GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS) LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 847 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.02.2020

District Youth Convention Programmes

847. SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R.:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

- (a) the salient features of district youth convention programmes being implemented in the country;
- (b) the number of youth convention programmes organised by the Government across the country during the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise including Telangana;
- (c) the budgetary allocation for the purpose during the said period, State/UT-wise; and
- (d) the other steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

- (a) District Youth Convention Programme is one of the core programs organized by Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NYKS). It is a one day programme in which 100 youth leaders from Youth Clubs participate. Issues of social and national importance are highlighted. Resource Persons provide orientation to youth leaders on addressing local and contemporary issues. Youth leaders also share experience/best practices. Youth Leaders in turn disseminate the acquired inputs among members of their respective youth clubs.
- (b)&(c) Rs. 30,000/- per convention per district per year is allocated to each of the district Nehru Yuva Kendras for conduct of District Youth Convention Programme. Details of number of Youth Convention Programmes organized in States/UTs/Districts, including Telangana, during the last three years and current year (upto December, 2019) are at Annexure.
- (d) This is an ongoing programme. Experience sharing amongst youth leaders has been included in this program.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (B)& (C) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED Q.NO. 847 FOR 06.02.2020 ASKED BY SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R. REGARDING DISTRICT YOUTH CONVENTION PROGRAMMES.

District Youth Conventions Organized

S. N.	Name of State/UT	Number of Conventions/Districts			
		2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20(Upto December, 2019)
1	Andhra Pradesh	12	14	13	8
2	Telangana	8	9	9	2
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0	14	14	12
4	Assam	25	27	25	19
5	Bihar	38	36	37	24
6	Chhattisgarh	16	16	16	10
7	Delhi	9	9	9	9
8	Gujarat, Daman & Diu and Dadra Nagar Haveli	18	24	28	18
9	Haryana	19	19	19	11
10	Himachal Pradesh	12	12	12	11
11	Jammu & Kashmir	11	14	14	8
12	Jharkhand	19	22	22	8
13	Karnataka	21	24	27	20
14	Kerala & Lakshadweep	16	16	16	12
15	Madhya Pradesh	38	44	42	22
16	Maharashtra & Goa	34	35	35	16
17	Manipur	8	10	10	10
18	Meghalaya	4	3	7	3
19	Mizoram	8	8	8	4
20	Nagaland	11	11	11	3
21	Odisha	29	30	29	15
22	Punjab & Chandigarh	21	20	21	10
23	Rajasthan	31	30	27	14
24	Sikkim	4	4	4	4
25	Tamil Nadu & Pondicherry	29	32	32	17
26	Tripura	4	4	4	3
27	Uttar Pradesh	60	55	67	26
28	Uttrakhand	9	9	6	6
29	West Bengal & A.N. Island	29	29	29	20
	Total	543	580	593	345