

Press Release

4th Legislative Assembly of Chhattisgarh

Analysis of Performance of MLAs

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Association for Democratic Reforms (ADR) and Chhattisgarh Election Watch (CEW) had filed RTIs to the Chhattisgarh Assembly Secretariat asking for the information pertaining to the performance of the MLAs and the Legislative Assembly. This report has been generated from the responses received.

There are 90 seats in Chhattisgarh Assembly, however this report also includes the analysis for MLAs who have resigned or elected through bye-election and an Anglo- Indian representative, Mr. Bernard J. Rodrigues.

Analysis of Number of Sittings in Each Session of Chhattisgarh Legislative Assembly (January 2014 – September 2018)

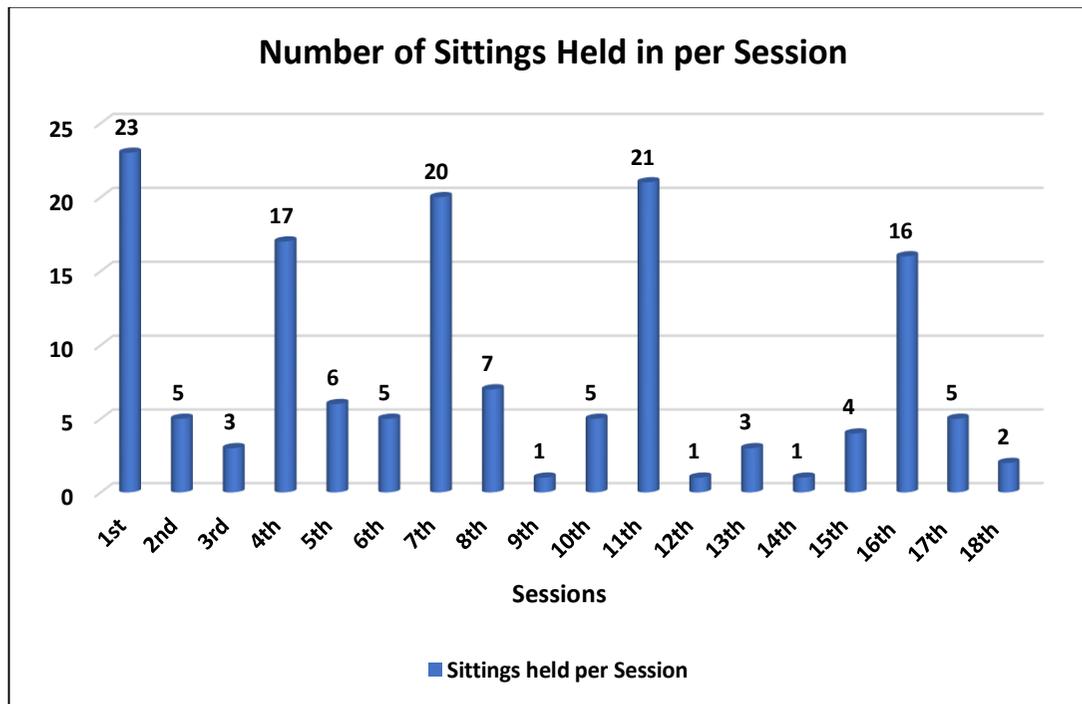


Figure 1: Number of Sittings Held in per Session

- ❖ Chhattisgarh Legislative Assembly has 90 MLAs.
- ❖ There were 18 sessions in the 4th Chhattisgarh Legislative Assembly.
- ❖ On an average, Chhattisgarh State Assembly sat for 29 days per year.
- ❖ **The 4th Chhattisgarh Legislative Assembly sat for 145 days from 2014 to 2018.**

