

LOK SABHA

List of Questions for ORAL ANSWERS

Tuesday, November 30, 2021/Agrahayana 9, 1943 (Saka)

(Ministries of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare; Cooperation; Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying; Food Processing Industries; Heavy Industries; Home Affairs; Information and Broadcasting; Panchayati Raj; Rural Development; Social Justice and Empowerment; Youth Affairs and Sports)

(कृषि और किसान कल्याण; सहकारिता; मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी; खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग; भारी उद्योग; गृह; सूचना और प्रसारण; पंचायती राज; ग्रामीण विकास; सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता; युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्रालय)

Total Number of Questions — 20

Low Milk Production

†*21. SHRI KUNWAR PUSHPENDRA SINGH
CHANDEL:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL
HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken cognizance of low milk production by indigenous cow progeny;

(b) if so, the details of efforts being made for improving the indigenous cow breeds in the country including the Bundelkhand region; and

(c) the details of target set for creation of employment through animal husbandry in the Bundelkhand region?

Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2014

*22. SHRI RAM MOHAN NAIDU KINJARAPU:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of assurances made to Andhra Pradesh as per the provisions of the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2014;

(b) the details of the status of fulfillment or non-fulfillment of each of these assurances;

(c) the details along with reasons for non-fulfillment of the assurances which haven't been fulfilled as of today;

(d) the date by which the Government is planning to fulfill the non-fulfilled assurances of the Act;

(e) the details of the unfulfilled provisions and assurances which require the consensus of the Government of Andhra Pradesh and the Government of Telangana; and

(f) the time by which and how special category status is proposed to be granted to Andhra Pradesh?

Crop Damage due to Heavy Rains

*23. SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:
SHRI SUBRAT PATHAK:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS
WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the value of agricultural and horticultural crops damaged due to heavy rains in various parts of the country during the current rainy season;

(b) whether the Government has conducted any survey in this regard and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has received any request from the State Governments for providing assistance to compensate for the loss suffered by farmers and if so, the details thereof along with the funds released, State/UT-wise; and

(d) the other steps taken by the Government to cover the loss of life, property and livestock suffered by farmers?

Natural Disaster Relief

†*24. SHRI KRUPAL BALAJI TUMANE:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has made any changes in the criteria relating to natural disaster relief and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government proposes to allow the disaster affected persons to receive assistance at district level in a time bound manner as per the prevalent procedure and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has received any such proposal and if so, the details thereof along with the action taken by the Government thereon;

(d) whether the Government proposes to provide any 'special assistance' as per immediate requirement in the matter of such urgent cases; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Nirbhaya Fund

*25. SHRI MOHAMMED FAIZAL P.P.:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of Nirbhaya Funds allocated and utilised since 2014, State-wise; and

(b) the quantum of Nirbhaya Funds allocated and utilised to implement the Safe City Component of the Nirbhaya Scheme, city-wise, since 2014?

Hybrid Seed Mini Kits

*26. SHRI POCHA BRAHMANANDA REDDY:
SHRI SRIDHAR KOTAGIRI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has distributed hybrid seed mini kits to farmers across the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the seeds have been distributed in Andhra Pradesh; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Establishment of Heavy Industries

*27. SHRI MANNE SRINIVAS REDDY:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES

भारी उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is encouraging establishment of heavy industries in various parts of the country including backward regions;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise; and

(c) the steps being taken by the Government to establish more and more heavy industries to provide employment and to stop migration of people from one part to other parts of the country?

Disaster Relief through NDRF and SDRF

†*28. SHRI OMPRAKASH BHUPALSINH ALIAS
PAWAN RAJENIMBALKAR:
SHRIMATI BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO
GAWALI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether National Disaster Response Fund (NDRF) and State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) have been set up jointly by the Union Government/State

Governments to provide relief to the persons affected by natural disasters in States;

(b) if so, the present status thereof;

(c) whether the Union Government has fixed the rates for State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) during the period from the year 2015 to 2020;

(d) if so, the steps being taken by the Government to increase the said rate;

(e) whether any proposal relating to increase in the said rate has been received from the State Government of Maharashtra and if so, the action taken by the Government thereon; and

(f) the details of funds released by the Union Government in this regard during the last five years?

Privatisation of Fisheries Sector

*29. SHRI HIBI EDEN:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of steps taken/being taken by the Government for the sustainable development of the fisheries sector;

(b) whether it is a fact that the fishermen in the country were against privatization of fisheries resources and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government is aware of the fact that fishermen in the country have risen as one against the draft policy framework on India's blue economy which envisages using marine resources for development and if so, the details thereof; and

(d) whether the Government has taken any decision regarding Draft Blue Economy Policy for the country, if so, the details thereof including the expected date of execution and if not, the current status thereof?

Circulation of Fake News

*30. SHRIMATI APARAJITA SARANGI:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken initiatives to fact-check the content circulated on various platforms;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has set up any fact-checking cell and if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Government has taken any action against any news organization/content-generating platforms for circulation of fake news/rumours or misleading information; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

MGNREG Scheme

*31. DR. KALANIDHI VEERASWAMY:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the features of the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS);

(b) the details of the funds sanctioned, allocated and utilized under this Scheme within the State of Tamil Nadu during the last three years;

(c) whether the Government asked the States to create three Fund Transfer Orders (FTOs) for the MGNREGS workers belonging to different castes and if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Government is aware about poor remuneration and late payments under this programme after implementation of three FTOs; and

(e) whether the Government is also aware that the differential payment system has come when rural areas in the country in particular have been severely hit by two consecutive waves of the pandemic, which led to widespread job losses?

Rehabilitation of Displaced Persons

*32. SHRI NAMA NAGESWARA RAO:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES

भारी उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of public and private sector heavy industries set up in various States/UTs, particularly in Telangana during each of the last three years and the current year;

(b) the number of families displaced due to setting up of such industries during the said period;

(c) the number of families, out of them, rehabilitated in such States/UTs so far, State/UT-wise; and

(d) the number of displaced persons employed directly and indirectly in such industries so far, State/UT-wise particularly in Telangana?

Status of SPMRM in Haryana

*33. SHRI BRIJENDRA SINGH:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government plans to extend the Shyama Prasad Mukherji Rurban Mission (SPMRM) to more clusters in Haryana;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the status of projects in the clusters approved under said scheme in Haryana along with the details of amenities planned/completed in these clusters as of June, 2021?

Nutrition Smart Village Programme

*34. SHRI GIRISH BHALCHANDRA BAPAT:
SHRI RAHUL RAMESH SHEWALE:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to strengthen the Poshan Abhiyan through the Nutrition Smart Village programme in the country;

(b) if so, whether the Government proposes to identify villages across the country through the network of All India Coordinated Research Project on Women in Agriculture (AICRP-WIA);

(c) if so, the details thereof and the criteria fixed for selection/identification of villages for the said purpose;

(d) whether the Government has evaluated the initiative before its launch in the country; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the outcome of such evaluation and the extent to which such initiatives have strengthened India's campaign against malnutrition?

Har Medh Par Pedh

†*35. DR. MANOJ RAJORIA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether with a view to promote forestry, the Government is working on 'Har Medh Par Ped' Scheme; and

(b) if so, the year-wise and State-wise details of the implementation of the said scheme?

NCRB Report on Suicides

*36. SHRI BALUBHAU ALIAS SURESH
NARAYAN DHANORKAR:
SHRI K. NAVASKANI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware about recent NCRB Report, 11,716 businesspersons died by suicide in 2020, registering a 29% jump from 2019;

(b) whether it is true that the majority of businesspersons who committed suicide belonged to the micro small and medium enterprises (MSMEs); and

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

(c) if so, the steps taken by the Government to check this trend?

Sahakar Mitra-NCDC Internship Scheme

*37. SHRI VISHNU DAYAL RAM:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION

सहकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the Sahakar Mitra - National Cooperative Development Corporation (NCDC) Internship Scheme;

(b) the list of all the interns who have benefitted from this scheme till date; and

(c) the details of the funds invested by the Government to run this scheme?

