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SETTING UP AAYAKAR SEVA KENDRAS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up more Aayakar Seva Kendras in some cities soon;
- (b) if so, the details thereof. State-wise including Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) the parameters adopted in the setting up of such Kendras; and
- (d) the funds proposed to release for such Kendras, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALAN1MANICKAM)

(a) Yes

(b) It has been decided to set up Aayakar Seva Kendra at 11 locations during the financial year 2010-11. The state-wise details are given below:-

Sl.No. STATE LOCATION

1. Orissa Bhubaneswar
2. Tamilnadu Coimbatore
3. Gujarat Gandhinagar and Surat
4. Assam Guwahati
5. Madhya Pradesh Indore
6. West Bengal Kolkata & Chinsurah
- 7 Punjab Ludhiana
8. Jharkhand Ranchi
9. Rajasthan Udaipur

It is intended to set-up Aayakar Seva Kendras through out the country (including the State of Andhra Pradesh) in a phased manner.

(c) The pilot was initiated at 3 locations i.e. Pune, Kochi and Chandigarh. The scheme is being extended to 11 more cities including 4 state capitals and other mid-size cities in different regions of the country.

(d) No separate funds are being released for setting-up of Aayakar Seva Kendras. The concerned Chief Commissioners of Income Tax are incurring the expenditure out of the allotted budget grant.