Session	Duration	Number of Sitting Held
2014		
1 st Session	6 th January 2014 to 25 th February 2014	23
2 nd Session	21 st July 2014 to 25 th July 2014	5
3 rd Session	15 th December 2014 to 17 th December 2014	3
Total		31
2015		
4 th Session	2 nd March 2015 to 26 th March 2015	17
5 th Session	20 th July, 2015 to 25 th July, 2015	6
6 th Session	16 th December, 2015 to 23 rd December, 2015	5
Total		28
2016		
7 th Session	1 st March, 2016 to 31 st March 2016	20
8 th Session	11 th July 2016 to 19 th July 2016	7
9 th Session	22 nd August, 2016	1
10 th Session	15 th November, 2016 to 21 st November, 2016	5
Total		33
2017		
11 th Session	27 st February 2017 to 30 th March 2017	21
12 th Session	28 th April, 2017	1
13 th Session	1 st August 2017 to 3 rd August 2017	3
14 th Session	22 nd September, 2017	1
15 th Session	19 th December 2017 to 22 nd December 2017	4
Total		30
2018		
16 th Session	5 th February, 2018 to 27 th February, 2018	16
17 th Session	2 nd July, 2018 to 6 th July 2018	5
18 st Session	11 th September, 2018 to 12 th September, 2018	2
Total		23
Grand Total		145

Table 1: Number of Sitting held per session

Analysis of Attendance of MLAs in Chhattisgarh Legislative Assembly

❖ The details of top 6 MLAs with highest attendance are given below :

S.No	Sitting MLAs	Party	Total Number of Days	Number of days Attended	Percentage of Attendance
1	Shrawan Markam	BJP	145	144	99.3%
2	Sarojini Banjare	BJP	145	144	99.3%
3	Mohan Markam	INC	145	144	99.3%
4	Dr Sanam Jangde	BJP	145	143	98.6 %
5	Ashok Sahu	BJP	145	143	98.6 %
6	Kawasi Lakhma	INC	145	143	98.6 %

Table 2: Top 6 MLAs with highest attendance

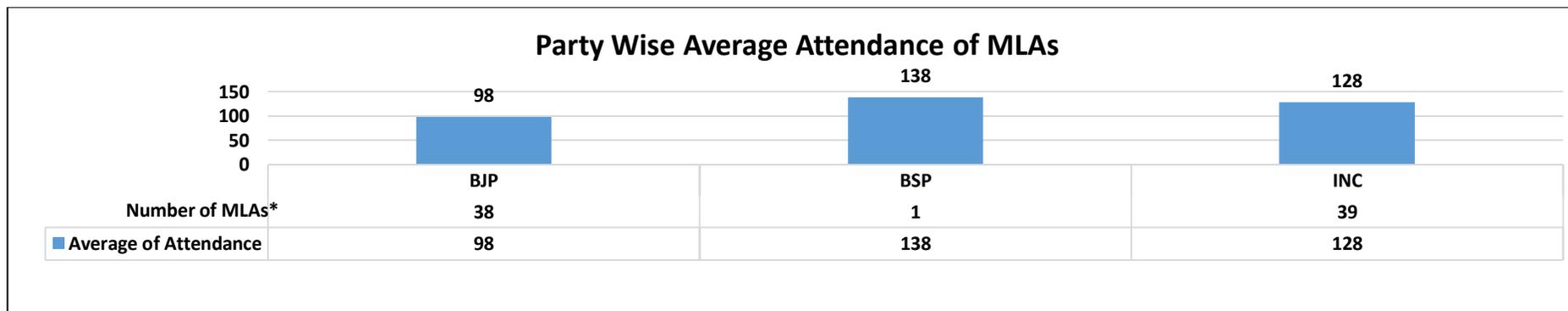


Figure 2: Party Wise Average Attendance

*Includes MLAs who resigned or got elected through bye-elections. Excludes ministers, parliament secretaries and Chief Minister

Analysis of Number of Questions asked by MLAs in Chhattisgarh Legislative Assembly

- ❖ Only 78 MLAs have asked questions between 2014 and 2018. These MLAs asked a total of 22892 questions.
- ❖ The details of top 5 MLAs who have asked the highest number questions are given below.

