

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1470
ANSWERED ON 26.07.2022

COMPUTERISATION OF GRAM PANCHAYATS

1470. DR. NISHIKANT DUBEY:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the funds allocated by the Government for the development of Gram Panchayats in the State of Jharkhand during each of the last three years and the current year, district-wise;
- (b) the details of the Panchayats in the State which have been computerized; district-wise; and
- (c) the total number of Panchayats which are yet to be computerized in Jharkhand especially Santhal Paragana?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PANCHAYATI RAJ

(SHRI KAPIL MORESHWAR PATIL)

(a) The year-wise funds allocated/released to Panchayats in the State of Jharkhand under the (i) Fourteenth and Fifteenth Finance Commissions (ii) the scheme Incentivization of Panchayats (IoP) under which awards including financial incentives are given to the best performing Panchayats in recognition of their good work for improving delivery of services and public goods and (iii) to the States under the Scheme of Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan (RGSA) for capacity building of the elected representatives and their functionaries of the Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) during the last three year and current year are as under:

(Rs. in crore)			
Year	*Allocation during 14 th and 15 th Finance Commission	Funds Released under IoP scheme	Fund released under RGSA
2019-20	1832.12	0.36	0
2020-21	1689.00	0.52	2.34
2021-22	1249.00	0.59	7.742
2022-23	1293.00	0.59	**

*District-wise allocation is made by the State concerned.

**During the FY 2022-23, no fund has been released so far.

Based on the awards won in different districts of the State, the district-wise award money released by the States/directly released by the Ministry (with effect from 2020) under the IoP scheme is at **Annexure-I**.

(b) & (c) As per the information received from State Government, out of 4,345 Gram Panchayats (GPs), 3,749 GPs have been computerized and 596 GPs are yet to be computerized in the State of Jharkhand, of which 85 GPs are in Santhal Pargana. District-wise number of computerized GPs are at **Annexure-II**.

Annexure-I

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1470 answered on 26.07.2022 regarding “Computerisation of Gram Panchayats”.

Under the Scheme of Incentivization of Panchayats, district-wise and year-wise details of funds released to the Gram Panchayats for last three years and current year (2019-20 to 2022-23) :

(Rs. In Lakhs)					
Sl. No.	Name of the District	Year (2019-20)	Year (2020-21)	Year (2021-22)	Year (2022-23)
1.	Bokaro		5	17	5
2.	Ramgarh		5		
3.	Koderma	12			
4.	Giridih	12	34	25	42
5.	Dhanbad	12	8		
6.	Hazaribagh			12	
8.	Sahebganj			5	
9.	East Singhbhum				12
	Total	36	52	59	59

Annexure-II

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1470 answered on 26.07.2022 regarding “Computerisation of Gram Panchayats”.

Updated information related to Panchayat Bhawan as per the reports received from the districts.

Sl. No..	Name of the District	No. of total GPs	No. of Panchayat Bhawan equipped with computer equipment
1	Bokaro	249	150
2	Chatra	152	126
3	Deoghar	194	189
4	Dhanbad	256	255
5	Dumka	206	198
6	East Singhbhum	231	208
7	Garhwa	189	122
8	Giridih	344	296
9	Godda	197	197
10	Gumla	159	116
11	Hazaribagh	250	199
12	Jamtara	118	110
13	Khunti	86	57
14	Koderma	105	105
15	Latehar	115	81
16	Lohardaga	66	61
17	Pakur	128	101
18	Palamu	265	265
19	Ramgarh	125	104
20	Ranchi	305	277
21	Sahebganj	162	125
22	Saraikela	132	132
23	Simdega	94	85
24	West Singhbhum	217	190
Total		4345	3749