Welfare of Fishermen

*38. DR. SHASHI THAROOR:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the country's fisheries sector enormously contributes to the food security by employing more than 14.5 million people and contributing to 1.07% of the GDP and 5.37% of the agricultural GDP;

(b) whether the Government will consider upgrading fisheries research and infrastructure and form a Fisheries Council of India for general welfare of fishermen including insurance schemes for their health;

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Government is aware that almost 70% of shoreline of the State of Kerala has been eroded and thousands of homes of coastal communities destroyed mainly due to the rampant man-made interventions near the coastline;

(e) if so, whether the Government intends to provide shoreline fisher workers, usually the older fishermen, some additional monetary benefits; and

(f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Centrally Sponsored Schemes for Promotion of Sports

†*39. SHRI RAHUL KASWAN:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of various centrally sponsored schemes being implemented by the Government for the promotion of sports in the country including the setting up of sports education and training institutes;

(b) whether the Government has reviewed the status of implementation of these schemes; and

(c) if so, the outcome thereof including the shortcomings observed in the implementation of these schemes?

Fit India Freedom Run

*40. SHRI KOTHA PRABHAKAR REDDY:

SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA VISWANATH:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of Fit India Freedom Run organized as part of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav on the occasion of 75th anniversary of Independence;

(b) the details of the districts and villages in the country where the run has been conducted;

(c) the criteria/basis for selection of the youth who participated in the event;

(d) whether virtual interactions were held with the youngsters from various States during the flag off of the Fit India Freedom Run; and

(e) whether it is proposed to organise more such events/programmes and if so, the details thereof?

NEW DELHI;
November 25, 2021
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UTPAL KUMAR SINGH
Secretary General

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CORRIGENDUM**

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Question No.	Correction
28	Part (c) line 1: <u>for</u> “has” <u>read</u> “had”

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Total Number of Questions — 230

Encouraging Youth Participation in Sports

231. SHRI RAVI KISHAN:
SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA:
SHRI RAVINDRA KUSHWAHA:
SHRI SANJAY SADASHIVRAO MANDLIK:
SHRI MANOJ TIWARI:
SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:
SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:
SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to increase international participation of India in the field of sports;

(b) whether the Government is of the view that India can perform better in sports competitions at the international level including Olympic Games with increased participation;

(c) if so, the efforts being made by the Government in this regard;

(d) whether the Government is considering the need to build new sports stadia or sports complexes to increase participation of youth in sports and to encourage them in this field and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise specially in North East Delhi Constituency;

(e) the schemes being implemented by the Government to increase participation of youth in sports and provide benefits/facilities to the players along with the details thereof; and

(f) the role of the States in this regard?

Withdrawal of States from PMFBY

232. SHRI BALASHOWRY VALLABHANENI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether States are withdrawing from the Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY);

(b) whether one of the reasons for the withdrawal is delay in settling the claims of farmers;

(c) if so, the details of the action taken by the Ministry to address this and other issues resulting in withdrawal of States from the scheme;

(d) whether the coverage of the PMFBY has been consistently coming down from 30 per cent (567.2 lakh hectares) in 2016-17 to 27 per cent in 2018-19 and 25 per cent (497 lakh hectares) in 2019-20; and

(e) if so, the details of the coverage in 2020-21 and the ways in which the Ministry is planning to address the issues plaguing the scheme?

Milk Production in Saurashtra Region

233. SHRI DIPSINH SHANKARSINH RATHOD:
SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJI
KUNDARIYA:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of efforts being made by the Government to enhance the milk production in Saurashtra region;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether it is the fact that farmers of few districts of Saurashtra region are deprived of selling their milk due to non-availability of proper district wise procuring infrastructure in Saurashtra region;

(d) whether the Government is taking su-moto cognizance for developing AMUL like institution to cater entire Saurashtra region;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Capital Investment in Jammu & Kashmir

- †234. SHRI GOPAL CHINNAYA SHETTY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken any positive steps to encourage capital investment in Jammu and Kashmir after the abrogation of Article 370 and 35-A;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether development works will accelerate with the increase of capital investment and entry of new companies in Kashmir and Ladakh; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Fees for KCC

†235. SHRI HANUMAN BENIWAL:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the various kinds of fees, surcharges, etc. collected by the Government and private banks from farmers to provide Kisan Credit Cards (KCC) before and after KCC approval; and

(b) the fees, surcharge and other charges paid by the farmers for the renewal of KCC in the bank despite the amount paid by the farmers at the first approval along with the details of the provision made in this regard?

Safety of Sanitation Workers in Maharashtra

236. SHRI VINAYAK RAUT:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has issued any guidelines to the State of Maharashtra about the safety of sanitation workers particularly during the COVID-19 pandemic situation, if so, the details thereof; and

(b) the steps that have been taken by the Ministry to persuade Maharashtra State to provide adequate safety gear and mechanical equipment to all sanitation workers?

Shortage of Funds under MGNREGS

237. SHRI SELVAM G:
SHRI GAUTHAM SIGAMANI PON:
SHRIMATI BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO
GAWALI:
SHRI DHANUSH M. KUMAR:
SHRI C.N. ANNADURAI:
SHRI GAJANAN KIRTIKAR:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether many State Governments are running out of funds for Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee scheme and if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(b) the number of States which have negative net balance;

(c) whether shortage of funds has led to delay in the payment to MGNREGS workers and if so, the total outstanding amount for payment to MGNREGS workers; and

(d) the other steps taken by the Government to augment the funds for MGNREGS for its successful implementation?

Central Share of State Disaster Relief Fund

238. SHRI MAGUNTA SREENIVASULU REDDY:
SHRI ADALA PRABHAKARA REDDY:
SHRI N. REDDEPPA:
SHRIMATI CHINTA ANURADHA:
SHRI TALARI RANGAIAH:
SHRI KURUVA GORANTLA MADHAV:
DR. BEESETTI VENKATA SATYAVATHI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has approved the release of the second installment of Central Share of State Disaster Relief Fund;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has revised the norms for granting ex-gratia payment to next of kin of deceased in the COVID-19 pandemic; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Rural Development Schemes at Panchayat Level

†239. SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH PATEL:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the schemes related to rural development being run at the panchayat level in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) the details of the new rural development schemes being run at the panchayat level in Madhya Pradesh; and

(c) whether any special schemes are being run in aspirational districts and if so, the details thereof?

Crop Loss due to Heavy Rains and Floods

240. DR. AMOL RAMSING KOLHE:
DR. DNV SENTHILKUMAR. S.:

SHRI SUNIL DATTATRAY TATKARE:
SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE:
SHRI RATANSINH MAGANSINH RATHOD:
KUNWAR DANISH ALI:
SHRI KULDEEP RAI SHARMA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether many States in the country have been affected by heavy rains and consequent floods in the recent months resulting in destruction of standing crops, fruits and vegetables to a great extent;

(b) if so, the details of the total loss of crops/paddy/vegetables and the districts that have been severely affected;

(c) whether the State Governments have demanded any assistance to compensate for the loss suffered by the farmers;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the funds allocated to each State;

(e) whether the Government has any plan to waive loan of farmers in the affected districts, the details thereof; and

(f) the corrective steps taken by the Government to avoid such damage of crops of fruits and vegetable in the future?

Sick Heavy Industries

241. SHRI JUAL ORAM:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES

भारी उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have identified the heavy industries which have fallen sick;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons for their sickness; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to remove the bottleneck so that these units can recover from their sickness and if so the details thereof?

Share of States in Crop Insurance Scheme

242. MS. RAMYA HARIDAS:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has come to the notice of the Ministry that many States are finding it extremely difficult to pay their share of the crop insurance scheme and are thereby defaulting;

(b) whether the Ministry is also aware that at times the share of States in the crop insurance scheme is 50 per cent of their agriculture budget;

(c) whether the Ministry is also aware that there are States which have not paid the premium of even 2019;

(d) if so, whether there are any plans before the Ministry to take over the entire amount of premium; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Improving Status of Transgender Population

243. SHRIMATI PRATIMA MONDAL:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by Government to improve the status of Transgender population of the country;

(b) the detail of Transgender persons employed in Government services, State-wise; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to promote the participation of this community in Government sector jobs?

