

Sl. No.	Name of the District	No. of functioning SSHs	No. of dormant	Total
5.	Chittoor	3	—	3
6.	Krishna	1	1	2
7.	Anantapur	2	—	2
8.	Guntur	3	—	3
9.	Nellore	3	—	3
10.	Kurnool	2	—	2
11.	Prakasam	1	—	1
12.	Medak	1	—	1
13.	Mahboobnagar	1	—	1
14.	Vizag	3	—	3
15.	Khammam	1	1	2
16.	Vijayanagram	2	—	2

Besides the above 3, voluntary organisations which were running the programmes of Central Social Welfare Board besides the Short Stay Homes have been black listed by the CSWB so the grant has also been stopped to these voluntary organisations for running the Short Stay Homes.

Historical Monuments in Delhi

2256. SHRI PRAFULL GORADIA:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of historical monuments in Delhi;

(b) how many of them have been identified as protected International/National heritage sites;

(c) whether it is a fact that the Archaeological Survey of India has failed to provide protection to these monuments and they are in a state of neglect; and

(d) the steps taken or proposed to be taken to protect Delhi's rich heritage?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) and (b) There are 166 centrally protected monuments in Delhi under the

Archaeological Survey of India. Out of these centrally protected monuments, two are also inscribed on the World Heritage List of UNESCO.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) The monuments protected by the Archaeological Survey of India are maintained as per their conservation requirements subject to the overall availability of funds and resources.

National Cultural Fund

2257. DR. C. NARAYANA REDDY: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) what is the present position of the National Culture Fund launched in 1997 by the Department of Culture, Government of India; and

(b) what are the details of financial assistance extended from the fund to the State Governments for construction of Multipurpose Cultural Complexes.

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) The National Culture Fund was set up by the Government of India in the Department of Culture on 28.11.96 in terms of a Notification published in the Gazette of