

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5077

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GENDER RATIO

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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has undertaken any survey about the deviation in the gender-ratio between 1951 and 2001;
- (b) if so, the State-wise details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has prepared any plan or taken any steps to remove gender disparity in the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Government has any plan to give some incentives to the States which have more women population; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

(a) & (b) State-wise gender sex ratio between 1951 and 2001 is annexured.

(c) & (d) As per the information received from Ministry of Women and Child Development, various programmers, such as support to Training and Employment for women, Hostel for working women with day care centres for children, Swadhar, Swarna Jayanti Shahri Rozgar Yojana, the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme, National Rural livelihood Mission are being implemented. A scheme for Empowerment of Adolescent Girls "SABLA" in 200 districts across the country has been launched in 2010. 33% seats has been reserved for women in Panchayati Raj Institutions.

(e) No.

(f) Does not arise.