

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3069
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.12.2024

ONE STOP CENTRES IN BIHAR

3069. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR:

Will the Minister of Women and Child Development be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of one stop centres operational in Bihar till date along with the budgetary criteria for setting up of the same;
- (b) whether the scheme is being implemented in Valmiki Nagar of Bihar, if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the said centre has been reviewed; and;
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI SAVITRI THAKUR)

(a): The One Stop Centre (OSC) is a component of the Sambal vertical under the umbrella Mission Shakti. It provides integrated support and assistance under one roof to women affected by violence and those in distress, both in private and public spaces. It provides services like medical aid, legal aid and advice, temporary shelter, police assistance and psycho-social counselling to needy women.

The Ministry has approved 50 One Stop Centres (OSCs) in 38 districts in the state of Bihar. Out of the approved 50 OSCs, 39 OSCs are operational. The Central Government provides 100% financial assistance to States/ UTs for setting up OSCs.

(b): At Present, two OSCs are approved in West Champaran district, out of which one OSC is operational which provides services to entire district including Valmiki Nagar.

(c) & (d): Once in a year during Programme Approval Board Meeting with States/UTs, the Ministry of Women and Child Development monitors the progress of the overall activities under OSC and reviews status of achievement of objectives. Apart from this, officials of the Ministry review the scheme through meetings, video conferencing and by making field visits to States/UTs from time to time.
