GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1308

TO BE ANSWERED ON THURSDAY, THE 3rd MARCH, 2016

Training to Judicial Officials

1308. SHRI DINESH TRIVEDI: DR. K. KAMARAJ:

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE pleased to state:

- (a) the number of judicial officials received training at the National Judicial Academy India during the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise including from West Bengal;
- (b) the details of the programmes on which these officials underwent imparted training during the said period;
- (c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to improve the quality of legal profession in the country;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to grant practicing allowance to the junior lawyers so as to attract better talent to the profession; and
- (e) if so, the details and the present status thereof and if not, the other measures taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI D.V. SADANANDA GOWDA)

(a) and (b): A statement indicating the number of Judicial Officers who received training at the National Judicial Academy, Bhopal for the years 2012-13, 2013-14, 2014-15 and the current year 2015-16, State/UT-wise is at annexure. As regards the details of the trainings imparted to these Officers during the said period, information in this regard can be accessed from the National Judicial Academy's portal (www.nja.nic.in) under the heading 'NJA Programmmes'.

- (c) : The Bar Council of India started the All India Bar Examination (AIBE) from 2010 to examine an advocate's capability to practice the profession of law in India. After passing the examination, candidates are awarded "Certificate of Practice" by the Bar Council of India.
- (d) and (e) : The Bar Council of India has recently informed that as on date no scheme for the Scholarship/stipend for the newly enrolled advocates is sponsored by them. However, some State Governments of their own or in association with concerned State bar Councils like Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, etc. have some schemes of Scholarship/stipend for the newly enrolled advocates.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of LokSabhaUnstarred Question No.1308 due for answer on 03.03.2016.

	NATIONAL JUDICIAL ACADEMY							
	The number of Judicial Officers who received training at the NJA for the last three years and							
	the current year							
		2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16			
1.	Andhra Pradesh	116	145	59	63			
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	0	3	5	3			
3.	Assam	44	115	89	30			
4.	Bihar	92	100	146	36			
5.	Chhattisgarh	76	98	44	50			
6.	Goa	4	3	7	3			
7.	Gujarat	75	140	175	35			
8.	Haryana	21	29	65	10			
9.	Himachal Pradesh	32	129	103	41			
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	28	49	68	24			
11.	Jharkhand	84	93	96	26			
12.	Karnataka	42	168	161	45			
13.	Kerala	29	146	99	41			
14.	Madhya Pradesh	134	172	200	48			
15.	Maharashtra	85	154	189	58			
16.	Manipur	0	19	3	16			
17.	Meghalaya	0	9	10	0			
18.	Mizoram	0	1	4	6			
19.	Nagaland	3	7	7	6			
20.	Odisha	68	91	104	31			
21.	Punjab & Haryana	15	41	46	28			
22.	Rajasthan	120	177	192	38			
23.	Sikkim		5	4	11			
24.	Tamil Nadu	70	183	134	57			
25.	Telangana	0	0	54	18			
26.	Tripura	0	37	40	21			
27.	Uttar Pradesh	130	165	182	55			
28.	Uttarakhand	39	58	47	30			
29.	West Bengal	80	94	127	42			
	Union Territories							
1.	Andaman & Nicobar	0	0	0	0			
2.	Chandigarh	15	41	20	22			
3.	Dadar& Nagar Haveli	0	0	0	0			
4.	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0			
5.	Diu	0	0	0	0			
6.	Delhi	47	92	122	47			
7.	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0			
8.	Puducherry	0	0	2	0			
	Total	1449	2564	2604	941			