GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UN STARRED QUESTION NO. 586 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.07.2018

COMMISSION FOR PROTECTION OF CHILD RIGHTS

586. SHRI VISHNU DAYAL RAM :

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether all the States/UTs have set up Commission for Protection of Child Rights and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) if not, the name of those States/UTs;

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- (c) whether the Government has made it mandatory for States/UTs to set up the said Commission; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (DR. VIRENDRA KUMAR)

- (a) & (b) The Commissions for Protection of Child Rights (CPCR) Act, 2005, is applicable to all the States/ UTs except the State of Jammu & Kashmir. The State Commissions for Protection of Child Rights (CPCRs) have been set up in all the States/UTs except for the State of Jammu & Kashmir.
- (c) & (d) Section 17 of the CPCR Act, 2005 makes enabling provisions for constitution of state Commissions for Protection of Child Rights by the State Governments.
