

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

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

- (a) whether the Government has made any assessment of the successfulness of Ujjawala Scheme being implemented for the welfare of women and children who are victims of trafficking in the country;
- (b) if so, the facts and the details thereof; and
- (c) the number of such victims benefited under the Scheme during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise including Uttar Pradesh?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA TIRATH)

(a) to (c) The Ujjawala Scheme was launched in December, 2007 and has completed about two and a half years of implementation.

During this period 120 projects have been sanctioned under the Scheme. The focus remains chiefly on undertaking activities for prevention of trafficking for commercial sexual exploitation which would benefit a large number of vulnerable women and children. 70 Rehabilitative Homes have also been sanctioned which can accommodate 3500 affected women. Their State-wise list for the last three years is enclosed at Annexure-I.