

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LAW & JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.419

TO BE ANSWERED ON THURSDAY, THE 22nd JULY, 2021

Fast Track Courts in the country

419. Dr. L. Hanumanthaiah:

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Fast Track Courts in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the number of convictions by Fast Track Courts, State-wise;
- (c) the number of pending cases, State-wise, in Fast Track Courts; and
- (d) the steps taken by Government to ensure that timelines are strictly adhered to in view of the above ?

A N S W E R

MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE

(SHRI KIREN RIJJU)

(a to d): Setting up of Fast Track Courts (FTCs) and their functioning fall within the domain of the respective State Governments in consultation with the High Courts. As per information made available by High Courts, there are 956 functional FTCs in the country. State-wise number of functional FTCs along with State-wise case pendency status is given at Annexure – A. Data in

respect of convictions by FTCs is not centrally maintained. Disposal of cases and adherence of timelines is primarily the responsibility of the judiciary.

ANNEXURE-A**RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NUMBER 419 FOR 22.7.2021
STATE-WISE CASE PENDENCY STATUS AND NUMBER OF
FUNCTIONAL FAST TRACK COURTS (AS ON 31.5.2021)**

S.No	Name of the States/UTs	No. of Fast Track Court	No. of Cases pending
1	Andhra Pradesh *	21	6153
2	Assam	15	8744
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0
4	Mizoram	2	201
5	Nagaland *	1	30
6	Bihar **	33	12252
7	Chhattisgarh	23	6829
8	Delhi	13	4638
9	Goa	3	1836
10	Maharashtra	114	163112
11	Gujarat	35	5682
12	Haryana	6	724
13	Punjab	7	431
14	Chandigarh	0	0
15	Himachal Pradesh	0	0
16	Jammu & Kashmir	7	2261
17	Jharkhand	41	5986
18	Karnataka	16	3346
19	Kerala	28	6477
20	Lakshadweep	0	0
21	Madhya Pradesh	0	0

22	Manipur	6	435
23	Meghalaya	0	0
S.No	Name of the States/UTs	No. of Fast Track Courts	No. of Cases pending
24	Odisha	0	0
25	Rajasthan	0	0
26	Sikkim	2	20
27	Tamil Nadu	74	94252
28	Puducherry	0	0
29	Tripura	11	1560
30	Uttar Pradesh	372	526704
31	Uttarakhand	4	664
32	West Bengal	88	58955
33	Andaman& Nicobar Islands	N.A.	N.A.
34	Telangana	34	12200
35	Diu & Daman	0	0
36	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0	0
37	Ladakh	N.A.	N.A.
	Total	956	923492

*Andhra Pradesh and Nagaland data is as on 30.09.2020

**Data in respect of Bihar is as on 31.03.2021.