

(ii) Delhi-Ghaziabad-Meerut; and

(iii) Delhi-Sonepat-Panipat.

Since the individual corridors have not yet been sanctioned, the physical work has not yet started.

(c) Central Government has constituted a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV) namely, National Capital Region Transport Corporation Ltd. (NCRTC) for designing, developing, implementing, financing, operating and maintaining RRTS corridors in National Capital Region (NCR) with the seed capital of ₹100 crores.

(d) Central Government has assigned the work of finalization of Detailed Project Reports (DPRs) of the three prioritized RRTS corridors to the National Capital Region Planning Board (NCRPB) till such time a regular Managing Director of NCRTC is appointed.

Uniform standards for urban planning

626. SHRI HUSAIN DALWAI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry is planning to bring legislation for ensuring uniform standards for urban planning and street design that included safe access and prevention of road accidents, if so, the details thereof; and

(b) if so, the proposed timeline for the enactment and implementation of the said legislation and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO): (a) and (b) No, Sir. There is no proposal to bring legislation for ensuring uniform standards for urban planning. However, the Ministry has brought out Urban and Regional Development Plan Formulation and Implementation Guidelines, 2014 which prescribes norms and standards for urban planning and street design and safe access. The Guidelines are advisory in nature and act as guide to the State Governments to prepare Master/Development Plans. The State Governments can adopt/modify the norms and standards suiting the local conditions while preparing /revising the Master/Development Plans.

Multi sectoral interventions for improving the sex ratio

627. SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY : Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of gender critical districts in the country, State-wise including Andhra Pradesh and Telangana;

(b) whether Government has chalked out any plan to reduce declining sex ratio in such districts by promoting girls education;

(c) if so, the details of multi-sectoral interventions by Government for improving the child sex ratio (CSR); and

(d) the fresh steps taken by Government to sensitize community to act as community watch groups on CSR issue and enhanced value of girl child?

THE MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI): (a) The Government has identified 100 districts on the basis of low Child Sex Ratio (CSR) as per Census 2011 covering all State/UTs. The list of selected 100 districts is given in the Statement (*See below*).

(b) and (c) Government of India has introduced the Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP) scheme for survival, protection and education of girl child. It aims to address the issue of declining Child Sex Ratio (CSR) through a mass campaign across the country targeted at changing societal mindsets and creating awareness about the criticality of the issue. It is a joint initiative of Ministry of Women and Child Development, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and Ministry of Human Resource Development. The Sectoral interventions under the programme include the following:

- (i) Ministry of Women and Child Development: Promote registration of pregnancies in first trimester in Anganwadi Centres (AWCs); Undertake training of stakeholders; Community mobilization and sensitization; Identify and involve Gender Champions; Reward and recognition of institutions and frontline workers.
- (ii) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare: Monitoring for effective implementation of Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (PCP&DT) Act, 1994 includes strengthening PNDT Cells and setting up monitoring committees; Increase institutional deliveries; Promoting registration of births.
- (iii) Ministry of Human Resource Development: Ensure universal enrolment of girls; achieve decreased drop-out rate; Implement girl child friendly standards in schools; Strict implementation of Right to Education (RTE); Construction of functional toilets for girls.

(d) To sensitize the community to act as community watch groups on CSR issue and enhance the value of girl child an initiative called Village Facilitation & Convergence Service (VCFS) is being implemented in 100 districts of Beti Bachao Beti Padhao Scheme (BBBP) at Gram Panchayat (GP) level to generate awareness regarding various schemes/programmes of the Central/State Government and mobilize the community to create demand and access/avail such services.

