

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
DEFENCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2883

ANSWERED ON:15.03.2010

CANTONMENT BOARDS

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**Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the total number of Cantonment Boards in the country, category-wise;
- (b) the total civilian population controlled/managed by each of the Cantonment Boards;
- (c) whether the elected representatives of the Cantonment Boards are given pay and allowances in accordance with the provisions of the Cantonment Act, 2006;
- (d) if so, the details thereof indicating the amount paid and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (e) whether there is any proposal to hand over the administration of the Cantonment Boards to the local civil bodies for better administration and efficient functioning; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF DEFENCE(SHRI A.K. ANTONY)

(a) There are 62 Cantonments in the country.They are divided into the following categories:-

Category-I 15

Category-II 32

Category-III 7

Category-IV 8

TOTAL 62

(b) A statement is Annexed.

(c) & (d): Presently, the elected representatives of the Cantonment Boards are not given pay and allowances.

(e) & (f): There is no such proposal under consideration.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN THE REPLY GIVEN IN PART

(b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2883 FOR ON 15.3.2010

Census provides the authentic data regarding the total population residing in the Cantonments. The census figures do not indicate the civil and military population separately. The total population residing in each of the Cantonments, showing the category of each Cantonment is given below:

Sl.No. Name of the Total population as Category  
Cantonment per 2001 Census

1. AGRA 56198 I
2. AHMEDABAD 14713 II
3. AHMEDNAGAR 39954 II
4. AJMER 2160 IV
5. ALLAHABAD 24119 II
6. ALMORA 2204 IV
7. AMBALA 61748 I
8. AMRITSAR 12162 II
9. AURANGABAD 19174 II
10. BABINA 31947 II
11. BADAMIBAGH 20213 II
12. BAKLOH 1810 IV
13. BAREILLY 27953 II
14. BARRACKPORE 24540 II
15. BELGAUM 23779 II
16. CANNANORE 4699 III
17. CHAKRATA 3497 III
18. CLEMENT TOWN 19569 II
19. DAGSHAI 2750 III
20. DALHOUSIE 1964 IV
21. DANAPUR 28234 II

22. DEHRADUN 59099 I
23. DEHU ROAD 46921 II
24. DELHI 131181 I
25. DEOLALI 50620 I
26. FAIZABAD 13647 II
27. FATEHGARH 19000 II
28. FEROREPUR 57418 I
29. JABALPUR 66499 I
30. JALANDHAR 40521 II
31. JALAPA HAR 1328 IV
32. JAMMU 28791 II
33. JHANSI 25433 II
34. JUTOGH 2420 IV
35. KAMPTEE 13125 II
36. KANPUR 100853 I
37. KASAULI 4990 III
38. KHASYOL 15582 II
39. KIRKEE 77473 I
40. LANDOUR 3250 III
41. LANS DOWNE 7902 III
42. LEBONG 1370 IV
43. LUCKNOW 59582 I

44. MATHURA 20408 II
45. MEERUT 92944 I
46. MHOW 85023 I
47. MORAR 38522 II
48. NAINITAL 1281 IV
49. NASIRABAD 49130 II
50. PACHMARHI 11070 II
51. PUNE 79965 I
52. RAMGARH 73434 I
53. RANIKHET 19055 II
54. ROORKEE 17762 II
55. SAUGOR 39427 II
56. SECUNDERABAD 206000 I
57. SHAHJAHANPUR 20503 II
58. SHILLONG 12396 II
59. ST.THOMAS MOUNT 42153 II
60. SUBATHU 5719 III
61. VARANASI 17259 II
62. WELLINGTON 20220 II