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Special Schools for Children with Disabilities

Under the 'Deendayal Disabled Rehabilitation Scheme (DDRS)', financial assistance is provided to Non-Governmental organisations for various projects including special schools for children which disabilities.

As per entry No. 9 of the Seventh Scheduled of the Constitution of India, "Relief of the disabled" figures in the State List. Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment supplements the efforts of the State Governments through its various schemes/organizations.

State-wise details of special schools assisted under the DDRS scheme during FY 2012-13, is:

Special school receiving GIA under DDRS		
S.No.	Name of State	No. of Special schools
		2012-13
1	Andhra Pradesh	42
2	Bihar	4
3	Chandigarh	0
4	Chhattishgarh	2
5	Delhi	9
6	Goa	1
7	Gujarat	4
8	Haryana	11
9	Himachal Pradesh	3
10	Jammu & Kashmir	0
11	Jharkhand	0
12	Karnataka	40
13	Kerala	42
14	Madhya Pradesh	14
15	Maharashtra	15
16	Odhis	30
17	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0
18	Daman & Diu	0
19	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0

20	Lakshadweep	0
21	Puducherry	0
22	Punjab	5
23	Rajasthan	14
24	Tamilnadu	10
25	Uttarakhand	3
26	West Bengal	25
27	Uttar Pradesh	36
28	Assam	4
29	Arunachal Pradesh	0
30	Manipur	11
31	Meghalaya	3
32	Mizoram	1
33	Nagaland	0
34	Sikkim	0
35	Tripura	3
	Total	332

This information was given by the Minister of State for Social Justice and Empowerment, Shri P. Balram Naik in a written reply to a question in Lok Sabha today.
