

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1369**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON: 29.12.2017

**GRAM PANCHAYATS UNDER CSC NETWORK**

**1369. SHRI VIVEK GUPTA:**

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state: -

- (a) whether Government aims to establish self sustaining network of 2.5 lakh Common Service Centres (CSC) at Gram Panchayat level under 'Digital India-Pillar 3-Public Internet Access Programme- National Rural Internet Mission' to deliver various citizens centric service.
- (b) the details of the total number of Gram Panchayats covered under the CSC network till now, State-wise and year-wise;
- (c) the details of the funds allocated for the same, State-wise; and
- (d) by when, Government assures to complete its promise of creating at least one CSC per Gram Panchayat, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(SHRI ALPHONS KANNANTHANAM)

- (a): Yes, Sir.
- (b): State-wise number of Gram Panchayats covered are given at Annexure.
- (c): The CSC 2.0 project is being implemented by CSC Special Purpose Vehicle (CSC-SPV), a central level agency named CSC e-Governance Services India Ltd. (CSC-SPV).  
  
The total approved outlay under CSC 2.0 project is Rs. 475.11 Crores for 4 years. Out of this, till date, the progressive release made by this Ministry (MeitY) is Rs. 157.39 crore.
- (d): The target of the project- CSC 2.0, is to set-up at least one CSC per Gram Panchayat across the Country by August, 2019.

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**ANNEXURE**

<b>STATE/UT-WISE STATUS OF CSCs AT GP LEVEL (DURING MAY, 2014 TO NOVEMBER, 2017)</b>					
<b>State/UT</b>	<b>No. of CSCs at GP Level</b>				
	<b>May'14#</b>	<b>March'15</b>	<b>March'16</b>	<b>March'17</b>	<b>Nov'17</b>
Andhra Pradesh	3182	3224	3258	3598	4168
Arunachal Pradesh	120	123	112	112	56
Assam	1847	1851	1354	1485	2311
Bihar	4635	4675	4897	8134	13506
Chhattisgarh	1123	1301	2711	8103	8555
Goa	0	0	0	7	35
Gujarat	5224	6127	7942	8942	7576
Haryana	35	343	1458	3857	5489
Himachal Pradesh	830	842	931	2232	2156
Jammu & Kashmir	198	213	417	854	1486
Jharkhand	2794	2723	2911	4393	6439
Karnataka	622	876	2279	2292	2954
Kerala	979	979	1021	1021	1302
Madhya Pradesh	5108	5230	6039	8607	14213
Maharashtra	16610	17062	17289	17307	20684
Manipur	53	53	165	256	317
Meghalaya	3	3	164	164	86
Mizoram	42	42	42	58	110
Nagaland	43	43	61	220	116
Odisha	2310	2310	3045	4484	6349
Punjab	550	612	819	1259	4043
Rajasthan	3583	5029	8733	8878	9156
Sikkim	18	18	63	30	25
Tamil Nadu	1031	1135	4807	5319	5019
Telangana	0	271	296	2819	3165
Tripura	110	142	147	322	361
Uttar Pradesh	9819	11031	22126	28321	41592
Uttarakhand	446	438	1084	3812	4233
West Bengal	2881	2918	3039	6203	8215
<b>State Total</b>	<b>64196</b>	<b>69614</b>	<b>97210</b>	<b>133089</b>	<b>173717</b>

  

<b>State/UT</b>	<b>May'14</b>	<b>March'15</b>	<b>March'16</b>	<b>March'17</b>	<b>Nov'17</b>
Andaman & Nicobar	1	29	29	29	23
Chandigarh	5	7	10	21	23
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	5	6	7	9	11
Daman & Diu	5	6	6	9	2
Lakshadweep	10	10	8	11	3
Puducherry	37	37	51	98	74
<b>UT Total</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>136</b>

GRAND TOTAL	64259	69709	97321	133266	173853
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