

Annexure A: Status of Establishment of State Commissions for Protection of Child Rights in India

Sl. No.	NAME	CHAIRPERSON	MEMBERS	RULES	REMARKS
1	NCPCR	Yes	3	Y	
2	Andhra Pradesh	Vacant	3	Y	
3	Arunachal Pradesh	Y	4	Y	
4	Assam	Y	1	N	
5	Bihar	Y	6	Y	
6	Chhattisgarh	Y	6	Y	
7	Goa	Y	6	N	
8	Gujarat	Y	Nil	Y	
9	Haryana	Vacant	6	N	
10	Himachal Pradesh	Y	4	N	
11	Jharkhand	Vacant	2	Y	
12	Karnataka	Y	6	Y	
13	Kerala	Y	6	Y	
14	Madhya Pradesh	Y	Nil	Y	
15	Maharashtra	I/C	Nil	N	Secretary in the Ministry has been appointed as the in charge Chairperson.
16	Manipur	Vacant	Nil	N	
17	Mizoram	Y	Nil	Y	Secretary in the Ministry has been appointed as the in charge Chairperson.
18	Meghalaya	Y	5	N	
19	Nagaland	Y	2	Y	
20	Odisha	Y	2	Y	
21	Punjab	Y	6	N	
22	Rajasthan	Y	2	Y	
23	Sikkim	Y	4	Y	
24	Tamil Nadu	Vacant	6	Y	
25	Telangana	Y	Nil	Y	Secretary in the Ministry has been appointed as the in charge Chairperson
26	Tripura	Y	6	N	
27	UP	Y	6	N	
28	Uttarakhand	Y	6	Y	
29	West Bengal	Y	4	Y	
30	Delhi	Y	Nil	Y	
31	Puducherry	Y	Nil	Y	Secretary in the Ministry

					has been appointed as the in charge Chairperson.
32	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	Y	3	N	Based on news report. ¹
33	Daman and Diu	Vacant	Nil	N	
34	Lakshadweep	Y	Nil	N	Secretaries in the Ministry have been designated as members.
35	Chandigarh	Y	2	Y	
36	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	Y	Nil	N	Secretaries in the Ministry have been designated as members.

- 1) SCPCRs have been constituted in all States (except Jammu & Kashmir). However, only 9 States have duly appointed a Chairperson as well as all the six members to the Commission. These are the states of Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Goa, Karnataka, Kerala, Punjab, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand.
- 2) In Haryana and Tamil Nadu, the position of Chairperson is vacant while all the six members have been appointed.
- 3) In Maharashtra, Mizoram, Telangana, Puducherry and Lakshadweep, Secretary of the nodal Ministry has been given additional charge of Chairperson, SCPCR.
- 4) Among the UTs, only Delhi, Chandigarh and Andaman and Nicobar Islands have not appointed secretaries as the members or the chairperson.
- 5) None of the UTs have a fully functioning Commission.
- 6) A total of 19 states and 3 UTs have notified rules under CPCr Act. 14 SCPCRs are functioning without any Rules.

Sources: The data has been collected from <http://ncpcr.gov.in/statecom.php> and cross-checked with the websites of the SCPCRs, wherever available. It is also in accordance with the affidavit on State wise situation of Implementation of JJ Act filed by Union of India with the Supreme Court in *Sampurna Behrua v. Union of India*, W.P. (Civil) No.473 of 2005.

¹ The news report with regard to Andaman and Nicobar Islands is available at http://andamanchronicle.net/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=6949:a-n-ut-commission-for-protection-of-child-rights-constituted&catid=37:top-news&Itemid=142