GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1982 TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2023

FACILITIES TO TRANSGENDERS

1982. SHRI MOHAMMED FAIZAL P.P.:

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

- (a) the number of transgender persons who have benefited from the national pension scheme, State-wise; and
- (b) whether the Government is planning to provide housing facilities to transgender persons under various Central and State schemes and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI A. NARAYANASWAMY)

- (a): As per information provided by Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority under Deptt of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance, the total number of transgender persons benefitted under National Pension Scheme is 1768. The State/UT wise list is **annexed**.
- (b): Government supports Community based organisations (CBOs) for setting up and maintainence of 12 "Garima Greh" shelter homes for transgender persons at Delhi, Thane, Kolkata(2 Garima Greh), Mumbai, Bhubaneshwar ,Vadodara, Raigarh, Chennai, Jaipur,Patna and Raipur.

Garima Greh provides shelter to Transgender persons with basic amenities like shelter, food, medical care and recreational facilities. Besides, it also provides support for the capacity-building/skill development of Transgender persons.

Reply to point (a) of Lok Sabha unstarred Question No.1982 for 01.08.2023 on "Facilities to Transgenders"

Total No of Subscribers under category " Transgender" in NPS (as on June 30, 2023)			
Sr No	State Name	No of Subscribers	No of Subscribors syited under NDS
A	В	C	D
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	2	-
2	Andhra Pradesh	32	-
3	Assam	37	_
4	Bihar	40	1
5	Chandigarh	2	-
6	Chhattisgarh	88	-
	Delhi	39	_
8	Goa	13	-
9	Gujarat	87	1
_	Haryana	90	-
11	Himachal Pradesh	15	-
12	Jammu & Kashmir	6	_
13	Jharkhand	15	1
14	Karnataka	179	-
15	Kerala	65	1
16	Madhya Pradesh	93	-
	Maharashtra	207	_
18	NRI	2	-
19	Orissa	73	-
20	Pondicherry	5	-
	Punjab	79	-
	Rajasthan	61	_
	Sikkim	1	<u> </u>
24	Tamil Nadu	94	_
	Telangana	17	-
	Tripura	3	-
	Uttar Pradesh	314	-
	Uttaranchal	41	1
	West Bengal	67	-
30	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	1	
	Total	1,768	5
