

LIST OF BACKWARD DISTRICTS

State Name	Districts
Andhra Pradesh	Kadapa
	Visakhapatnam
	Vizianagaram
Arunachal Pradesh	Namsai
Assam	Baksa
	Barpeta
	Darrang
	Dhubri
	Goalpara
	Hailakandi
	Udalgudi
Bihar	Araria
	Aurangabad
	Banka
	Begusarai
	Gaya
	Jamui
	Katihar
	Khagaria
	Muzaffarpur
	Nawada
	Purnea
	Sheikhpura
	Sitamarhi
Chattisgarh	Baster
	Bijapur
	Kondagaon
	Korba
	Mahasamund
	Naravanpur
	Norh Bastar-Kanker
	Rajnandgaon
	South Bastar-Dantewada
Sukma	
Gujarat	Morbi
	Narmada
Haryana	Mewat
Himachal Pradesh	Chamba
Jammu And Kashmir	Baramula
	Kupwara
Jharkhand	Bokaro
	Chatra
	Dumka
	East Singhbhum
	Garhwa

	Giridih
	Godda
	Gumla
	Hazaribag
	khunti
	Latehar
	Lohardaga
	Pakaur
	Palamu
	Ramgarh
	Ranchi
	Sahibganj
	Simdega
	West Singhbhum
Karnataka	Gadag
	Kalaburagi (Gulbarga)
Kerala	Wayanad
Madhya Pradesh	Barwani
	Chhatarpur
	Damoh
	East Nimar
	Guna
	Rajgarh
	Singrauli
	Vidisha
Maharashtra	Gadchiroli
	Jalgaon
	Nanded
	Nandurbar
Manipur	Chandel
Meghalaya	Ri Bhoi
Mizoram	Mamit
Nagaland	Kiphrie
Orissa	Balangir
	Dhenkanal
	Gajapati
	Kalahandi
	Kandhamal
	Koraput
	Malkangiri
	Rayagada
Punjab	Ferozepur
	Moga
Rajasthan	Barmer
	Dhaulpur
	Jaisalmer
	Karauli
	Sirohi
Sikkim	East Sikkim

Tamilnadu	Ramanathapuram
	Virudhunagar
Telangana	Adilabad
	Khammam
	Warangal Rural
Tripura	Dhalai
Uttar Pradesh	Bahraich
	Balrampur
	Chandauli
	Chitrakoot
	Fatehpur
	Shravasti
	Siddharthnagar
Sonbhadra	
Uttarakhand	Haridwar
	Udham Singh Nagar
West Bengal	Birbhum
	Dakshin Dinajpur
	Malda
	Murshidabad
	Nadia

Note: Districts identified as 'Backward' by NITI Aayog. This list is subject to change in case of any updation by the Aayog.