

Sl. No.	State Name	Shelters Sanctioned	Shelters Functional
32.	Chandigarh	0	0
33.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	0	0
34.	Daman and Diu	0	0
35.	Puducherry	0	0
TOTAL		1331	789

* Rajasthan figure as per the figure provided to the Committee on SUH. Information collected and updated on dated October, 2017 over telephonic conversation with SMMUs and MPR data of few states.

Safety of women in night shelters

1174. SHRI DEREK O'BRIEN: Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of women who are availing the facilities of night shelters provided by Government in the urban areas;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether Government is aware of the atrocities a women/girl child has to face when they are taking shelter in those Government provided night shelters;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken thereon; and

(e) whether Government is planning to implement any additional measures for the safety of women and children in night shelters and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI HARDEEP SINGH PURI): (a) and (b) It is the primary responsibility of Governments of States/Union Territories to provide shelter for the urban homeless population. In order to complement and supplement the efforts in this regard Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs is administering a Scheme 'Shelter for Urban Homeless (SUH)' as a component of the Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana - National Urban Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NULM). The exact number of women availing the shelters of DAY-NULM is not available with the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs as the number of residents varies on day to day basis. However, as per the information uploaded by States/UTs on DAY-NULM website and information received from /UTs States, a total of 67 women shelters (including the shelters being supported by sources other than

the DAY-NULM), having capacity of 3471 residents, are operational as on 20.12.2017. Details of status of women shelters, State-wise are given in Statement (See below).

(c) and (d) No report on atrocities on women in shelters for urban homeless under SUH of the DAY-NULM has come to the notice of the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs.

(e) For the safety of women and children in night shelters, there are provisions of CCTV cameras, linkages with police department, employment of female care takers. Further, the Shelter Management Committee constituted to supervise day-to-day functioning of the Shelter includes nominated residents of the shelters, as its members.

Statement

State-wise details of women shelters (including shelters under DAY-NULM)

Sl. No.	Name of the State	No. of Women Shelters	Capacity
1.	Andhra Pradesh	4	200
2.	Assam	2	100
3.	Jharkhand	2	36
4.	Karnataka	4	168
5.	Kerala	2	100
6.	Madhya Pradesh	3	230
7.	Maharashtra	1	17
8.	NCT of Delhi	20	1294
9.	Sikkim	1	25
10.	Tamil Nadu	11	540
11.	Telangana	14	565
12.	Uttarakhand	1	100
13.	West Bengal	2	96
TOTAL		67	3471

Note: Functioning of special shelters for women has been reported by above States only.