	672	
Total		19488	

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Details of proposals received for construction of 31 OBC hostels from State Government of Telangana under "Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Construction of Hostels for OBC Boys and Girls"

S. No.	Location of the hostels	No. of inmates	Estimated cost (Rs in lakh)
1.	One Girls hostel at GBCGH Mandamarri, Distt.- Adilabad	100	300.00
2.	One Girls hostel at GBCCGH, Asifabad, Distt.- Adilabad	100	300.00
3.	One Girls hostel at Govt. BC College, Manuguru, Distt- Khammam	100	300.00
4.	One Girls hostel at BC College, Bhadrachalam, Distt.- Khammam	100	300.00
5.	One Girls hostel at Nuthankal, Distt.- Nalgonda	100	300.00
6.	One Girls hostel at BC College, Aurangabad, Distt.- Medak	100	300.00
7.	One Girls hostel at BC College, Ponnal (V), Siddipet, Distt.- Medak	100	300.00
8.	One Girls hostel at Jogipet, Distt.- Medak	100	300.00
9.	One Girls hostel at Sanga Reddy, Distt.- Medak	100	300.00
10.	One Boys hostel at GBCBH, Ponakal, Mamada, Distt.- Adilabad	100	300.00
11.	One Boys hostel at GBCBH, Indravelli, Distt.- Adilabad	100	300.00
12.	One Boys hostel at GBCBH, Asifabad, Distt.-Adilabad	100	300.00
13.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Lodangal, Mahabubnagar	100	290.00
14.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Chityal, Mahabubnagar	100	290.00
15.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Maheshwaram, Rangareddy	100	290.00
16.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Doulatnagar, Medak	100	290.00
17.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Kowdipally, Medak	100	290.00
18.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Dharmaram, Nizamabad	100	290.00
19.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Luxettipet, Adilabad	100	290.00
20.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Kamalapur, Karimnagar	100	290.00
21.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Shayampet, Warangal	100	290.00
22.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Bonakal, Khammam	100	290.00
23.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Moosi, Nalgonda	100	290.00
24.	One Boys hostel at MJPTBCWR School Nagarjunasagar, Nalgonda	100	290.00
25.	One Girls hostel at MJPTBCWR School Nagarkunool, Mahabubnagar	100	290.00
26.	One Girls hostel at MJPTBCWR School Kalwakurthy, Mahabubnagar	100	290.00
27.	One Girls hostel at MJPTBCWR School Sangareddy, Medak	100	290.00
28.	One Girls hostel at Adilabad, Adilabad	100	290.00
29.	One Girls hostel at Colony, Karimnagar	100	290.00
30.	One Girls hostel at Thimmapur, Warangal	100	290.00
31.	One Girls hostel at Lankapally, Khammam	100	290.00
	Total	3100	9110.00