Artificial Insemination of Dairy Animals and Bovines

244. SHRI SANGANNA AMARAPPA:

SHRI PRATHAP SIMHA:

DR. UMESH G. JADHAV:

SHRI L.S. TEJASVI SURYA:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken steps to regulate and check the artificial insemination of dairy animals and bovines, and if so, the details thereof;

(b) the details of the dairy production farms registered with the Government from the State of Karnataka; and

(c) whether the Government has noticed desperate efforts by foreign dairy conglomerates to denigrate the Indian dairy industry?

Garima Greh for Transgenders

†245. SHRI CHANDRA PRAKASH JOSHI:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Garima Greh being run for Transgender persons in the country, location-wise;

(b) the number of Garima Greh likely to be set up in the coming years; and

(c) whether the Government proposes to set up these Garima Greh in Rajasthan and if so, the details thereof?

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

Crop Damage due to Climate Change

246. SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY:
SHRI JAYANT SINHA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has estimated the damage to crops in the country due to different natural calamities like floods, droughts, etc., during the last five years and if so, details thereof along with the quantum of crops damaged and revenue lost;

(b) whether the Government has ascertained the impact of climate change on crops and if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the steps taken to mitigate the impact of natural calamities, extreme weather events and climate change on agricultural produce;

(d) whether there exists any insurance scheme to protect farmers from crop damage due to natural calamities and if so, the details thereof with the eligibility and State/UT-wise coverage of such insurance schemes to protect farmers;

(e) whether there exists insurance coverage for damages due to climate change and if so, the details thereof with the eligibility and beneficiaries, State/UT-wise; and

(f) the details of the awareness programmes held by the Government to inform farmers about increasing incidence of flash floods and droughts?

Grants from Finance Commission

247. SHRI ANUBHAV MOHANTY:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पञ्चायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of channel through which the grants from the Finance Commission are provided to the Panchayats;

(b) the details of mechanism that the Centre has to monitor the release and expenditure of these grants; and

(c) whether the department responsible for dealing and disbursement of such grant has the discretion of increasing or decreasing such grants for the Panchayats, if so, whether it has ever been done and if so, the details thereof may please be provided?

Soil Health Card Scheme

248. SHRI GAUTHAM SIGAMANI PON:
SHRI ANURAG SHARMA:

SHRI SELVAM G:
SHRIMATI BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO
GAWALI:
SHRI DHANUSH M. KUMAR:
SHRI C.N. ANNADURAI:
SHRI GAJANAN KIRTIKAR:
SHRI ARVIND DHARMAPURI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether some positive results are being achieved in agricultural production after the introduction of the Soil Health Card Scheme and if so, the details thereof;

(b) the challenges faced by the Government while implementing Soil Health Card Scheme;

(c) whether the Government has assessed the performance of Soil Health Card Scheme and if so, the details thereof and the outcome of assessment;

(d) whether Soil Health Card Scheme has been implemented in all parts of the country specially in Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, Telangana and Uttar Pradesh; and

(e) if so, the total number of farmers and the number of farmers who have been issued Soil Health Cards State/UT-wise especially in the States of Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, Telangana and Uttar Pradesh?

Fish Production in Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh

†249. SHRI KANAKMAL KATARA:
SHRIMATI KESHARI DEVI PATEL:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of schemes being implemented to augment the fish production and to increase the income of fishermen in the States of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan including Banswara-Dungarpur of Rajasthan;

(b) the details of the steps taken by the Government to provide training and financial assistance to fishermen under 'Atmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan';

(c) the number of camps organised in the States of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan including Banswara-Dungarpur of Rajasthan and the number of people provided with training and the number amongst them joined trade of aquaculture/fish production, the details thereof, district-wise;

(d) whether the Government proposes to accord the status of agriculture to fisheries, if so, by when;

(e) the district-wise details of the funds issued for fisheries during the last five years in the States of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan including Banswara-Dungarpur of Rajasthan; and

(f) the capacity of fish production in the States of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan including Banswara-Dungarpur of Rajasthan during the last five years, details thereof, district-wise?

Production of Fruits and Vegetables

250. SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) India's rank in production of fruits and vegetables at the international level;

(b) the average quantum of production of fruits and vegetables in the country during last three years;

(c) the States which produce the most fruits and vegetables in the country;

(d) the countries to which India exports the most fruit and vegetable produce including the details of the quantum of such exports; and

(e) the details of schemes currently being implemented to increase the production of fruits and vegetables in various States of the country, including Assam?

National Social Assistance Programme

251. DR. HEENA GAVIT:

SHRI UNMESH BHAIYYASAHEB PATIL:

SHRI DHAIRYASHEEL SAMBHAJIRAO

MANE:

DR. SUJAY RADHAKRISHNA VIKHE PATIL:

DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of people who have availed the benefit of the National Social Assistance Programme and the details thereof, State-wise;

(b) the amount of funds allocated, sanctioned and disbursed to achieve the objectives set out by the National Social Assistance Programme and the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) the steps taken by the Government to ensure that social protection by the scheme is uniformly available, in line with the objectives of the scheme; and

(d) the plan, if any, to increase the quantum of assistance being extended under the 5 sub-components of the scheme to make it better suited to the contemporary times?

Central Database on Cooperatives

252. SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJI

KUNDARIYA:

SHRI DIPSINH SHANKARSINH RATHOD:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION

सहकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government intends to develop a central database on Co-operatives, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the aims and objective behind the creation of a Central Cooperative Database;

(c) whether the Union Government has consulted or is going to consult States and Co-operative organisations in this regard; and

(d) if so, the response thereto and if not, the reasons thereof?

Employment of Rural Youths under Employment Generation Schemes

253. SHRI ANURAG SHARMA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the rural youths of Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribes/Economically Weaker Sections are provided employment as guaranteed under the employment generation schemes in the State of Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years and the current year;

(c) the amount of funds provided by the Government under the said schemes during the said period;

(d) whether the Government has assessed implementation of the said schemes and if so, the details of the assessment; and

(e) the further steps taken / being taken by the Government for effective implementation of the said schemes in the country?

National Edible Oil Mission-Oil Palm

254. SHRI SANJAY SADASHIVRAO MANDLIK:

SHRI RAVI KISHAN:

SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV:

SHRI MANOJ TIWARI:

SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA:

SHRI SUBRAT PATHAK:

SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:

SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:

SHRI SRIDHAR KOTAGIRI:

SHRI RAVINDRA KUSHWAHA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that India is the world's biggest importer of edible oils, of which palm oil constitutes the maximum, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has launched a National Edible Oil Mission-Oil Palm(NMEO-OP) to make the country self-sufficient in cooking oils, including palm oil and reduce the country's dependency on imports, if so, the salient features of the said mission and the details of funds sanctioned and released by the Government for the abovesaid mission;

(c) whether palm cultivation is good for the environment, if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Government has identified/selected any particular area for cultivation of palm and edible oilseeds, if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether palm cultivation requires a lot of water, if so, the steps being taken to meet the same;

(f) the details of facilities likely to be provided by the Government to farmers to promote farming to produce palm oil and other edible oilseeds; and

(g) whether the Government is also considering to provide financial assistance to the farmers for the same and if so, the details thereof?

PESA Act

255. SHRIMATI RAKSHA NIKHIL KHADSE:
SHRI MANOJ KOTAK:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the land acquired in last five years in the States with Fifth Scheduled Areas covered under PESA Act 1996 for various projects including the State of Maharashtra;

(b) the details thereof State & Project-wise thereby; and

(c) the details of future plans thereto?

Custodial Deaths of SC&ST Children

256. SHRI GNANATHIRAVIAM S.:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is an increase in number of custodial deaths of SC and ST children in the country;

(b) if so, the total number of such cases registered during each of the last three years and current year, State-wise, and gender-wise;

(c) if so, the steps taken by the Government against the accused officials during the said period;

(d) whether the directions of the National Human Rights Commission and State right panels have been ignored by the State Governments regarding detention of minors; and

(e) if so, the details of steps being taken to tackle such incidents in future ?

