

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS  
(DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS)  
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 575  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.02.2021**

**Youth Convention Programmes**

**575. 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 Tamil Nadu;**
- c) the budgetary allocation for the purpose during the said period, State/UT-wise; and**
- d) the other steps are 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 Tamil Nadu, during the last three years i.e. 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20 are at Annexure. District youth Convention could not be organized during the current year due to Corona pandemic situation.**

**(d) This is an ongoing programme. Experience sharing amongst youth leaders has been included in this program.**

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**ANNEXURE**

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (B) & (C) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED Q.NO. 575 FOR 04.02.2021 ASKED BY SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R REGARDING YOUTH CONVENTION PROGRAMMES.

Youth Conventions Organized

S N	Name of State/UT	Number of Conventions/Districts		
		2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
1	Andhra Pradesh	14	13	13
2	Arunachal Pradesh	14	14	13
3	Assam	27	25	27
4	Bihar	36	37	24
5	Chhattisgarh	16	16	15
6	Delhi	9	9	9
7	Gujarat, Dadra Nagar Haveli Andaman & Diu	24	28	22
8	Haryana	19	19	13
9	Himachal Pradesh	12	12	12
10	Jammu & Kashmir	14	14	12
11	Jharkhand	22	22	22
12	Karnataka	24	27	24
13	Kerala & Lakshadweep	16	16	15
14	Madhya Pradesh	44	42	34
15	Maharashtra and Goa	35	35	36
16	Manipur	10	10	10
17	Meghalaya	3	7	7
18	Mizoram	8	8	8
19	Nagaland	11	11	11
20	Odisha	30	29	26
21	Punjab & Chandigarh	20	21	16
22	Rajasthan	30	27	25
23	Sikkim	4	4	4
24	Tamil Nadu & Pondicherry	32	32	25
25	Telangana	9	9	8
26	Tripura	4	4	4
27	Uttar Pradesh	55	67	51
28	Uttarakhand	9	6	13
29	West Bengal & A&N Island	29	29	29
	<b>Total</b>	<b>580</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>528</b>