

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:259
ANSWERED ON:20.11.2001
HOSTELS FOR TRIBAL BOYS GIRLS
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Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of hostels for tribal boys/girls at present in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the funds allocated by the Union Government for the construction of hostels and expenditure incurred thereon during the last three years, State-wise and year-wise;
- (c) the number of hostels constructed during the last three years, State-wise;
- (d) the number of hostels under construction and yet to be constructed, State-wise;
- (e) the time by which these hostels are likely to be constructed; and
- (f) the number and names of the State where the Union Government propose to open hostels during the current year?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM):

- (a) The statements in respect of number of Boys and Girls hostels for STs sanctioned under the respective schemes since 1990-91 to 2000-2001 is given in the Statement-I and II enclosed.
- (b) The funds are not allocated State-wise. Proposals from State Governments are considered on first come first served basis. The amount sanctioned State-wise in last three years is given in the Statement-III enclosed.
- (c) to (e) The planning and construction of the hostels are at various stages of implementation but it is not possible to indicate the precise date of completion as this activity comes within the purview of the State Government.
- (f) Hostels in the current year will be sanctioned based on the proposals received from the State Governments.