Financial Assistance to Kin of Persons died due to COVID-19

257. SHRI D.M. KATHIRANAND:
SHRI A. RAJA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons who died due to COVID-19 in the country from March, 2020, State-wise;

(b) whether the Union Government has any plans to provide financial assistance from National Disaster Relief Fund (NDRF) to the kith and kin of the people who died due to COVID-19;

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Supreme Court has issued guidelines for payment of compensation to the next of kin of persons who died due to COVID-19; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Farmers Suicides

258. DR. SUBHASH RAMRAO BHAMRE:
SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH ALIAS LALAN SINGH:
SHRI ANTO ANTONY:
SHRI DINESH CHANDRA YADAV:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of farmers suicides reported during the last three years and the current year in the State of Maharashtra and the reasons for their suicide;

(b) whether the Government has carried out any study to assess the causes of suicides by farmers, if so, the details of the findings, if any;

(c) the details of funds allocated and expenditure incurred on various schemes in the State of Maharashtra during the last three years and the current year for the welfare of the farmers and to mitigate the crisis of farmers' suicides;

(d) whether the Government has noticed reports that the several farmers have committed suicide due to unavailability of fertilizers in the country especially in Madhya Pradesh;

(e) if so, the details of number of farmers committed suicide so far, State-wise;

(f) whether the Government has any plan to give compensation to the family of the victims;and

(g) the steps taken by the Government to avoid/prevent farmers distress/suicides in various States of the country?

Fish and Aquatic Products

259. SHRI KANUMURU RAGHU RAMA
KRISHNA RAJU:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Pradhan Mantri Mastya Sampada Yojana introduced to boost fish and aquatic products and their marketing and infrastructure support has been achieving its objectives;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the status of implementation of the scheme in the State of Andhra Pradesh as on date?

Loss of Soil Fertility

260. SHRI P.P. CHAUDHARY:
SHRI MAHENDRA SINGH SOLANKY:
DR. KRISHNA PAL SINGH YADAV:
SHRIMATI SANDHYA RAY:
SHRI SANGAM LAL GUPTA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has conducted any study to estimate the loss of fertility and nutrients in soil in places affected by drought, water scarcity etc;

(b) if so, the details thereof particularly in Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh;

(c) the details of districts in above States found to be facing challenges in terms of soil fertility;

(d) whether the Government proposes to introduce measures to increase soil health and fertility and if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the details of any assistance extended to farmers who suffer loss due to infertile soil in their field?

Khelo India Centre

261. SHRI MANOJ TIWARI:
SHRI RAVI KISHAN:
SHRI SANJAY SADASHIVRAO MANDLIK:
SHRI RAVINDRA KUSHWAHA:
SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA:
SHRI SUBRAT PATHAK:
SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:
SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:
SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the salient features of Khelo India centres;

(b) whether the Government has opened/proposes to open Khelo India centres across the country;

(c) if so, the details of such centres established and yet to be established across the country including NCT of Delhi, district-wise;

(d) the details of the availability of trainers and equipment facility in the district level Khelo India centres

and the talented players selected so far, district-wise; and

(e) whether the Government has any policy to encourage sports amongst Tribals and Rural areas of the country and if so, the details in this regard?

Armed Conflicts in North East Region

262. SHRI T.N. PRATHAPAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has the data of armed conflicts occurring in North East Region;

(b) if so, the number of such conflicts since 2014 in NE between insurgents/ militants and armed forces or between various militant groups, year-wise;

(c) whether the Government has the data of casualties among armed forces, militants and civilians;

(d) if so, the details thereof during the last five years, State-wise;

(e) whether the Government has the data of funds it spent on military operations in North East Region during the said period; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

River Lake and Pond Fishing

263. SHRI HEMANT TUKARAM GODSE:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any special plans to motivate persons engaged in river/ lake/pond fishing and provide incentives for keeping them commercially alive in this field; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the incentive schemes provided to support river/lake/pond fishing in the country, particularly in the State of Maharashtra?

Canteens for Serving & Retired CAPFs

264. SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWAR:
SHRIMATI POONAM MAHAJAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of number of Master Canteens and Subsidiary Canteens functioning for serving and retired Central Armed Police Forces (CAPF) personnel;

(b) whether Government has taken any steps to provide quality products in Central Police Canteen (CPC) and also at a subsidised rate as was in the case of CSD canteen for defence personnel and if so, the details thereof and the action taken in this regard; and

(c) whether Government has decided to sell only indigenous products in CPC and if so, the details thereof and the objective behind the move along with the time by which this will be made functional?

Agri-Startups

†265. SHRI JASWANT SINGH BHABHOR:
SHRI SUMEDHANAND SARASWATI:
SHRIMATI KESHARI DEVI PATEL:
SHRI KANAKMAL KATARA:
SHRIMATI RANJEETA KOLI:
SHRI SUDHAKAR TUKARAM
SHRANGARE:
SHRI BALAK NATH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to provide funds for start-ups in agriculture and its related sectors in the country, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the status of agriculture startup in the country till date;

(c) the ways and means by which Government will promote agriculture start-ups in rural and tribal areas of Gujarat so that farmers of those areas be uplifted;

(d) the number of agro startups set-up during the last two years along with the details of the financial assistance provided to them in Uttar Pradesh including district Prayagraj and in Rajasthan including district Band-Durgapur;

(e) the details of the relaxation given to set up agro start-ups in rural areas;

(f) the details of the schemes formulated by the Government keeping in view the demand of agro/products in international market; and

(g) the details of the assistance provided by the Government to promote innovation in products and service of agro start-ups?

Process of Fund Transfer Order under MGNREGS

266. SHRI DUSHYANT SINGH:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any stipulated time limit to process the Fund Transfer Order (FTO) to transfer wages directly to the worker's accounts after receiving Fund Transfer Order (FTO) from the State Governments under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MNREGS), if so, the details thereof;

(b) the details of average days of time taken to process the Fund Transfer Order's by the Government each month from 01.01.2021 to 31.10.2021 State-wise;

(c) the details of the utilization of the allocated funds of MNREGS for financial year 2021-2022 State-wise and the steps taken by the Government to handle the payments of the States that used 100% funds, waiting for extra allocation; and

(d) the details of the work demanded by the workers to work provided by the Government, State-wise in this financial year 2021-2022?

Modernisation Police Scheme

267. SHRI UNMESH BHAIYYASAHEB PATIL:
DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE:
DR. HEENA GAVIT:
SHRI DHAIRYASHEEL SAMBHAJIRAO
MANE:
DR. SUJAY RADHAKRISHNA VIKHE PATIL:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of Central Financial Assistance disbursed under the Assistance to States for Modernisation of Police Scheme and the details thereof, State-wise;

(b) the criteria employed for the bifurcation of States into Category A and B and the disparity in funding received by the two;

(c) the amount of extra funding in the form of Better Performance Incentives allocated, sanctioned and disbursed under the scheme as on date and to which States;

(d) the criteria employed to decide which States are entitled to receive better Performance Incentives; and

(e) the list, number and monetary value of items provided as assistance in kind to the police forces State-wise?

PwDs in Maharashtra

268. SHRI SUDHAKAR TUKARAM
SHRANGARE:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the funds released to various States for the welfare of Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) during the last three years, year-wise; specially in the State of Maharashtra;

(b) the new schemes formulated for the welfare of Persons with Disabilities; and

(c) the fresh steps taken by the Government to increase job avenues for the PwDs across the country?

Food Parks Chains under PMKSY

†269. SHRI ARUN SAO:
SHRI VIJAY BAGHEL:

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the mega and mini food parks, cold storage chains infrastructure and food testing laboratories set up under Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY), State-wise including Chhattisgarh;

(b) the details of the financial allocation made to improve the food processing infrastructure under the said scheme, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has made any assessment regarding the number of farmers benefitted/ being benefitted from the said scheme;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the details of the employment opportunities generated through this scheme especially in rural areas?

