GOVERNMENT OF INDIA SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:720 ANSWERED ON:10.12.2013 DE ADDICTION CENTRES Hussain Shri Syed Shahnawaz

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of de-addiction centres opened in the country during each of the last three years, State/UT-wise;

(b) whether the Government proposes to open new de-addiction centres in the country including Bihar in the current year;

(c) if so, the names of the locations identified in this regard, State/UT-wise; and

(d) the total amount allocated for this purpose during each of the last three years and the current year?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI MANIKRAO HODLYA GAVIT)

(a) Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment provides financial assistance under the `Central Sector Scheme of Assistance for Prevention of Alcoholism and Substance (Drug) Abuse` to Non- Governmental Organisations, Panchayati Raj Institutuins, Urban Local Bodies etc. for running and maintenance of Integrated Rehabilitation Centres for Addicts(IRCAs). The State/UT-wise number of new de-addiction centres assisted during the last 3 years and the current year is given in the Annexure-I.

(b) to (d) Financial assistance under the Scheme is provided to the implementing agencies on the basis of recommendation of the State Governments. A Statement indicating State/UT-]wise notional allocation of funds, amount released and number of projects assisted under the Scheme during the last three years and the current year is given in the Annexure-II.