

**Government of India
Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports
Department of Youth Affairs**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2453
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.12.2025**

Establishment of Youth Hostels

2453. SHRI APPALANAIDU KALISETTI:

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

- (a) the total number of Youth Hostels established and functioning in the country at present, State/UT and district-wise, along with their year of establishment and current operational status;**
- (b) the number of Youth Hostels constructed, renovated or upgraded during the last five years and the current year including the details of the funds sanctioned, released and utilised, State/UT-wise;**
- (c) whether any said hostels are currently non-functional, partially functional, or awaiting repair/renovation and if so, the reasons therefor;**
- (d) the details of occupancy levels, youth programmes conducted and the number of beneficiaries using such hostel facilities during the last three years and the current year;**
- (e) whether any shortage of staff in such hostels and the details of sanctioned posts, in-position staff and vacancies; and**
- (f) if so, whether any proposals from the State Governments including Andhra Pradesh for establishment of new Youth Hostels or modernisation of existing ones are under consideration and if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
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(a) The number of Youth Hostels in the country, state/district wise along with year of establishment and status, is at Annexure A.

(b) No new Youth Hostels have been constructed during the last five years and the current year under the Youth Hostel Scheme. A total of 18 Youth Hostels have been provided financial assistance for repair, renovation and upgradation since 2020-21. The State/UT-wise details of funds sanctioned, released and utilised for these 18 hostels are enclosed at Annexure B.

(c) Yes, 35 Youth Hostels under the Youth Hostel Scheme are presently non-functional. The details of the same are enclosed at Annexure C. This is primarily due to their buildings have become dilapidated and unsuitable for accommodation or being used for some other purpose.

(d) According to a recent survey, the functional Youth Hostels recorded an average occupancy of over 53% during the last three years and the current year. In the same period, more than 3,500 youth programmes were organised, benefiting around 3.5 lakh young people who availed hostel facilities.

(e) As per the Youth Hostel Manual, each Youth Hostel is to be administered by a Manager appointed by the Ministry, assisted by a Warden and other support staff engaged by the respective Hostel Management Committee. In cases where a regular Manager is not posted, the hostel is overseen by the District Youth Officer (DYO), who functions as the Manager-in-charge. The list of hostels with designated Managers is enclosed at Annexure-D.

(f) At present, there are no proposals under consideration from any State/UT Governments, including Andhra Pradesh, for the establishment of new Youth Hostels or for the modernisation of existing ones.

ANNEXURE-A

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (a) OF REPLY TO THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED Q. NO. 2453 FOR 15.12.2025 ASKED BY SHRI APPALANAIDU KALISSETTI REGARDING ESTABLISHMENT OF YOUTH HOSTELS.

Details of Establishment/Inauguration Year of Youth Hostels constructed in the country:

Sl. N o.	State	District	City	Establishment/Inauguration Year	Current Operational status
1.	Andaman & Nicobar	South Andaman	Port Blair	1983	Non-Functional
2.	Andhra Pradesh	YSR Kadapa	Kadapa	2013	Functional
3.	Andhra Pradesh	Vizianagaram	Vizianagaram	2009	Functional
4.	Andhra Pradesh	Visakhapatnam	Vishakhapatnam	2001	Functional
5.	Andhra Pradesh	NTR District	Vijayawada	1998	Non-Functional
6.	Andhra Pradesh.	Tirupati	Tirupati	1996	Functional
7.	Arunachal Pradesh	Lower Dibang Valley	Roing	2019	Functional
8.	Arunachal Pradesh.	Papum Pare	Naharalagun	1986	Non-Functional
9.	Assam	Kamrup Metropolitan	Guwahati	1985	Functional
10.	Assam.	Sonitpur	Tezpur	2001	Non-Functional
11.	Bihar	Patna	Patna	1996	Functional
12.	Goa	North Goa	Miramar, Panaji	1972	Functional
13.	Goa	North Goa	Pedam Mapusa	1999	Functional
14.	Gujarat.	Gandhinagar	Gandhinagar	1972	Non-Functional
15.	Haryana	Sirsa	Sirsa	2006	Functional
16.	Haryana	Kurukshetra	Kurukshetra	1990	Functional

