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LIMITATIONS

- ◆ Data from West Bengal for the year 2018 and 2019 was not received for the publication of Prison Statistics India 2018 & 2019, and therefore, the data furnished by West Bengal for Prison Statistics India 2017 was used in those publications. Now, West Bengal data for 2020 along with 2018 & 2019 has been received and has been factored in this publication wherever references to that data appear.

IMPROVEMENTS OVER PREVIOUS PUBLICATIONS

- ◆ Transgender category has been included in gender classification of prisoners.
- ◆ Number of NGOs working exclusively for welfare of women prisoners has been included under Chapter 10 (Rehabilitation and Welfare of Prisoners).