S.No	MLAs	Party	Number of Questions Asked
1.	Devji Bhai Patel	BJP	596
2.	T. S Baba (Neta)	INC	575
3.	Dhanendra Sahu	INC	572
4.	Moti Lal Devangan	INC	562
5.	Umesh Patel	INC	561

Table 3: Top 5 MLAs who have asked maximum number of questions

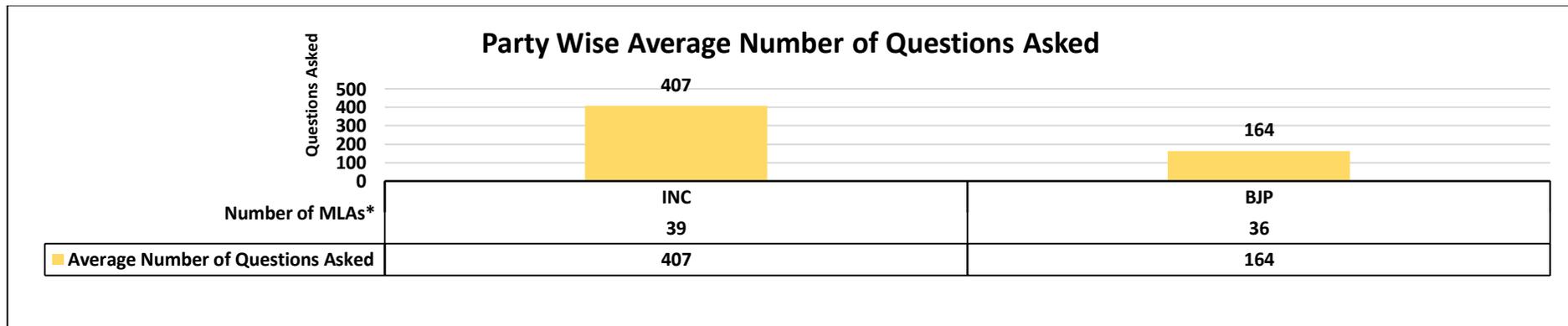


Figure 3: Party Wise Average Number of Questions Asked

*Includes MLAs who resigned or got elected through bye-elections.

Analysis of Bills Tabled and Bills Passed in Chhattisgarh Legislative Assembly

- ❖ There were a total of 123 Bills which were passed in the 4th Chhattisgarh Assembly.
- ❖ Highest number of Bills Passed were related to **Finance, Commercial Taxes, and Higher Education.**

Year	Original bills passed	Amendment bills Passed	Bills Withdrawn	Total Bills Passed
2014	4	18	0	22
2015	6	31	0	37
2016	4	23	0	27
2017	7	17	1	23
2018	5	9	0	14
Total	26	98	1	123