Sl. N o.	State	District	City	Establishment/Inauguration Year	Current Operational status
17.	Haryana	Yamunanagar	Yamuna Nagar	2005	Non-Functiona l
18.	Haryana.	Bhiwani	Bhiwani	1992	Non-Functiona l
19.	Haryana.	Gurugram	Gurgaon	1999	Non-Functiona l
20.	Haryana.	Panchkula	Panchkula	1972	Function al
21.	Haryana.	Rewari	Rewari	2006	Non-Functiona l
22.	Himancha l Pradesh	Chamba	Dalhousie	1972	Function al
23.	Jammu & Kashmir.	Srinagar	Srinagar	1960	Non- functional
24.	Jammu & Kashmir.	Udhampur	Patnitop	1972	Non- Functiona l
25.	Karnataka	Hassan	Hassan	1990	Function al
26.	Karnataka	Mysuru	Mysore	1988	Function al
27.	Karnataka	Davanagere	Devanagere	1998-99	Function al
28.	Karnataka	Belagavi	Sogal	2000	Function al
29.	Kerala	Thiruvananthap uram	Thiruvananthap uram	1979	Function al
30.	Kerala	Kozhikode	Kozhikode	1991	Function al
31.	Kerala.	Ernakulam	Kochi	1989	Function al
32.	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	Bhopal	1970	Function al
33.	Madhya Pradesh.	Jabalpur	Jabalpur	1998	Function al
34.	Madhya Pradesh.	Chhatarpur	Khajuraho	2011	Non- Functiona l
35.	Maharash tra.	Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar	Aurangabad	1976	Function al

Sl. N o.	State	District	City	Establishment/Inauguration Year	Current Operational status
36.	Manipur	Imphal West	Imphal	1985	Functional
37.	Manipur	Churachandpur	Churachandpur	2017	Non-functional
38.	Manipur	Thoubal	Thoubal	2017	Non-functional
39.	Meghalaya	East Khasi Hills	Shillong	1986	Functional
40.	Mizoram	Aizawl	Aizawl	1996	Non-functional
41.	Nagaland.	Dimapur	Dimapur	1999	Functional
42.	Odisha	Ganjam	Gopalpur-on-Sea	2006	Functional
43.	Odisha	Koraput	Koraput	1995	Non-functional
44.	Odisha.	Puri	Puri	1975	Functional
45.	Odisha.	Mayurbhanj	Jashipur	1993	Non-functional
46.	Puducherry	Puducherry	Puducherry	1979	Functional
47.	Punjab	Tarn Taran	Tarn Taran	2009	Functional
48.	Punjab	Jalandhar	Jalandhar	2006	Functional
49.	Punjab.	Amritsar	Amritsar	Early Seventies	Non-functional
50.	Punjab.	Patiala	Patiala	1999	Functional
51.	Punjab.	Rupnagar	Ropar	1991	Functional
52.	Punjab.	Sangrur	Sangrur	1990-1991	Non-functional
53.	Rajasthan	Jaipur	Jaipur	1972	Functional
54.	Rajasthan	Ajmer	Ajmer	2007	Functional
55.	Rajasthan	Udaipur	Udaipur	1972	Functional
56.	Rajasthan	Jodhpur	Jodhpur	1993	Functional
57.	Sikkim.	Gangtok (East Sikkim)	Gangtok	2002	Non-functional
58.	Tamil Nadu	Thanjavur	Thanjavur	1991	Functional

Sl. N o.	State	District	City	Establishment/Inauguration Year	Current Operational status
59.	Tamil Nadu.	Madurai	Madurai	1987 -88	Non-functional
60.	Tamil Nadu.	Nilgiris	Ooty	2009	Functional
61.	Tamil Nadu.	Tiruchirappalli	Tiruchirappalli	1989	Non-functional
62.	Tamil Nadu.	Chennai	Chennai	1975	Functional
63.	Telangana	Hanumakonda	Warangal	2004	Functional
64.	Telangana.	Hyderabad	Secunderabad	1976	Functional
65.	Telangana.	Nalgonda	Nalgonda	2003	Functional
66.	Tripura	West Tripura	Agartala	1994	Functional
67.	Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow	Lucknow	2007	Functional
68.	Uttar Pradesh	Agra	Agra	1987	Functional
69.	Uttarakhand	Chamoli	Badrinath	2006	Functional
70.	Uttarakhand.	Nainital	Nainital	1972	Functional
71.	Uttarakhand.	Dehradun	Mussoorie	1988	Functional
72.	Uttarakhand	Uttarkashi	Uttarkashi	1989-90	Non-functional
73.	West Bengal.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling	1970-71	Non-functional
74.	Maharashtra	Buldhana	Buldhana	-	Non-functional
75.	Himachal Pradesh	Bilaspur	Bilaspur	1994	Non-functional
76.	Assam	Nagaon	Nagaon	1994	Non-functional
77.	Manipur	Ukhrul	Ukhrul	1995	Non-functional
78.	Nagaland	Mokokchung	Mokokchung	-	Non-functional

Sl. N o.	State	District	City	Establishment/Inaugu ration Year	Current Operatio nal status
79.	West Bengal	Burdwan	Burdwan	2007	Non-functional
80.	Sikkim	Namchi	Namchi	1987	Non-functional
81.	West Bengal	Paschim Bardhaman	Churulia	1999	Non-functional
82.	Assam	Golaghat	Golaghat	-	Non-functional
83.	Jammu & Kashmir	Jammu	Nagrota	-	Non-functional
84.	Meghalaya	West Garo Hills	Tura	-	Non-functional

ANNEXURE-B

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (b) OF REPLY TO THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED Q. NO. 2453 FOR 15.12.2025 ASKED BY SHRI APPALANAIDU KALISETTI REGARDING ESTABLISHMENT OF YOUTH HOSTELS.

