

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3748**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 17<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2020/PHALGUNA 27, 1941 (SAKA)**

**LICENCES UNDER FCRA TO NGOS**

**3748. SHRI KOMATI REDDY VENKAT REDDY:**

**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

**(a) whether the Government has granted licences under the Foreign Contributions Regulation Act (FCRA) to NGOs during the last three years;**

**(b) if so, the details thereof, year-wise and category-wise (religious, cultural, educational);**

**(c) whether the Government has cancelled any FCRA licences during the said period;**

**(d) if so, the details thereof, year-wise and category-wise; and**

**(e) the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS  
(SHRI NITYANAND RAI)**

**(a) & (b) Yes Sir. Details of Registration granted under Foreign Contribution Regulation Act (FCRA), 2010 during the last three years for the three categories (religious, cultural, educational) are as follows:-**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Number of NGOs granted FCRA Licence</b>
<b>2017</b>	<b>1011</b>
<b>2018</b>	<b>520</b>
<b>2019</b>	<b>683</b>

**Category-wise details of NGOs granted registration are available in the public domain on the web portal of FCRA i.e. [www.fcraonline.nic.in](http://www.fcraonline.nic.in)**

**(c), (d) & (e) Yes Sir. For violation of various provisions of the FCRA, 2010, the Central Government has cancelled registration certificates of 6676 associations.**

**Year-wise and category-wise details of cancelled FCRA Licences are as under:**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Number of cancelled associations (includes all five categories)</b>	<b>Category-wise*</b>		
		<b>Religious</b>	<b>Cultural</b>	<b>Educational</b>
<b>2017</b>	<b>4866</b>	<b>627</b>	<b>1817</b>	<b>3316</b>
<b>2018</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>---</b>	<b>----</b>	<b>01</b>
<b>2019</b>	<b>1809</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>1297</b>

**\* Many association(s)/NGOs have obtained registration certificate under the FCRA, 2010 for more than one programme; thus they figure in more than one category in the relevant year. Due to such overlap, the category-wise total number may differ from the actual total.**

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