

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †4903
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01/04/2025

DISTRICT RESOURCE CENTRES

†4903. DR. RAJEEV BHARADWAJ:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up District Resource Centres in Himachal Pradesh under the Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan (RGSA);
- (b) if so, the districts in which the said centres are proposed to be set up in Himachal Pradesh; and
- (c) the details and the total amount of funds proposed to be allocated for setting up the said centres along with the district-wise details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR PANCHAYATI RAJ

(Prof. S.P. SINGH BAGHEL)

(a) to (c) Yes Sir. The Ministry is implementing Revamped Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan (RGSA) w.e.f. financial year 2022-23 with the main objective for strengthening Panchayati Raj institutions (PRIs) through imparting training to all the Elected Representatives (ERs) and other stakeholders to develop their governance capabilities for leadership roles to enable the Gram Panchayats to function effectively. Ministry under the scheme of RGSA also providing support to the States/ UTs to establish institutional mechanism for the Capacity Building & Training including District Panchayat Resource Centre (DPRCs). Under the scheme, construction of 2 DPRCs has been approved for Chamba and Lahaul Spiti districts of Himachal Pradesh amounting to Rs. 2 crore each as per cost norms of RGSA scheme.