Table 4 : Bills Passed in 4th Assembly of Chhattisgarh

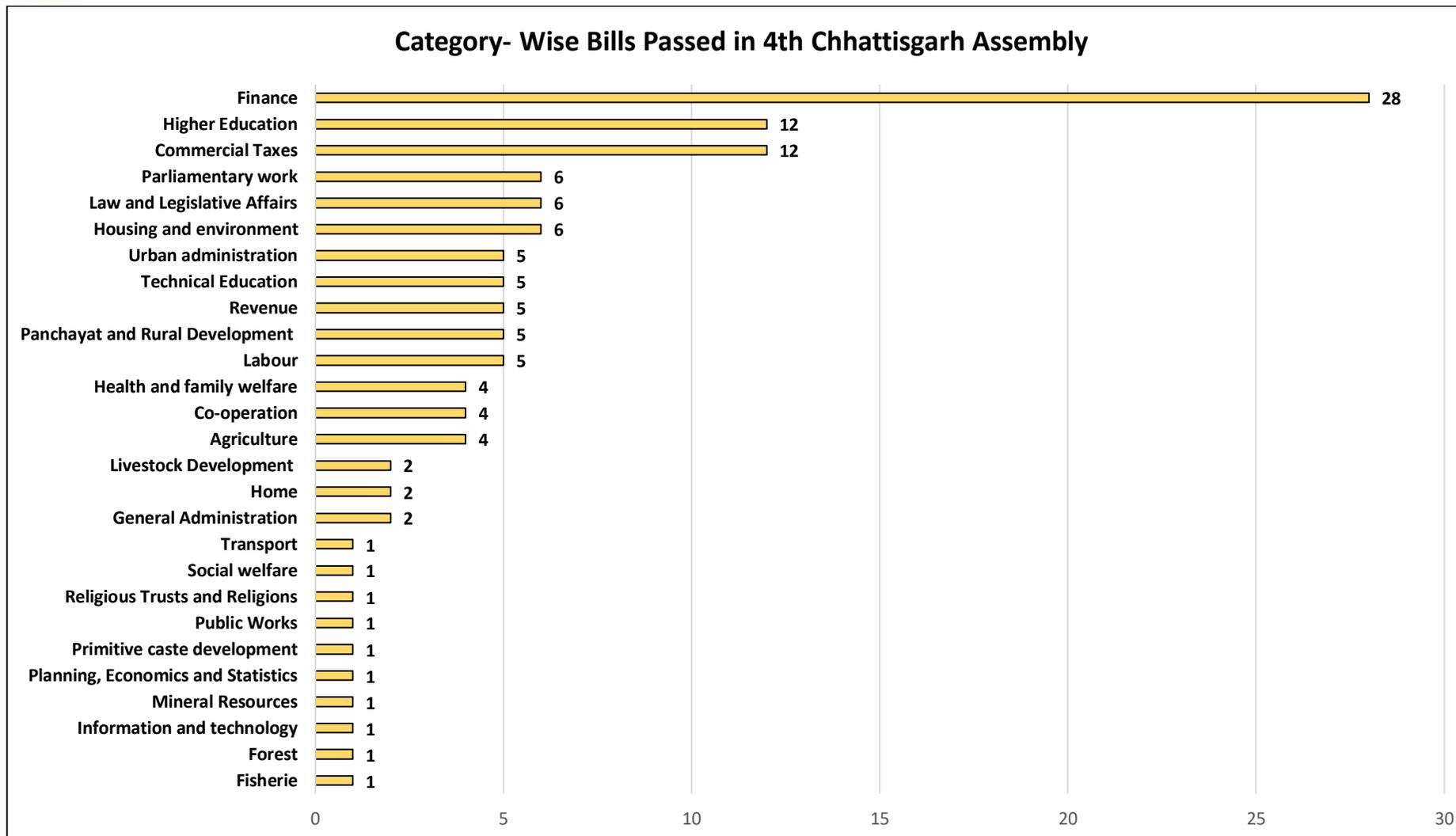


Figure 4: Category- Wise Number of Bills Passed in 4th Chhattisgarh Assembly

Details of Attendance and Questions asked by MLAs

Sl.No.	Election	MLA	Constituency	Party	Attendance	Total Sitzings	Percentage of attendance	Number of Questions Asked	Position
1	A.E. 2013	Shrawan Markam	Sihawa	BJP	144	145	99%	153	MLA
2	A.E. 2013	Sarojini Banjare	Dongargarh	BJP	144	145	99%	159	MLA
3	A.E. 2013	Mohan Markam	Kondagaon	INC	144	145	99%	547	MLA
4	A.E. 2013	Dr Sanam Jangde	Bilaigarh	BJP	143	145	99%	270	MLA
5	A.E. 2013	Ashok Sahu	Kawardha	BJP	143	145	99%	352	MLA
6	A.E. 2013	Kawasi Lakhma	Konta	INC	143	145	99%	453	MLA
7	A.E. 2013	Ram Lal Chouhan	Saraipali	BJP	142	145	98%	522	MLA
8	A.E. 2013	Chunni Lal Sahu	Khallari	BJP	142	145	98%	74	MLA
9	A.E. 2013	Shrichand Sundrani	Raipur City North	BJP	142	145	98%	70	MLA
10	A.E. 2013	Naveen Markandey	Arang	BJP	142	145	98%	251	MLA
11	A.E. 2013	Deepak Bajj	Chitrakot	INC	142	145	98%	541	MLA
12	A.E. 2013	Dilip Lahariya	Masturi	INC	141	145	97%	206	MLA
13	A.E. 2013	Dr Vimal Chopra	Mahasamund	IND	141	145	97%	539	MLA
14	A.E. 2013	Janak Ram Verma	Baloda Bazar	INC	141	145	97%	384	MLA
15	A.E. 2013	Shyam Bihari Jaiswal	Manendragarh	BJP	140	145	97%	137	MLA