Negative Net Balance Sheet under MGNREGS

270. SHRI MANICKAM TAGORE B.:
SHRI ARVIND GANPAT SAWANT:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee scheme has negative balance sheet and run out of funds half way particularly through the current fiscal and shows a negative net balance of Rs.8686 crore;

(b) whether it is also true that many States show a negative net balance forcing the State Governments to close down halfway through the year;

(c) whether the Government is aware that the MGNREGS is a demand driven scheme, if so, whether the Government anticipate funds required for the scheme and allocate the funds to all States;

(d) whether the MGNREGS workers are getting late payments due to the shortage of funds and that a good percentage of households who demanded work under the scheme were not provided work and many States were not able to pay the wages for the work completed; and

(e) if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Monitoring of Cooperative Banks

271. SHRI S. MUNISWAMY:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION

सहकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the introduction of the new Ministry of Cooperation is an effort to monitor the cooperatives of the country;

(b) if so, whether the Ministry found loopholes in the existing system and is it an innovation to stream-line the functioning of Cooperative Banks in the country, if so, the details thereof and

(c) whether the Government is considering new rules for District Central Cooperative Banks, if so, the details thereof?

MoU with Fiji

†272. SHRI BASANTA KUMAR PANDA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Fiji for the development of the agricultural sector, recently in June 2021; and

(b) if so, the details of the benefits likely to accrue to both the countries as a result of the above said MoU?

Assistance to Farmers in Odisha

273. SHRI MAHESH SAHOO:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any plan to support farmers for the losses suffered during the pandemic and flood in Odisha;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether the Government will extend support with farm loan waiver or provide seeds and fertilizers to the farmers, if so, the details of the same?

ODOP in Kerala

274. SHRI RAHUL GANDHI:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the initiatives that are being undertaken by the Government to support Farmer Producer Organisations, Self Help Groups (SHGs) and Producer Cooperatives to promote products identified through the One District One Product (ODOP) approach in Kerala along with the details of the products identified for Wayanad parliamentary constituency;

(b) the details of applications received under PM Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises (PM-FME) Scheme in Kerala, district-wise;

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

(c) the details of credit linked grant and seed capital provided to FPOs/SHGs and Producer Cooperatives under PM-FME scheme, State-wise;

(d) whether the capacity building initiatives are being undertaken to strengthen FPOs, SHGs and Producer Cooperatives; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Panchayati Raj Institutions

275. SHRI PATEL HASMUKHBHAI SOMABHAI:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether any mechanism has been developed within the Panchayati Raj Institutions to prepare district plans and to monitor the works executed by Gram Panchayats;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether some Panchayats in the country have expressed their inability to utilize funds earmarked for them due to non-availability of district plans;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the Government has issued any instructions to the Panchayats in this regard; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Complaints regarding Kendriya Bhandar

276. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION

सहकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether Kendriya Bhandar, a multi-State cooperative society has recruited Group 'B' and 'C' staff through interview violating DOPT OM No. 39020/01/2013-Estt((b) dated 9.10.2015 and Central Registrar of Cooperative Societies's Circular No. R-II017/19/2017 L&M dated 3.7.2017, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether Kendriya Bhandar has also violated Articles 14 and 16 of the Indian Constitution in the matter of regular appointments made without conducting written tests, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Central Registrar has received complaints in this regard, if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the details of action taken to scrap illegal appointments made in violation of the Articles 14 & 16 of the Indian Constitution and DoPT OM etc.?

MoU with Flipkart under National Rural Livelihood Mission

277. SHRI P.V. MIDHUN REDDY:
SHRI TALARI RANGAIAH:
SHRI N. REDDEPPA:

DR. BEESETTI VENKATA SATYAVATHI:
SHRI ADALA PRABHAKARA REDDY:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has signed a Memorandum of Understanding(MoU) with Flipkart for partnership under the National Rural Livelihood Mission;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has marketed the products earlier through State owned online E-commerce Platform as well as other commercial E-commerce Platforms; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Technical-organizational Restructure in Fisheries

†278. SHRI PARBATBHAI SAVABHAI PATEL:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of efforts being made by the Government for carrying out permanent technical-organizational restructure in fisheries and aquaculture extension of fishermen and fish farmers in the country;

(b) whether the fishermen are not able to expand their profession in the dearth of knowledge;

(c) the details of measures being adopted by the Government in this regard;

(d) the extent to which the freshwater fishing can be beneficial in the production of fisheries;

(e) the details thereof; and

(f) the methodology through which technical knowhow could be extended to the fishermen in the State of Gujarat so that they may augment their production?

PMGSY-III in Kerala and Tamil Nadu

279. ADV. ADOOR PRAKASH:
DR. KALANIDHI VEERASWAMY:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the features of the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana Phase-III;

(b) the details of roads proposed to lay under this phase within Tamil Nadu and Kerala, district-wise;

(c) the details of fund sanctioned, allocated and released to the State of Tamil Nadu and Kerala along with the details of fund utilized and works completed under PMGSY-III in the State; and

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(d) whether the Government has fixed any target in this regard, if so, the details thereof?

Blue Revolution in Andhra Pradesh

280. SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of funds allocated and utilized for fisheries in the State of Andhra Pradesh under “Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries” Scheme during the last three years;

(b) the details of facilities provided to fishermen under various fisheries schemes; and

(c) the details of the developments in the State of Andhra Pradesh in employment generation and fish production during the last three years?

Construction of Stadium to Promote Sports

†281. SHRI DULAL CHAND GOSWAMI:
SHRI CHANDESHWAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to construct stadiums at district/block/panchayat level in the States to promote sports in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the details of the progress made in this regard so far; and

(c) the details of the number of stadiums constructed so far at block/panchayat level in the country during the last two years, State-wise including Katihar, Jehanabad, Gaya and Arwal district of the state of Bihar?

Agricultural Techniques

†282. SHRI RAJESH VERMA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether any scheme is being run by the Government to provide information to the farmers regarding latest agriculture techniques;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the total number of farmers benefitted under said scheme in the State of Uttar Pradesh, district-wise?

Schemes to Reduce Agricultural Costs

283. SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the schemes being implemented by the Government to reduce agricultural costs along with the details thereof;

(b) the budget allocated for the said schemes and the amount spent thereon during the last five years;

(c) the number of farmers who benefitted from the said schemes along with the details thereof; and

(d) the details of reduction in cost of agriculture per hectare by implementation of the schemes and the amount of increase in the income of farmers for the last five years?

Fish Production in India

284. SHRIMATI POONAM MAHAJAN:
MS. DEBASREE CHAUDHURI:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has details regarding India's share in global fish production and if so, the details thereof during the last three years;

(b) the total fish production in the country during the last three years, year-wise;

(c) the total number of brood banks constructed during the said period, State-wise;

(d) the total number of hatcheries constructed in the same period, the details thereof, State-wise;

(e) whether the Government has details regarding the average fish yield per unit cost and if so, a list of the same during the last three years, year-wise; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Youth Hostel in Maharashtra

285. SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of youth hostels currently functioning in the State of Maharashtra; and

(b) whether the Government proposes to construct more youth hostels this financial year and if so, the details thereof?

Removal of Communities for OBC List

286. SHRI S. MUNISWAMY:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment has received any requisition from Ministry of Tribal Affairs to delete the Parivara, Talawara and Siddi communities of Karnataka State from the OBC List; and

(b) if so, the reason for the delay in removal of names of these three communities from the Central OBC List in spite of both the houses of parliament having passed the bill in 2020?

Coverage of PMKSY-PDMC

†287. SHRI BALAK NATH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the total area covered under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana-Per Drop More Crop (PMKSY-PDMC) for micro irrigation in the country till date;

(b) the progress made in the areas coming under micro irrigation during the last three years;

(c) the amount of funds released to various States as central assistance under the scheme during said period;

(d) the manner in which State Governments are working with the Central Government to promote these schemes; and

(e) the strategy made by the Government for the utilisation of MIF and the details thereof?

Watershed Development Projects

288. SHRI VENKATESH NETHA BORLAKUNTA:
SHRI PASUNOORI DAYAKAR:
DR. G. RANJITH REDDY:
SHRIMATI KAVITHA MALOTHU:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is true that 330 watershed development projects have been sanctioned for Telangana under PM Krish Sinchayee Yojana, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether it is true that more than 200 projects are pending for completion, if so, details thereof, district-wise;

(c) the reasons for delay in completing the projects and efforts being made by the Ministry to complete the left out projects; and

(d) the details of amount so far spent on the above projects, district-wise?

