

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
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NON GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Non-Governmental Organisations have earned a bad name ;
- (b) the details of NGOs functioning in the country; and
- (c) the number and names of NGOs out of these funded by both Government and foreign countries and amount funded thereto alongwith the ratio of foreign and domestic assistance?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE & EMPOWERMENT (DR. SANJAY PASWAN)

(a) & (b) By and large the NGOs are doing a good job in delivery of project based services at the grass roots level. The Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment extends financial assistance to over 2600 Non-Governmental Organisations. The information regarding location, nature of project and grant released is voluminous. However, it is available in the Ministry's Annual Report and on its website (www.socialjustice.nic.in)

(c) The Ministry does not maintain this information.