Details of Funds released and utilised during the last five year:

Sl. No.	Year	Name of Youth Hostel	State	Fund Released (in Rs.)	Status of Utilisation of funds
1.	2020-21	Pipli	Haryana	17,60,000	Utilised
2.	2020-21	Hassan	Karnataka	17,60,000	Utilised
3.	2020-21	Aurangabad	Maharashtra	17,60,000	Utilised
4.	2020-21	Kozhikode	Kerala	17,60,000	Utilised
5.	2020-21	Badrinath	Uttarakhand	7,62,516	Utilised
6.	2020-21	Imphal	Manipur	20,00,000	Utilised
7.	2020-21	Panaji	Goa	20,00,000	Utilised
8.	2021-22	Warangal	Telangana	19,00,000	Utilised
9.	2021-22	Agra	Uttar Pradesh	11,47,500	Utilised
10.	2021-22	Jabalpur	Madhya Pradesh	18,17,500	Utilised
11.	2021-22	Dalhousie	Himachal Pradesh	18,17,500	Utilised
12.	2021-22	Puri	Odisha	18,17,500	Utilised
13.	2021-22	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh	12,54,000	Utilised
14.	2022-23	Nainital	Uttarakhand	20,00,000	Utilised
15.	2022-23	Mysore	Karnataka	20,00,000	Utilised
16.	2022-23	Ajmer	Rajasthan	20,00,000	Utilised
17.	2023-24	Dimapur	Nagaland	20,00,000	Utilised
18.	2023-24	Tarn Taran	Punjab	19,95,703	Utilised

ANNEXURE-C

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (c) OF REPLY TO THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED Q. NO. 2453 FOR 15.12.2025 ASKED BY SHRI APPALANAIDU KALISSETTI REGARDING ESTABLISHMENT OF YOUTH HOSTELS.

Details of non-functional Youth Hostels in the country:

List of Non-Functional Youth Hostels

Sl. No.	State	Name of YH
1.	Andaman & Nicobar	Port Blair
2.	Andhra Pradesh	Vijayawada
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	Naharlagun
4.	Assam	Tezpur
5.	Gujarat	Gandhinagar
6.	Haryana	Bhiwani
7.	Haryana	Gurugram
8.	Haryana	Rewari
9.	Haryana	Yamuna Nagar
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	Patnitop, Udhampur
11.	Jammu & Kashmir	Sri Nagar
12.	Madhya Pradesh	Chhatarpur (Khajuraho)
13.	Manipur	Churachandpur
14.	Manipur	Thoubal
15.	Mizoram	Aizawl
16.	Odisha	Jashipur (Mayurbhanj)
17.	Odisha	Koraput
18.	Punjab	Amritsar
19.	Punjab	Sangrur
20.	Sikkim	Gangtok
21.	Tamil Nadu	Madurai
22.	Tamil Nadu	Tiruchirappalli
23.	Uttarakhand	Uttarkashi
24.	West Bengal	Darjeeling
25.	Maharashtra	Buldhana
26.	Himachal Pradesh	Bilaspur
27.	Assam	Nagaon
28.	Manipur	Ukhrul
29.	Nagaland	Mokokchung
30.	West Bengal	Burdwan
31.	Sikkim	Namchi
32.	West Bengal	Churulia
33.	Assam	Golaghat
34.	Jammu & Kashmir	Nagrota
35.	Meghalaya	Tura

ANNEXURE-D

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Details of Youth Hostels managed by regular Managers

Sl. No.	States	Youth Hostels
1.	Andhra Pradesh	Vizianagaram
2.	Andhra Pradesh	Tirupati
3.	Haryana	Sirsa
4.	Haryana	Pipli (Kurukshetra)
5.	Himanchal Pradesh	Dalhousie
6.	Karnataka	Hassan
7.	Madhya Pradesh	Jabalpur
8.	Meghalaya	Shillong
9.	Maharashtra	Aurangabad
10.	Manipur	Imphal
11.	Odisha	Puri
12.	Punjab	Patiala
13.	Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow
14.	Uttarakhand	Badrinath
15.	Uttarakhand	Nainital
