

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL EDUCATION & LITERACY

**LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3159  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 31.12.2018

**Sakshar Bharat Mission**

†3159. SHRI BHOLA SINGH:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of districts where 'Sakshar Bharat Mission' has been implemented, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether Public sector undertakings and financial institutions have expressed their desire to be a part of the above mentioned scheme; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT  
(Dr. SATYA PAL SINGH)**

- (a) A statement indicating State/UT-wise number of districts eligible and covered under 'Saakshar Bharat Mission' in the country, is **annexed**.
- (b) & (c) Yes Madam. Three Central Public Sector Enterprises(CPSEs) namely, Container Corporation of India Ltd. (CONCOR), Power Finance Corporation Ltd. (PFC) and Rural Electrification Corporation Limited (REC) have extended financial assistance of Rs.5.65 Crore, Rs.6.60 Crore & Rs.10.50 Crore respectively, under their Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiatives for strengthening of 904 Adult Education Centres (AECs) as Model AECs by furnishing ICT and other equipments.

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Annexure

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3159 FOR 31.12.2018 ASKED BY SHRI BHOLA SINGH REGARDING “SAKSHAR BHARAT MISSION”.**

**State-wise list of eligible districts and districts covered under Saakshar Bharat Mission**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of the State</b>	<b>Total eligible districts</b>	<b>Districts covered (as on 31.03.2018)</b>
1	Andhra Pradesh	10	10
2	Arunachal Pradesh	15	15
3	Assam	15	12
4	Bihar	38	38
5	Chhattisgarh	16	16
6	D&N Haveli	01	01
7	Gujarat	13	13
8	Haryana	12	12
9	Himachal Pradesh	01	01
10	Jharkhand	24	20
11	Jammu & Kashmir	20	20
12	Karnataka	20	20
13	Madhya Pradesh	42	42
14	Maharashtra	10	10
15	Meghalaya	2	2
16	Manipur	4	4
17	Nagaland	4	4
18	Odisha	19	19
19	Punjab	7	6*
20	Rajasthan	32	32
21	Sikkim	2	2
22	Tamil Nadu	9	9
23	Telangana	9	9
24	Tripura	1	1
25	Uttar Pradesh	70	70
26	Uttarakhand	6	6
27	West Bengal	10	10
	<b>Total</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>404</b>

\* Punjab has not implemented Saakshar Bharat scheme in any of its districts and refunded the sanctioned amount.

\*\* Saakshar Bharat was implemented in the rural areas of 26 States and one UT.

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