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16	A.E. 2013	Rohit Kumar Sahu	Kunkuri	BJP	140	145	97%	89	MLA
17	A.E. 2013	Dr. Khilawan Sahu	Sakti	BJP	140	145	97%	435	MLA
18	A.E. 2013	Rajendra Kumar Rai	Gunderdehi	INC	140	145	97%	459	MLA
19	A.E. 2013	Shanker Dhruwa	Kanker	INC	140	145	97%	491	MLA
20	A.E. 2013	Paras Nath Rajwade	Bhatgaon	INC	139	145	96%	449	MLA
21	A.E. 2013	Shyam Lal Kanwar	Rampur	INC	139	145	96%	227	MLA
22	A.E. 2013	Siyaram Kaushik	Bilha	INC	139	145	96%	429	MLA
23	A.E. 2013	Rajmahnt Sanwla Ram Dahre	Ahiwara	BJP	139	145	96%	313	MLA
24	A.E. 2013	Girwar Janghel	Khairagarh	INC	139	145	96%	428	MLA
25	A.E. 2013	Tej Kunwar Gowardhan Netam	Mohla-Manpur	INC	139	145	96%	436	MLA
26	A.E. 2013	Kerabai Manhar	Sarangarh	BJP	138	145	95%	94	MLA
27	A.E. 2013	Moti Lal Devangan	Janjgir-Champa	INC	138	145	95%	562	MLA
28	A.E. 2013	Keshav Chandra	Jaijapur	BSP	138	145	95%	560	MLA
29	A.E. 2013	Shivratan Sharma	Bhatapara	BJP	138	145	95%	180	MLA
30	A.E. 2013	Bhola Ram Sahu	Khujji	INC	138	145	95%	552	MLA
31	A.E. 2013	Devji Bhai Patel	Dharsiwa	BJP	137	145	94%	596	MLA

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32	A.E. 2013	Satyanarayan Sharma	Raipur Rural	INC	137	145	94%	396	MLA
33	A.E. 2013	Santram Netam	Keshkal	INC	137	145	94%	529	MLA
34	A.E. 2013	Brihaspat Singh	Ramanujganj	INC	136	145	94%	275	MLA
35	A.E. 2013	Dr Preetam Ram	Samri	INC	136	145	94%	374	MLA
36	A.E. 2013	Dhanendra Sahu	Abhanpur	INC	136	145	94%	572	MLA
37	A.E. 2013	Anila Bhendia	Dondi Lohara	INC	136	145	94%	342	MLA
38	A.E. 2013	Arun Vora	Durg City	INC	136	145	94%	499	MLA
39	A.E. 2013	Daleshwar Sahu	Dongargaon	INC	135	145	93%	547	MLA
40	A.E. 2013	Santosh Upadhyay	Rajim	BJP	134	145	92%	170	MLA
41	A.E. 2013	Bhupesh Baghel	Patan	INC	134	145	92%	539	MLA
42	A.E. 2013	Awadhesh Singh Chandel	Bemetara	BJP	134	145	92%	296	MLA
43	A.E. 2013	Renu Jogi	Kota	INC	133	145	92%	303	MLA
44	A.E. 2013	Baghel Lakeshwar	Bastar	INC	133	145	92%	497	MLA
45	A.E. 2013	Amarjeet Bhagat	Sitapur	INC	131	145	90%	409	MLA
46	A.E. 2013	Devti Karma	Dantewada	INC	131	145	90%	516	MLA
47	A.E. 2013	Rajsharan Bhagat	Jashpur	BJP	130	145	90%	0	MLA
48	A.E. 2013	Chunnihal Sahu	Akaltara	INC	129	145	89%	369	MLA

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49	A.E. 2013	Umesh Patel	Kharsia	INC	128	145	88%	561	MLA
50	A.E. 2013	Chintamani Maharaj	Lundra	INC	124	145	86%	242	MLA
51	A.E. 2013	Manoj Singh Mandavi	Bhanupratappur	INC	124	145	86%	363	MLA
52	A.E. 2013	Roshan Lal	Raigarh	BJP	123	145	85%	177	MLA
53	A.E. 2013	Laljeet Singh Rathia	Dharamjaigarh	INC	123	145	85%	384	MLA
54	A.E. 2013	Santosh Bafna	Jagdapur	BJP	123	145	85%	363	MLA
55	A.E. 2013	Bhaiyaram Sinha	Sanjari Balod	INC	122	145	84%	403	MLA
56	A.E. 2013	Barnad Josef Redriks	Nominated	Nominated	120	145	83%	11	Nominated by the Anglo-Indian community from Date 14.02.2014
57	A.E. 2013	Uike Ramdayal	Pali-Tanakhar	INC	113	145	78%	103	MLA
58	Bye - Election on 20th October 2014	Shri Bhojraj Nag	Antagarh	BJP	113	N/A	N/A	84	MLA
59	A.E. 2013	Amit Jogi	Marwahi	INC	112	145	77%	512	MLA
60	A.E. 2013	Gurumukh Singh Hora	Dhamtari	INC	109	145	75%	112	MLA
61	A.E. 2013	Vidyaratan Bhasin	Vaishali Nagar	BJP	109	145	75%	112	MLA

