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MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2340
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PROVISION OF CYBER SERVICES THROUGH CSCs IN GRAM PANCHAYATS

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Will the Minister of MINISTER OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Common Service Centres (CSCs) have been set up in Gram Panchayats by Government to provide cyber services;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of CSCs set up across the country at present, State/UT-wise;
- (d) whether any time limit has been fixed for setting up of CSCs in all Gram Panchayats of the country; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a), (b) and (c): Common Services Centres (CSCs) were set up under the Digital India Programme for delivery of public services, including cyber services, to every citizen. The CSC scheme envisages setting up of at-least one CSC in each of 2.50 lakh Gram Panchayats (GPs) across the country, for delivery of various Government-to-Citizen (G2C) and other citizen-centric e-Services to citizens. It is a self-sustainable entrepreneurship model which is run by Village Level Entrepreneurs (VLEs).

As on June 2022, total 5,31,203 CSCs are operational across all states & Union Territories of the country, out of which, total 4,20,198 CSCs are operational at Gram Panchayat (GP) level. The list of number of CSCs in the country (State/UT-wise is enclosed at Annexure-I.

(d) and (e): CSC 2.0 Project has the mandate to establish at least 1 CSC to cover 2.5 lakhs Gram Panchayats (GPs) across the country by March 2024. As on 30 June, 2022, 4,20,198 CSCs are functional at Gram Panchayat level.

STATE/UT-WISE STATUS OF ROLL OUT CSCs AS ON 30 JUNE, 2022		
State/UT	Functional CSCs (Urban+Rural)	Functional CSCs at GP level
	As in June'22	As in June'22
Andhra Pradesh	10354	7827
Arunachal Pradesh	228	168
Assam	12057	11047
Bihar	52092	46583
Chhattisgarh	20177	16133
Goa	222	166
Gujarat	16258	11499
Haryana	19390	13644
Himachal Pradesh	5087	4465
Jharkhand	18866	16202
Karnataka	12065	8070
Kerala	7158	5575
Madhya Pradesh	44487	33735
Maharashtra	60644	47121
Manipur	1323	1102
Meghalaya	997	887
Mizoram	397	283
Nagaland	603	406
Odisha	16472	14466
Punjab	11899	8353
Rajasthan	24407	19903
Sikkim	111	89
Tamil Nadu	13407	8937
Telangana	7636	5456
Tripura	1774	1518
Uttar Pradesh	125153	99450
Uttarakhand	9025	6719
West Bengal	26018	23507
State Total	518307	413311
Andaman & Nicobar	71	49
Chandigarh	132	8
Dadra & NH, D&D	87	58
Delhi	4605	224
Jammu & Kashmir	7630	6295
Ladakh	101	90
Lakshadweep	11	11
Puducherry	259	152
UT Total	12896	6887
GRAND TOTAL	531203	420198