Statement

*List of Gender Critical Districts selected covering all States and
UTs with Low Child Sex Ratio (CSR)*

Name of State/UT	Districts	Census 2001	Census 2011
India		927	918
Andaman and Nicobar	Nicobars	937	945
Andhra Pradesh	Y.S.R.	951	918
Arunachal Pradesh	Dibang Valley	874	889
Assam	Kamrup Metropolitan	943	946
Bihar	Vaishali	937	904
Chandigarh	Chandigarh	845	880
Chhattisgarh	Raigarh	964	947
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	979	926
Daman and Diu	Daman	907	897
Goa	North Goa	938	939
Gujarat	Surat	859	835
	Maheana	801	842
	Gandhinagar	816	847
	Ahmadabad	835	857
	Rajkot	854	862
Haryana	Mahendragarh	818	775
	Jhajjar	801	782
	Rewari	811	787
	Sonipat	788	798
	Ambala	782	810
	Kurukshetra	771	818
	Rohtak	799	820
	Karnal	809	824
	Yamunanagar	806	826
	Kaithal	791	828

Name of State / UT	Districts	Census 2001	Census 2011
Himachal Pradesh	Bhiwani	841	832
	Panipat	809	837
	Una	837	875
	Jammu and Kashmir	819	795
Jammu and Kashmir	Pulwama	1046	829
	Kathua	847	831
	Badgam	963	832
	Anantnag	977	841
Jharkhand	Dhanbad	951	916
Karnataka	Bijapur	928	931
Kerala	Thrissur	958	950
Lakshadweep	Lakshadweep	959	911
Madhya Pradesh	Morena	837	829
	Gwalior	853	840
	Bhind	832	843
	Datia	874	856
Maharashtra	Bid	894	807
	Jalgaon	880	842
	Ahmadnagar	884	852
	Buldana	908	855
	Aurangabad	890	858
	Washim	918	863
	Kolhapur	839	863
	Osmanabad	894	867
	Sangli	851	867
	Jalna	903	870
	Manipur	962	893
Meghalaya	Ribhoi	972	953
Mizoram	Saiha	950	932

Name of State / UT	Districts	Census 2001	Census 2011
Nagaland	Longleng	964	885
NCT of Delhi	South West	846	845
	North West	857	865
	East	865	871
	West	859	872
	North	886	873
Odisha	Nayagarh	904	855
Puducherry	Yanam	964	921
Punjab	Tarn Taran	784	820
	Gurdaspur	789	821
	Amritsar	792	826
	Muktsar	811	831
	Mansa	782	836
	Patiala	776	837
	Sangrur	784	840
	Sahibzada Ajit Singh Nagar	785	841
	Fatehgarh Sahib	766	842
	Barnala	792	843
	Firozpur	822	847
	Jhunjhunu	863	837
	Sikar	885	848
	Karauli	873	852
	Ganganagar	850	854
Rajasthan	Dhaulpur	860	857
	Jaipur	899	861
	Dausa	906	865
	Alwar	887	865
	Bharatpur	879	869
	Sawai Madhopur	902	871

Name of State / UT	Districts	Census 2001	Census 2011
Sikkim	North District	995	929
Tamil Nadu	Cuddalore	957	896
Telengana	Hyderabad	943	914
Tripura	South Tripura	961	951
Uttar Pradesh	Baghpat	850	841
	Gautam Buddha Nagar	854	843
	Ghaziabad	854	850
	Meerut	857	852
	Bulandshahr	867	854
	Agra	866	861
	Muzaffarnagar	859	863
	Mahamaya Nagar	886	865
	Jhansi	886	866
	Mathura	872	870
	Pithoragarh	902	816
	Champawat	934	873
West Bengal	Kolkata	927	933

* Apart from the 100 selected districts additional seven districts of Uttar Pradesh, one District from West Bengal and one District from Tripura are included in the BBBP Scheme on the request of the respective States. However, no additional funds are given to the States for implementing BBBP Scheme in the additional districts.

Details of anganwadi-cum-creches

628. SHRI SANJAY RAUT : Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Aanganwadi-cum-Creches that have been operationalized in the country, State-wise;
- (b) whether it is a fact that Government is planning to open and operationalize more Anganwadis in this fiscal year 2015-16, if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) how much budget is allocated for the same in this fiscal year?

THE MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI): (a) The Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS)