

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PANCHAYATI RAJ
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO– 1832
ANSWERED ON- 10.02.2026

ELECTED REPRESENTATIVES IN THE PANCHAYATS

1832. DR. THIRUMAAVALAVAN THOLKAPPIYAN:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has the data pertaining to the total number of elected representatives in the Panchayats, Panchayat Samiti and the Zilla Parishad;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has the data about the number of elected Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and women Representatives in the Panchayats, Panchayat Samiti and the Zila Parishad; and

(d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF PANCHAYATI RAJ

(SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH)

(a) to (d): A statement showing State/Union Territory-wise number of Elected Representatives and Women Elected Representatives is placed in **Annexure**. This data includes the total number of Elected Representatives functioning in the Gram Panchayats, Intermediate Panchayats and District Panchayats of the State/Union Territory. Further, caste based data of Elected Representatives is not maintained by the Ministry of Panchayati Raj.

Annexure referred to in reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1832 answered on 10.02.2026 on “Elected Representatives in the Panchayats”

State-wise details of Elected Representatives and Women Elected Representatives

Sl. No.	Category	State/ Union Territory	Number of Elected Representatives	Number of Women Elected Representatives	Remarks
1	State	Andhra Pradesh	1,54,414	85,593	-
2	State	Arunachal Pradesh	8,675	3,967	-
3	State	Assam	24,455	14,693	-
4	State	Bihar	2,45,342	1,35,805	-
5	State	Chhattisgarh	1,74,926	98,787	-
6	State	Goa	1,608	745	-
7	State	Gujarat	1,32,222	69,566	-
8	State	Haryana	71,455	32,892	-
9	State	Himachal Pradesh	30,578	15,250	-
10	State	Jharkhand	56,808	32,014	-
11	State	Karnataka	94,035	49,723	This is the data of Gram Panchayats. Block and District Panchayat Elections are pending since 2021
12	State	Kerala	19,950	10,930	-
13	State	Madhya Pradesh	3,95,552	2,09,041	-
14	State	Maharashtra	28,248	14,135	Elections in 336 Block Panchayats and 32 District Panchayat are pending.
15	State	Manipur	Nil	Nil	Tenure of Panchayats ended in Oct, 2022. Elections not held yet.
16	State	Meghalaya	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not covered under Part IX of the Constitution
17	State	Mizoram	Not applicable	Not applicable	

18	State	Nagaland	Not applicable	Not applicable	
19	State	Odisha	1,06,353	57,001	-
20	State	Punjab	1,00,034	44,519	-
21	State	Rajasthan	11,590	6,358	-
22	State	Sikkim	1,257	655	-
23	State	Tamil Nadu	Nil	Nil	Tenure of Panchayats ended in January 2025. Election not held yet.
24	State	Telangana	12,702	6,298	This is the data of Gram Panchayats. Block and District Panchayat Elections not held yet.
25	State	Tripura	6,909	3,126	-
26	State	Uttar Pradesh	6,77,382	2,76,181	-
27	State	Uttarakhand	11,498	6,366	
28	State	West Bengal	74,424	40,537	-
29	Union Territory	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	861	415	-
30	Union Territory	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	503	288	-
31	Union Territory	Jammu & Kashmir	276	95	Tenure of Gram Panchayats and Block Panchayat ended in Jan.,2024. Election not held yet.
32	Union Territory	Ladakh	Nil	Nil	Tenure of Panchayats ended in January 2024. Election not held yet.
33	Union Territory	Lakshadweep	Nil	Nil	Tenure of Panchayats ended in December, 2022. Election not held yet.

34	Union Territory	Puducherry	Nil	Nil	Tenure of Panchayats ended in July, 2011. Election not held yet.
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Source: Data as provided, from time to time, by the States/Union Territories to the Ministry of Panchayati Raj.