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62	A.E. 2013	Khelsai Singh	Premnagar	INC	106	145	73%	212	MLA
63	A.E. 2013	Jai Singh Agrawal	Korba	INC	80	145	55%	66	MLA
64	A.E. 2013	Champa Devi Pawle	Bharatpur-Sonhat	BJP	57	145	39%	37	Parliamentary secretary
65	A.E. 2013	Govardhan Singh Manjhi	Bindranawagarh	BJP	55	145	38%	15	Parliamentary secretary
66	A.E. 2013	Shivshankar Painkra	Pathalgaon	BJP	48	145	33%	80	Parliamentary secretary
67	A.E. 2013	Lakhan Dewangan (Parliamentary secretary)	Katghora	BJP	48	145	33%	62	Parliamentary secretary
68	A.E. 2013	Rupkumari Choudhary (Parliamentary secretary)	Basna	BJP	48	145	33%	82	Parliamentary secretary
69	A.E. 2013	Tokhan Sahu (Parliamentary secretary)	Lormi	BJP	47	145	32%	148	Parliamentary secretary
70	A.E. 2013	Raju Singh Kshatri (Parliamentary secretary)	Takhatpur	BJP	47	145	32%	203	Parliamentary secretary
71	A.E. 2013	Dayaldas Baghel (Minister)	Nawagarh	BJP	47	145	32%	12	Minister
72	A.E. 2013	Moti Ram Chandravanshi	Pandariya	BJP	47	145	32%	49	Parliamentary secretary
73	A.E. 2013	Ambesh Jangre	Pamgarh	BJP	46	145	32%	23	Parliamentary secretary
74	A.E. 2013	Labh Chand Bafna	Saja	BJP	46	145	32%	65	Parliamentary secretary

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75	A.E. 2013	Suniti Satyanand Rathia	Lailunga	BJP	44	145	30%	2	Parliamentary secretary
76	A.E. 2013	Bhaiyalal Rawade	Baikunthpur	BJP	37	145	26%	0	Minister
77	A.E. 2013	Yudhvir Singh Judev	Chandrapur	BJP	33	145	23%	212	MLA
78	A.E. 2013	Mahesh Gagda	Bijapur	BJP	32	145	22%	22	Minister
79	A.E. 2013	Badridhar Diwan	Beltara	BJP	29	145	20%	9	Deputy Speaker
80	A.E. 2013	Vikram Usendi	Antagarh	BJP	22	N/A	N/A	0	MLA
81	A.E. 2013	Rajesh Munat	Raipur City West	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister
82	A.E. 2013	Kedar Kashyap	Narayanpur	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister
83	A.E. 2013	Ramsevak Paikra	Pratappur	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister
84	A.E. 2013	Ts Baba (Neta)	Ambikapur	INC	0	145	0%	575	MLA
85	A.E. 2013	Punnulal Mohle (Minister)	Mungeli	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister
86	A.E. 2013	Amar Agrawal (Minister)	Bilaspur	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister
87	A.E. 2013	Gaurishankar Agrawal	Kasdol	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Speaker
88	A.E. 2013	Brijmohan Agrawal	Raipur City South	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister
89	A.E. 2013	Ajay Chandrakar	Kurud	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister
90	A.E. 2013	Ramshila Sahu (Minister)	Durg-Rural	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister

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91	A.E. 2013	Prem Prakash Pandey	Bhilai Nagar	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Minister
92	A.E. 2013	Raman Singh	Rajnandgaon	BJP	0	145	0%	0	Chief Minister

Table 5: Details of Attendance and Questions asked by MLAs

**It is not mandatory for Ministers, Chief Ministers and Speakers to mark their attendance*

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