Setting -up of Fruits and Vegetable Processing Units

289. SHRIMATI SUNITA DUGGAL:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has implemented various schemes and is extending financial assistance for setting up of fruit and vegetable processing units in Haryana;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of the fruit and vegetable processing units in Sirsa and Fatehabad district covered/benefited under these schemes during the last three years?

Budget Provision under PMGSY

290. SHRI DHARAMBIR SINGH:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the budget provision for reconstruction and repair of roads under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) in the parliamentary constituency of Bhiwani-Mahendergarh from the year 2014-15 to 2021-22, year-wise;

(b) the number of roads that have been built during the last five years upto November, 2021 under PMGSY in the parliamentary constituency of Bhiwani-Mahendergarh; and

(c) the number of roads that have been renewed and repaired upto November, 2021 in the said place including the details of the road-wise development, division-wise?

Migration Problem among Rural Youth

291. SHRI B.B.PATIL:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that the migration problem among rural youth has increased continuously in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government has prepared any action plan to prevent the migration of rural youth; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Obsolete Analog Transmitters

292. SHRI KURUVA GORANTLA MADHAV:
SHRI POCHA BRAHMANANDA REDDY:
SHRIMATI CHINTA ANURADHA:
SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR BELLANA:
SHRI SANJAY KAKA PATIL:

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to phase out obsolete analog transmitters;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reason therefor; and
- (c) whether this move will provide for additional spectrum as a result of the phase out; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Organic Farming

293. SHRIMATI POONAMBEN MAADAM:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is planning to expand organic farming in the country via any programme, scheme;
- (b) if so, the details thereof ;
- (c) the financial outlay for any such scheme for past three years;
- (d) whether there is any provision for training and capacity building of farmers; and
- (e) if so, the details of farmers trained /oriented State/UT-wise during the last three years?

Status of NRC and CAA

294. SHRIMATI MALA ROY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) the status of having a National Register of Citizens (NRC) for the entire country;
- (b) the time by when the work related to NRC will be done along with the status of NRC in Assam; and
- (c) the time by which the Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA) will be finalised?

Funds Allocated to Telangana

295. DR. G. RANJITH REDDY:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of amount of funds allocated, sanctioned, released and spent for rural local bodies in the State of Telangana under 14th and 15th Finance Commission; and

(b) the details of expenditure made and assets created with above funds in rural local bodies, with a particular reference to rural bodies in Vikarabad, Ranga Reddy districts of the State of Telangana?

Restoration of Ancestral Property of Hindus in Kashmir

296. DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR:
SHRI VINOD KUMAR SONKAR:
SHRI RAJA AMARESHWARA NAIK:
SHRI BHOLA SINGH:
DR. JAYANTA KUMAR ROY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has proposed to take measures to restore ancestral properties of Hindus who had to run away from Kashmir in the wake of rising terrorist violence in the valley;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has appointed any authority to receive such request from Hindus, who returned to Kashmir to reclaim their movable and immovable properties;
- (d) if so, the details thereof including the number of such Hindus who have returned to Kashmir after the abrogation of Article 370;
- (e) the number of such cases where property has been restored to its rightful and original owner; and
- (f) the other measures taken by the Government in this regard so far?

Expansion of Scope of PM-KISAN Scheme

297. SHRI PINAKI MISRA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry has plans to include landless agricultural labourers, sharecroppers and vulnerable agricultural households under the PM-Kisan Scheme;
- (b) if so, the details of the steps taken and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) whether the Government is considering to increase the quantum of assistance under the said scheme, if so, the details about the increment including the expected date of its implementation and if not, the reasons therefor?

Survey of Farmers Incomes

298. SHRI SAPTAGIRI SANKAR ULAKA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has put into place any annual surveys to measure farmers' expenditure and farmers' incomes in the country;

(b) if so, details of the same including information on the current monthly farmer incomes on average in each State vis-à-vis their monthly expenditure; and

(c) if not, the details of the methodology devised to monitor progress of the Government's commitment to double farmers' incomes?

MSP for Rabi Crops

299. SHRI VIJAYAKUMAR (ALIAS) VIJAY
VASANTH:
SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R.:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has increased Minimum Support Price (MSP) for designated rabi crops for the year 2021 or during the marketing/procurement season 2022-2023;

(b) if so, the crop-wise details of the increase in the MSP thereof;

(c) whether the Government has conducted any study for assessing the impact of MSP and the benefits likely to be availed by the farmers; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

PM-KISAN Scheme Transactions

†300. SHRI MITESH RAMESHBHAI PATEL
(BAKABHAI):
SHRI SHRINIWAS PATIL:
SHRI BALUBHAU ALIAS SURESH
NARAYAN DHANORKAR:
SHRI K. NAVASKANI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) Yojana beneficiaries and transactions that have taken place since its launch till November, 2021, month-wise and State-wise;

(b) the total number of PM-KISAN scheme transactions which have failed since its launch till November, 2021, month-wise and State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has identified the reasons for failed transactions;

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(e) the steps being taken to ensure that beneficiaries receive their installments in situations where transactions have failed; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Anti-Human Trafficking Units

301. SHRI KUMBAKUDI SUDHAKARAN:
SHRI BENNY BEHANAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Anti-Human Trafficking Units (AHTUs) established under the Advisory on preventing and combating human trafficking especially during the period of COVID-19 pandemic, State-wise;

(b) the details of bi-annual crime reviews conducted by the Government to monitor the progress of AHTUs, State-wise and year-wise, from 2014 till date; and

(c) whether it is a fact that bi-annual crime review meetings with State Nodal Officers have not been conducted since 2017, and if so, the reasons therefor?

Strengthening of Gram Panchayats

302. SHRI D.K.SURESH:
SHRIMATI SUMALATHA AMBAREESH:
SHRI NALIN KUMAR KATEEL:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken note that there is a need to strengthen Gram Sabhas to seek opinions and consensus of people on significant issues, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether it is true that meetings of Gram Sabha marked by poor attendance and poor representation from the people;

(c) if so, whether the Government proposes to take adequate measures to strengthen the functioning of gramsabhas; and

(d) if so, the details of response of the Government in this regard?

Setting-Up of Cold Storages

†303. SHRI DILESHWAR KAMAIT:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether any steps are being taken to promote setting up of cold storages in order to minimise

post-harvest losses under food processing sector in the country and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether any budget has been allocated for the same and funds distributed so far; and

(c) if so, the details of the funds distributed in Bihar, district-wise?

Schemes for Promotion of Agriculture

†304. SHRI RAMCHARAN BOHRA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether despite various schemes under implementation for the promotion of agriculture in the country, 40 percent of farmers are still living below poverty line;

(b) if so, whether the Government has undertaken a review of performance of each of these schemes during the last three years;

(c) if so, the outcome of such a review;

(d) whether the Government proposes to bring improvements in such schemes; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Jurisdiction of BSF

305. SHRI RAVNEET SINGH BITTU:
PROF. SOUGATA RAY:
SHRI DEEPAK BAIJ:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has amended a 2014 notification and extended the jurisdiction of Border Security Force (BSF) in certain States including Punjab if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether any consultation has been done with the States before extending the jurisdiction of the BSF in the international border areas adjacent to India; if so, the details and outcome thereof;

(c) whether the experts have expressed apprehensions over possibility of increasing interference of the Centre in the Law and Order of the States and clashes between BSF and State Police Administration due to increasing the jurisdiction of BSF;

(d) whether this decision of the Government has been opposed by some States. if so, the details thereof; and

(e) whether the Government propose to look into the genuine concerns and objections raised by the State Governments and take corrective action in this regard; if so, the details thereof?

Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana

†306. SHRI ARUN KUMAR SAGAR:
SHRI ASHOK KUMAR RAWAT:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether agriculture activities are being done under Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY) in the country particularly in the Parliamentary Constituencies of Shahjahanpur and Misrikh in Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the status thereof as on date particularly in Shahjahanpur and Mishrikh Parliamentary Constituencies of Uttar Pradesh; and

(c) the details of the central funds allocated during the last three years along with the utilization of the same and number of the beneficiaries, State-wise as on date?

MGNREGS in Maharashtra

†307. SHRI SADASHIV KISAN LOKHANDE:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of funds allocated by the Union Government under the MNREGS during last three years year-wise and State-wise;

(b) the number of the persons benefitted of the scheme in the country specially in the Ahmadnagar district and Shirdi parliamentary constituency of the State of Maharashtra;

(c) whether the funds allocated under this scheme have been utilized timely; and

(d) if so, the details thereof State-wise?

