

Central Adoption Resource Authority
Ministry of Women & Child Development,
Government of India,
West Block - 8, Wing - 2, 2nd Floor,
R.K. Puram, New Delhi - 110066

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19/11/2019

To,

Sh. Paras Sarwaiya
Under Secretary
Ministry of Women & Child Development,
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

Sub : Information/ inputs for Lok Sabha Admitted version of Starred/Un-starred Question No. – 100 (Dy. No. 2495) raised by Smt. Rama Devi & Smt. Ranjeeta Koli, Hon'ble MP for 22/11/2019 – regarding.

Sir,

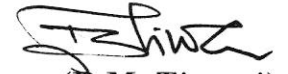
This has reference to MWCD's emails dated 15/11/2019 and your email dated 18/11/2019 regarding Lok Sabha Admitted version Starred/Un-starred Question No. – 100 (Dy. No. 2495) raised by Smt. Rama Devi & Smt. Ranjeeta Koli, Hon'ble Members of Parliament, for answer by the Hon'ble Minister (MWCD) on 22/11/2019 related to "Data on Orphans". In this regard, draft inputs/ reply pertaining to CARA are given below :-

S.No.	Question	Reply
(a)	Whether the Government has taken any steps to collect data regarding the number of orphans in the country due to which welfare facilities could not be/are not being provided to them;	Central Adoption Resource Authority (CARA) has developed an Online Portal called Child Adoption Resource Information and Guidance System (CARINGS). The details of Orphan, Abandoned & Surrendered children being placed under the institutional care in Specialised Adoption Agencies (SAAs) are entered by the SAAs in CARINGS. As per available data on CARINGS, 7495 Orphaned/ Abandoned/ Surrendered Children are currently in institutional care in 473 Specialised Adoption Agencies (Government and Non-Government) as on 18/11/2019. The State and gender-wise figures of children in the Specialised Adoption Agencies (SAAs) is placed at Annexure-I .

		Further, as on 18/11/2019, 5682 registered Child Care Institutions (CCIs) have been linked to a SAA to enable rehabilitation of children from the CCIs through adoption. Presently details of 1813 children from CCIs have been entered on CARINGS. State and gender-wise figures are placed at Annexure-II .
(b)	If so, the reaction of the Government thereof;	Not Applicable.
(c)	Whether the Government is facing any difficulties in collecting the data in this regard;	
(d)	If so, the details thereof; and	
(e)	The steps taken by the Government to overcome these difficulties?	

This issues with the approval of Member Secretary & CEO, CARA.

Yours faithfully,


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Encl. : As above.

State & Gender-wise number of children available in Specialised Adoption Agencies

(as on 18/11/2019)

S.No.	State	No. of SAAs	Gender	No. of Children
1	Andaman and Nicobar Island	2	Male	13
			Female	14
			Total	27
2	Andhra Pradesh	14	Male	230
			Female	348
			Total	578
3	Arunachal Pradesh	2	Male	2
			Female	3
			Total	5
4	Assam	22	Male	79
			Female	97
			Total	176
5	Bihar	27	Male	106
			Female	164
			Total	270
6	Chandigarh	1	Male	20
			Female	23
			Total	43
7	Chhattisgarh	13	Male	112
			Female	134
			Total	246
8	Dadar and Nagar Haveli	1	Male	0
			Female	5
			Total	5
9	Delhi	12	Male	138
			Female	199
			Total	337
10	Goa	2	Male	12
			Female	13
			Total	25
11	Gujarat	16	Male	55
			Female	73
			Total	128
12	Haryana	8	Male	119
			Female	105
			Total	224
13	Himachal Pradesh	1	Male	7
			Female	4
			Total	11
14	Jharkhand	15	Male	197
			Female	222
			Total	419
15	Karnataka	33	Male	179
			Female	224
			Total	403
16	Kerala	20	Male	75
			Female	77
			Total	152
17	Madhya Pradesh	31	Male	236
			Female	356
			Total	592
			Male	500

18	Maharashtra	56	Female	563
			Total	1063
19	Manipur	9	Male	34
			Female	30
			Total	64
20	Meghalaya	6	Male	10
			Female	3
			Total	13
21	Mizoram	7	Male	10
			Female	12
			Total	22
22	Nagaland	4	Male	5
			Female	3
			Total	8
23	Orissa	28	Male	202
			Female	241
			Total	443
24	Pondicherry	3	Male	7
			Female	10
			Total	17
25	Punjab	9	Male	121
			Female	230
			Total	351
26	Rajasthan	35	Male	72
			Female	108
			Total	180
27	Sikkim	4	Male	9
			Female	5
			Total	14
28	Tamil Nadu	21	Male	100
			Female	181
			Total	281
29	Telangana	11	Male	159
			Female	291
			Total	450
30	Tripura	9	Male	19
			Female	39
			Total	58
31	Uttar Pradesh	20	Male	183
			Female	288
			Total	471
32	Uttarakhand	7	Male	3
			Female	7
			Total	10
33	West Bengal	24	Male	172
			Female	237
			Total	409
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			Female	4309
			Total	7495

Details (State & Gender-wise) of children of CCIs entered in CARINGS

(as on 18/11/2019)

S.No.	State	Total No. of CCIs Registered	Total No. of CCIs Linked	Gender	In Home
1	Andhra Pradesh	884	871	Male	128
				Female	200
				Total	328
2	Arunachal Pradesh	15	11	Male	0
				Female	1
				Total	1
3	Assam	115	105	Male	47
				Female	47
				Total	94
4	Bihar	60	58	Male	40
				Female	9
				Total	49
5	Chandigarh	5	4	Male	0
				Female	0
				Total	0
6	Chhattisgarh	65	61	Male	38
				Female	50
				Total	88
7	Delhi	90	89	Male	16
				Female	64
				Total	80
8	Goa	13	13	Male	0
				Female	0
				Total	0
9	Gujarat	95	93	Male	15
				Female	21
				Total	36
10	Haryana	83	76	Male	92
				Female	61
				Total	153
11	Himachal Pradesh	41	38	Male	0
				Female	0
				Total	0
12	Jharkhand	89	88	Male	3
				Female	21
				Total	24
13	Karnataka	850	807	Male	25
				Female	45
				Total	70
14	Kerala	523	494	Male	3
				Female	0
				Total	3
15	Madhya Pradesh	67	63	Male	107
				Female	208
				Total	315
16	Maharashtra	475	461	Male	22
				Female	30
				Total	52
17	Manipur	47	45	Male	0
				Female	2
				Total	2
18	Meghalaya	80	77	Male	5
				Female	3
				Total	8
19	Mizoram	39	38	Male	6
				Female	3
				Total	9
20	Nagaland	59	56	Male	1
				Female	1
				Total	2
21	Orissa	292	277	Male	104
				Female	115
				Total	219
22	Pondicherry	44	6	Male	3
				Female	2
				Total	5

23	Punjab	68	65	Male	9
				Female	34
				Total	43
24	Rajasthan	66	63	Male	1
				Female	4
				Total	5
25	Sikkim	21	20	Male	0
				Female	0
				Total	0
26	Tamil Nadu	1359	1256	Male	6
				Female	36
				Total	42
27	Telangana	402	318	Male	3
				Female	16
				Total	19
28	Tripura	20	20	Male	0
				Female	5
				Total	5
29	Uttar Pradesh	36	36	Male	30
				Female	65
				Total	95
30	Uttarakhand	8	8	Male	0
				Female	2
				Total	2
31	West Bengal	66	65	Male	24
				Female	40
				Total	64
	Total	6077	5682	Male	728
				Female	1085
				Total	1813