

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**  
**MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS**  
**(DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS)**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. +1664**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.03.2016**

**Rashtriya Yuva Neta Yojana**

**+1664. SHRIMATI DARSHANA VIKRAM JARDOSH:**

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

- (a) whether a scheme namely "Rashtriya Yuva Neta Yojana" was formulated on the basis of an announcement made in the Budget year 2014-15 to evolve leadership qualities among the youth and if so, the details thereof;**
- (b) the number of youths benefited under the said scheme, State-wise;**
- (c) the salient features of the aforesaid scheme; and**
- (d) the benefits accrued to the youth under the said scheme?**

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR**  
**YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS**  
**(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)**

- (a) In pursuance to the 2014-15 budget announcements, a new Central Sector Scheme, namely, 'National Young Leaders**

**Programme (NYLP)' was formulated and launched in December, 2014.**

**(b) The state-wise details of the youth benefitted under the scheme are given at Annexure.**

**(c) The salient features of the schemes are as under:-**

**1. Objective of the Programme: National Young Leaders Programme (NYLS) aims at developing leadership qualities among the youth to enable them to realize their full potential and in the process, to contribute to the nation-building process. The programme aims at motivating the youth to strive for excellence in their respective fields and to bring them to the forefront of the development process. It seeks to harness the immense youth energy for national-building.**

**2. Programme Beneficiaries: The programme beneficiaries shall be the youth in the age-group of 15-29 years, in line with the definition of "Youth" in the National Youth Policy, 2014.**

**3. Programme Components:**

**i) Neighborhood Youth Parliament(NYP): Under this programme, the platform of youth clubs of NYKS will be developed further in the shape of vibrant 'neighborhood youth parliament' is to educate the youth club members about contemporary socio-economic development issues confronting village communities in general and the youth in particular and to involve them in debate/discussions on such issues.**

**ii) Youth for Development Programme (YFDP): The objective of the programme is to channelize the immense youth energy towards the nation-building, by involving them in Shramadaan (voluntary labour) on a**

**large-scale all over the country. This will develop the personality and leadership qualities of the youth and promote the spirit of 'dignity of labour'.**

- iii) National Young Leaders Awards (NYLA): The youth are doing pioneering work in all the sectors. The objective of this programme is to motivate the youth to strive for excellence in their respective fields by recognizing and rewarding the outstanding work done by them. Such exceptionally talented youth could serve as role models and mentors for others.**
  - iv) National Youth Advisory Council (NYAC): The objective of Setting up of National Youth Advisory Council(NYAC) is to seek active involvement of the youth leaders as well as other stakeholders in the decision-making process on the youth related issues. NYAC shall advise the Ministries/Departments on youth related initiatives/issues.**
  - v) National Youth Development fund (NYDF): The objective of Setting up of National Youth Development fund (NYDF) is to mobilize funds from non-budgetary resources also for youth development.**
- (d) The scheme has been introduced with a view to develop leadership qualities among the youth, benefit accrued & the youth are intangible in nature and cannot be expressed in precise quantitative terms. The scheme is playing an important role in developing leadership qualities among the youth, especially in rural areas.**

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ANNEXURE - REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED Q. NO. +1664 FOR 08.03.2016 ASKED BY SHRIMATI DARSHANA VIKRAM JARDOSH REGARDING RASHTRIYA YUVA NETA YOJANA.

S.No.	Name of Zone	Year: 2014-15			Year: 2015-16(till Date)		
		No of Youth			No of Youth		
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
1.	Andhra Pradesh	13124	6510	19634	12054	5165	17219
2.	Telangana	5515	1982	7497	4154	1696	5850
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	3018	1128	4146	0	0	0
4.	Assam	10015	6336	16351	9909	5986	15895
5.	Bihar	35120	8215	43335	34176	8544	42720
6.	Chhattisgarh	6412	3520	9932	5147	3131	8278
7.	Delhi	522	452	974	774	674	1448
8.	Gujarat, Daman & Diu and Dadra Nagar Haveli	5219	1400	6619	4191	1398	5589
9.	Haryana	6654	1985	8639	7642	3180	10822
10.	Himachal Pradesh	2890	1312	4202	1522	918	2440
11.	Jammu & Kashmir	5135	2415	7550	4516	2436	6952
12.	Jharkhand	7685	6582	14267	13668	7044	20712
13.	Karnataka	8947	4535	13482	25639	16046	41685
14.	Kerala & Lakshadweep	5519	2978	8497	5215	3675	8890
15.	Madhya Pradesh	14500	6358	20858	14296	5612	19908
16.	Maharashtra & Goa	16445	7894	24339	20530	10029	30559
17.	Manipur	2251	958	3209	1418	1203	2621
18.	Meghalaya	1548	850	2398	640	350	990
19.	Mizoram	1375	710	2085	1015	875	1890
20.	Nagaland	3216	1150	4366	150	30	150
21.	Odisha	11145	4320	15465	15974	6846	22820
22.	Punjab & Chandigarh	7858	3280	11138	9242	4980	14222
23.	Rajasthan	16456	2841	19297	16456	2841	19297
24.	Sikkim	1265	523	1788	0	0	0
25.	Tamil Nadu & Pondicherry	12111	6155	18266	14107	8724	22831
26.	Tripura	1600	625	2225	1560	720	2280
27.	Uttar Pradesh	25663	9180	34843	31983	11140	43123
28.	Uttarakhand	2966	1986	4952	3288	2600	5888
29.	West Bengal & A.N. Island	10572	5144	15716	14672	6288	20960
	<b>Total</b>	<b>244746</b>	<b>101324</b>	<b>346070</b>	<b>273938</b>	<b>122131</b>	<b>396039</b>