

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA**

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SOFTWARE TECHNOLOGY PARKS
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

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- (a) the total number of Software Technology Parks set up by the Government during the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the details of financial assistance sanctioned by the Government during the said period, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has also taken any financial or technical assistance from the foreign countries in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the total number of Software Technology Parks proposed to be set up by the Government during the next three years, State- wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(SHRI SACHIN PILOT)

(a): Details of the STPI centres set-up during the last three years and the current year are as under:

Financial Year	Centers	State
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2006-07	Kakinada	Andhra Pradesh
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2007-08	Haldia	West Bengal
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	Shilong	Meghalaya
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	Patna	Bihar
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2008-09	Nil	Nil
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2009-10 (current year)	Nil	Nil
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(b): The details of the financial assistance from Department of Information Technology, Government of India and State Governments are enclosed at Annexure-I.

(c): No, Sir.

(d): Does not arise.

(e): The list of approved new STPI centres under various stages is enclosed at Annexure-II.