Legal Backing for MSP

308. SHRI K. MURALEEDHARAN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any plan to introduce legal backing to the Minimum Support Price (MSP) to agricultural products;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government on MSP?

National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Projects

309. DR. T. SUMATHY (a) THAMIZHACHI
THANGAPANDIAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has left out Tamil Nadu State from National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Projects (NCRMP) Phase-I & II which were implemented to respond better to cyclones and for the construction of infrastructure to address the vulnerability of coastal community to cyclones

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the effective measures taken by the Government to implement projects under NCRMP in Tamil Nadu; and

(d) the details of the funds allocated for the projects under NCRMP?

Strengthening the Cooperative Movement

310. SHRI NALIN KUMAR KATEEL:
SHRI KHAGEN MURMU:
SHRIMATI SUMALATHA AMBAREESH:
SHRI D.K.SURESH:
SHRI S. JAGATHRAKSHAKAN:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION

सहकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of cooperative functioning in the country at present, State-wise, district-wise;

(b) whether the Government has taken note that cooperative sector is very old in Indian Society, if so, whether the Government has any vision/objective/action plan/effective policy framework to strengthen, streamline and reform the cooperative societies and roots of cooperatives in the country, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the efforts made/being made by the Government to ensure that the cooperative movement reaches the grassroot level for facilitating the growth of a people based economic development model; and

(d) whether the Government has set any target to achieve under the Cooperatives in the country, if so, the details thereof?

Internet Connection in Jails

- †311. SHRIMATI RANJANBEN DHANANJAY BHATT:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any proposal to provide internet facility in all the jails of the country;

(b) if so, whether the Government has taken any steps in this regard till date; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

PMFBY 2.0

312. SHRI SANGAM LAL GUPTA:
SHRI MAHENDRA SINGH SOLANKY:
SHRIMATI SANDHYA RAY:
SHRI P.P. CHAUDHARY:
DR. KRISHNA PAL SINGH YADAV:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of aims, objectives and features of Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) 2.0;

(b) whether the Government is taking steps to raise awareness about the scheme among beneficiaries;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) the steps taken by the Government for grievance redressal mechanism under the scheme; and

(e) the data of the beneficiaries under this scheme during the last three years and the current year, State-wise and district-wise including data for Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh?

Inclusion of Ball Badminton Game in Arjun Awards

313. SHRI S. VENKATESAN:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ball Badminton game is not in the list for Arjun Award as it was in the list till 1984 and is now approved as school game also;

(b) if so, whether this game has Global presence in countries like Malayasia, Singapore, Thailand, Nepal etc.;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) whether there is any proposal for the inclusion of above said game in the list for Arjun Awards, if so, the details thereof?

Tokyo Paralympics

314. SHRI NATARAJAN P.R.:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details and the number of medals won in the Tokyo Paralympics by our Indian athletes;

(b) whether these athletes are facing much barriers including stigma and discrimination;

(c) if so, whether the Government extended any support to these athletes and if so the details thereof;

(d) whether any mechanism is available to oversee the strict implementation of any comprehensive

guidelines issued by the Indian Para sports body and if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether any allegations of corruption was received against the Paralympic Committee of India recently; and

(f) if so the details thereof and the reaction of the Government in this regard?

Scholarships to Students

315. SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU:
SHRI GIRISH BHALCHANDRA BAPAT:
DR. PRITAM GOPINATHRAO MUNDE:
SHRI RAHUL RAMESH SHEWALE:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has been granting scholarships to students of socially backward section of the society;

(b) if so, whether children belonging to different castes studying in the same class get different amounts as scholarships, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government proposes to rationalise all scholarships given to meritorious students belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and minorities to award equal amount to students of the same class; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the time by when the final decision is likely to be taken in this regard?

Cruelty Against Animals

†316. SHRIMATI RANJEETA KOLI:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether any cases relating to cruelty to animals are pending in the courts;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise as on date;

(c) the total number of cases out of the total cases pending during the last five years; and

(d) the details of the steps taken by the Government for the speedy disposal of the said cases?

Sanctioned /Allotted Posts of IPS

317. SHRI RAMDAS C. TADAS:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of Indian Police Services (IPS) posts/cadres sanctioned/allotted by the Government for posting in various posts for the State of Maharashtra;

(b) the total number of IPS cadre in various posts in the State of Maharashtra; and

(c) the total number of IPS officers presently working in the Maharashtra State as on date, post-wise/cadre-wise?

Disabled Persons Receiving Pension and Ex-gratia

318. DR. MOHAMMAD JAWED:
SHRI GAURAV GOGOI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons with disabilities who received the advance three month pension and ex-gratia relief of Rs 1000 since March 2020;

(b) the details of beneficiaries who are currently covered under the Indira Gandhi National Disability Pension scheme; and

(c) the criteria for providing pension under IGNDPS alongwith the reasons for the exclusionary criteria of providing pension to only people with 80 percent disabilities?

Horticulture Hub in Andhra Pradesh

319. SHRI MARGANI BHARAT:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether Kadiyam in East Godavari district of Andhra Pradesh is one of the leading horticulture hubs of the country;

(b) if so, the assistance provided by the Ministry for helping such hubs to increase production, mechanization, marketing infrastructure, export, etc., under Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH);

(c) the details of financial and other assistance given to Kadiyam during the last three years, year-wise;

(d) the activities taken up by Floricultural Research Directorate, Pune and Regional Research Centre at Kadiyam in Andhra Pradesh, particularly in Kadiyam, on floriculture?

Seed Research Centre

320. SHRI UTTAM KUMAR REDDY
NALAMADA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any plan to set up a Seed Research Centre in Kodad, Telangana;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the timeline for establishing and starting operations of the Seed Research Centre in Kodad; and

(d) the funds to be allocated to set up and operate the Seed Research Centre in Kodad?

Implementation of National Rural Livelihood Mission

321. SHRI KRIPANATH MALLAH:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the salient features of the National Rural Livelihood Mission;

(b) the details of the funds sanctioned, allocated and utilized under this scheme within Assam so far;

(c) the details of the target set and achievements made so far within Assam so far along with its response;

(d) whether the Government is planning to train Self-Help Groups (SHG) to contain spread of virus and uptake of COVID-19 vaccination among rural population within the country, if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the Government has set up SAKSHAM Centres under this mission within the country; and

(f) if so, the number of centres set up in Assam, district wise along with its response?

Allocation of Budget

322. SHRI KARTI P. CHIDAMBARAM:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of budgetary allocation for sports in ascending order during the last ten years from 2010-11 to 2020-21;

(b) the break up of the budget allotted to each sport under various heads for the years 2019-20 and 2020-21; and

(c) the medals won in each sport in the year of 2020 Olympics as compared to the budget allocated to it?

Assistance for FPIs

323. ADV. DEAN KURIAKOSE:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any plans to support the Food Processing Industries (FPIs) that are under great distress due to COVID-19;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has any plans to give any institutional support to start Food Processing Industries in the backdrop of COVID-19, if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(d) whether the Government has issued any directives to the district authorities to support Food Processing Industries that are struggling due to COVID-19;

(e) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(f) if not, the reasons therefor?

Fishers Opinion on Indian Marine Fisheries (IMF) Bill

324. ADV. A.M. ARIFF:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has held any stakeholder consultation with regard to the Indian Marine Fisheries (IMF) Bill, 2021, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has translated the said Bill to any of the regional languages and circulated the same to solicit the opinion of traditional fishers on the Bill, if not, the reasons therefor; and

(c) whether it is true that the said Bill is fundamentally against the interests of the traditional marine capture fishers, fish workers, and fisherwomen in the country?

Schemes and Facilities for Persons with Disabilities

325. SHRI V.K.SREEKANDAN:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposer to start trainy and sensitization regarding Central sector schemes and facilities for Persons with Disabilities (PwD);

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether ASHA workers and Anganwadi workers would also be a part of the said programme, if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the training modules drafted in simple language would be translated into all regional languages, if so, the details thereof; and

(e) whether the Government shall adopt any mechanism to improve the schemes related to Persons with Disabilities that shall be brought up by the trainees during the training period, if so, the details thereof?

