

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. + 1313**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 9.2.2024

**ANGANWADI CENTRES IN BIHAR**

+1313 SHRI SUNIL KUMAR:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) operating in rented buildings in Bihar, district-wise; and
- (b) the number of buildings sanctioned for such AWCs during the last three years in Bihar, district-wise?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

( a)&(b) Under convergence with MGNREGS, a total of 3700 AWCs buildings have been approved for construction for FY 2021-22 and 2022-23 and funds amounting to Rs. 4440 lakhs have been released in FY 2022-23 to the State of Bihar. The number of Anganwadi centers (AWCs) operating in rented buildings in Bihar are 62495 (as per data provided by Bihar State Govt). The district wise number of AWCs operating in rented building in Bihar is at **Annexure – I**.

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**Annexure – I**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (a and b) of LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1313 FOR 9.02.2024 REGARDING “ANGANWADI CENTRES IN BIHAR” ASKED BY SHRI SUNIL KUMAR, M.P.**

The district wise number of AWCs operating in rented building in Bihar is as follows:

#	Districts	Rented AWCs
1	Araria	2024
2	Arwal	619
3	Aurangabad	332
4	Banka	500
5	Begusarai	2038
6	Bhagalpur	1707
7	Bhojpur	2048
8	Buxar	1129
9	Darbhanga	2217
10	E. Champaran	4142
11	Gaya	771
12	Gopalganj	1404
13	Jamui	181
14	Jehanabad	420
15	Kaimur	838
16	Katihar	2147
17	Khagaria	1130
18	Kishanganj	873
19	Lakhisarai	322
20	Madhepura	1496
21	Madhubani	2552
22	Munger	1003
23	Muzaffarpur	3365
24	Nalanda	892
25	Nawada	911
26	Patna	3552
27	Purnia	1837
28	Rohtas	1583
29	Saharsa	1488
30	Samastipur	2939
31	Saran	3418
32	Seikhpura	344
33	Sheohar	300
34	Sitamarhi	2699
35	Siwan	2653
36	Supaul	1832
37	Vaishali	2902
38	W. Champaran	1887
<b>Total</b>		<b>62495</b>