GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1476 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 08TH DECEMBER, 2015/ AGRAHAYANA 17, 1937 (SAKA)

PERSON UNDER PREVENTIVE/ADMINISTRATIVE DETENTION LAWS

1476. SHRI KALIKESH N. SINGH DEO:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of individuals detained in prisons under preventive/ administrative detention laws during the last three years, State-wise;

(b) whether there has been an increase in detention of juveniles, particularly in left wing extremism affected States and if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether the Government has undertaken measures/plans to undertake measures and to reduce the problems caused by preventive/administrative detention laws and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI HARIBHAI PARATHIBHAI CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (c): As per data compiled by the National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB), a State/UT wise statement of Detenues lodged in the prisons of the country is at Annexure-I. A State/UT wise statement of persons arrested during the last three years as reported by the States/UTs under National Security Act, 1980 is at Annexure-II.

"Prisons" is a State subject as per Entry 4 of List II of the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution of India. Therefore, the administration and management of prisons is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments. After detention under National Security Act (NSA), 1980, the detenues have right to submit the representation to the Central Government for the revocation of detention order. On the basis of representation and order of detention and grounds for the same, the Central Government considers their representation. The Central Government may seek further report if required from the concerned State Government on the issue of continued detention under NSA.

Annexure referred to in part (a) to (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Qeustion No. 1476 for answer on 08.12.2015

S. No.	State/UT	Number of Detenues as per data compiled by		
		NCRB Year 2012 Year 2013 Year 2014		
		16012012	Teal 2013	Teal 2014
1	Andhra Pradesh	4	7	27
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0
3	Assam	3	5	11
4	Bihar	40	26	26
5	Chhattisgarh	0	1	1
6	Goa	0	0	0
7	Gujarat	519	646	594
8	Haryana	0	0	0
9	Himachal Pradesh	0	0	0
10	Jammu & Kashmir	144	72	35
11	Jharkhand	16	10	27
12	Karnataka	97	187	204
13	Kerala	9	0	0
14	Madhya Pradesh	139	124	61
15	Maharashtra	42	28	32
16	Manipur	132	43	41
17	Meghalaya	21	33	31
18	Mizoram	0	0	0
19	Nagaland	19	50	37
20	Odisha	0	0	0
21	Punjab	8	4	0
22	Rajasthan	1	0	54
23	Sikkim	0	0	0
24	Tamil Nadu	523	1781	1892
25	Telangana	-	-	26
26	Tripura	0	0	0
27	Uttar Pradesh	197	90	132
28	Uttarakhand	0	0	0
29	West Bengal	3	0	5
30	A & N Islands	0	0	0
31	Chandigarh	0	0	0
32	D & N Haveli	0	0	0
33	Daman & Diu	0	0	0
34	Delhi	5	6	1
35	Lakshadweep	0	0	0
36	Puducherry	0	0	0
	Total	1922	3113	3237

S. No.	State/UT	Total number of persons arrested during the last three years as reported by States/UTs under NSA Act 1980			
		Year 2013	Year 2014	Year 2015 (as on 30.11.2015)	
1	Andhra Pradesh				
2	Arunachal Pradesh				
3	Assam		10	15	
4	Bihar				
5	Chhattisgarh				
6	Goa	4			
7	Gujarat				
8	Haryana				
9	Himachal Pradesh				
10	Jammu & Kashmir				
11	Jharkhand			1	
12	Karnataka				
13	Kerala				
14	Madhya Pradesh	338	224	221	
15	Maharashtra				
16	Manipur		77	47	
17	Meghalaya				
18	Mizoram				
19	Nagaland	126	61	69	
20	Odisha		6	3	
21	Punjab				
22	Rajasthan				
23	Sikkim				
24	Tamil Nadu	80	28	22	
25	Telangana				
26	Tripura		1		
27	Uttar Pradesh	222	221	229	
28	Uttarakhand				
29	West Bengal				
30	A & N Islands				
31	Chandigarh				
32	D & N Haveli				
33	Daman & Diu				
34	Delhi				
35	Lakshadweep				
36	Puducherry				
	Total	770	628	607	
