

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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NCC OFFICES IN PRIVATE BUILDINGS
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of NCC Battalion existed in the country;
- (b) the number of NCC offices accommodated in private buildings in Uttar Pradesh;
- (c) whether some NCC offices which are accommodated in private buildings in Uttar Pradesh have not been shifted to their own buildings despite the arrangement of land etc. have been made for them;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken or proposed to be taken to ensure that NCC offices in Uttar Pradesh are shifted to their own accommodation in order to utilize the Government land which have been earmarked for them and also to avoid litigation?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

- (a) There are 466 National Cadet Corps (NCC) Battalions existing in the country.
- (b) 90 NCC offices are accommodated in private buildings in Uttar Pradesh.
- (c) to (e): Provision of NCC office buildings, other than State Directorate office buildings, is the responsibility of the State Government. Wherever these buildings are not available the buildings are hired by the State administration for NCC. However, efforts are made to pursue State Governments to provide office buildings near the schools and colleges.