Suicides due to Drug Abuse

326. SHRI KESINENI SRINIVAS:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government can provide the data for suicides due to drug abuse for the last three years and if so, the details thereof, especially for the State of Andhra Pradesh;

(b) whether the Government is aware of the increasing suicides due to drug abuse and alcoholism at the national level and if so, the actions/steps taken/being taken by the Government to control the situation thereof;

(c) whether the Government recognizes the problem of drug addiction and abuse among the youth of the country and if so, action taken thereof;

(d) the awareness measures that have been undertaken by the Narcotics Control Bureau to curb substance abuse among teens and youth; and

(e) whether the Government can provide data on the quantity of drug confiscated during the last three years and if so, the details thereof, drug category-wise?

Shifting/Jhum Cultivation

327. SHRI VINCENT H. PALA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has conducted any study/research on the impact of Shifting/Jhum Cultivation on pollution and CO2 Emissions, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the steps taken by the Government to incentivise farmers to switch away from "Slash and Burn"; and

(c) whether the incentives/subsidies offered will cover the entire cost of adopting alternative technologies/practices, if so, the details thereof?

Poultry, Sheep and Goat Rearing

†328. SHRIMATI JASKAUR MEENA:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to give special focus on entrepreneurship development in rural poultry, sheep and goat rearing and breed improvement including fodder and fodder development scheme;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of estimated amount of fund allotted under this along with the estimated target; and

(d) the time by which it is likely to be implemented?

Preservation of Siri Cow Breed

329. SHRI RAJU BISTA:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken any steps towards genetic improvement and preservation of Siri Cow breed, cattle breed of hilly region of the States of West Bengal and Sikkim;

(b) whether the Government provides loan at lower rates of interest or without interest to promote dairy and animal husbandry;

(c) if so, the details thereof including the criteria fixed for availing financial assistance; and

(d) the details of steps taken by the Government to increase credit flow the promotion of dairy and animal husbandry?

Decline in Automobile Sales

330. DR. A. CHALLAKUMAR:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES

भारी उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether manufacturing of automobiles has been reduced and the automobiles sales has also declined due to the spread of COVID-19 virus in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the measures being taken by the Government to tackle this situation?

Funds allocated for TOP Scheme

331. SHRI ABDUL KHALEQUE:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the sports persons from North East excelling at international levels over the post few years, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether funds allocated for the Target Olympic Podium (TOP) scheme is sufficient and if so, the details thereof along with the progress of the scheme;

(c) if not, the manner in which the Government will generate fund for the above mentioned scheme and overall sports development;

(d) whether Karate has been included in Olympics Game and if so, the other steps taken by the Government to develop Karate; and

(e) whether the Government would consider establishing a State-of-the-art sports training facility in Barpeta Lok Sabha Constituency of Assam and if so, the details thereof?

Celebration of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsava

†332. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of programmes organized by the Government in pursuit of celebration of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsava; and

(b) the details of the programmes proposed to be organized during the course of celebration of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav in the days ahead?

Agricultural Systems

333. SHRI S. JAGATHRAKSHAKAN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the pandemic has exposed both the strengths and the vulnerabilities of India's agri food systems, and has also emphasized the need for agricultural market reforms and digital solutions to connect farmers to markets, create safety nets, ensure reasonable working conditions, and decentralize the agri food systems to make them more resilient; and

(b) if so, the details of the steps taken by the Government in this regard, and if not, the reasons therefor?

Departmental Standing Committee at Village/Block Level

†334. SHRI SANJAY BHATIA:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to constitute the departmental Standing Committee/Advisory Committee at the village level in all the panchayats of the country, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government proposes to constitute the departmental Standing Committee/Advisory Committee at block level across the country;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) whether the Government in coordination with the State Government of Haryana proposes to constitute the departmental Standing Committee/Advisory Committee, if so, the details thereof?

Utilization of Funds under MGNREGS

335. SHRI KOMATI REDDY VENKAT REDDY:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether as many as 21 of 35 States/UTs have utilised over 100 per cent of their allocated funds under the Mahatma Gandhi Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) for financial year 2021-22 by October 29, 2021, if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(b) whether the allocations for MGNREGS were increased to meet the demand for work, with the Revised Estimates for spending for the scheme as MGNREGS was a life-saver for the poor, especially migrant labourers, following the sudden lockdown announced by the Union Government; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and the present status thereof, State-wise?

Gender mainstreaming in Agriculture

336. SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR BELLANA:
SHRI MAGUNTA SREENIVASULU REDDY:
SHRI P.V. MIDHUN REDDY:
SHRI SANJAY KAKA PATIL:
SHRI TALARI RANGAIAH:
SHRI KURUVA GORANTLA MADHAV:
SHRI ADALA PRABHAKARA REDDY:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is taking any steps to push the agenda of 'Gender Mainstreaming in Agriculture' by way of allocating funds for women under various schemes/programmes;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs) are able to empower the women farmers; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Schemes for Animal Husbandry and Dairying

†337. SHRI ASHOK KUMAR RAWAT:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the names of Central Schemes implemented for Animal Husbandry and Dairying particularly in backward and rural areas during the last three years as on date, State-wise;

(b) the amount of funds provided by the Government separately for these schemes each year during the said period;

(c) whether any new technology has been developed in these sectors by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research or any other such research institute;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the efforts being made by the Government to check the consistent decline in the number of various animals?

Setting-up of Food Processing Industry Parks in Bihar

†338. SHRI KAUSHALENDRA KUMAR:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the food processing industry parks being set up in Bihar and its current status location-wise; and

(b) the role being played by the Government in the development of food processing industry parks being set up in Bihar?

Implementation of PMGSY-III

†339. SHRIMATI RATHVA GITABEN VAJESINGBHAI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proposals sanctioned and amount allocated in Rajasthan under the third phase of Pradhan Mantri Sadak Yojana, district-wise;

(b) the present status of the proposal sanctioned under this yojana;

(c) the present status of the proposals sanctioned for Gujarat; and

(d) whether any scheme is being formulated to inter-connect villages through a ring road in the third phase of Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana, if so, the details thereof?

Original Equipment Manufacturers

340. SHRI PARVESH SAHIB SINGH VERMA:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES

भारी उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has considered taking action against the foreign automobile Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs) that have exited India without giving prior notice to customers and dealers, if so, the details thereof;

(b) if not, whether the Government intends to take any action towards minimizing foreign automobile OEM exits or enabling smooth exits with minimal financial exposure for automobile dealers, employees and customers;

(c) whether the Government has devised a plan to protect automobile dealers from unfair treatment by

foreign automobile OEMs in execution of the dealership agreements; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Zonal Council Meeting

341. SHRI ARVIND DHARMAPURI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government regularly conducts Zonal Council Meetings;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Southern Zonal Council met recently;

(d) if so, the list of Chief Ministers or representatives of States who attended this meeting and all the previous meetings held during the last three years;

(e) whether the Government keeps the record of Chief Ministers who have not attended the Southern Zonal Council Meetings; and

(f) if so, the details thereof during the aforesaid period?

National Crop Forecast Centre for Yield Estimation

342. SHRI JAYADEV GALLA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the pilot projects undertaken under the Mahalanobis National Crop Forecast Centre to develop yield estimation at Gram Panchayat level and the status of projects thereof;

(b) whether the Government aims to undertake any scheme to assess accurate crop yield/loss at insurance unit for quick claims under Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether any data has been collected after the approval of the DGCA for flying of drone to collect the data in the 100 pilot districts for paddy and wheat crops; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Attacks on Fishermen

343. PROF. SOUGATA RAY:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has noticed that a large number of fishermen were attacked by armed forces of neighbouring countries;

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

(b) if so, the steps taken to protect the lives of our fishermen; and

(c) the details of such attacks by Pakistan and Sri Lanka during the last three years?

Payment of Wages to MGNREGS Workers

344. MS. S. JOTHIMANI:
SHRI RAJENDRA AGRAWAL:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT
ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री
be pleased to state:

(a) whether there have been delays in the payment of wages to workers under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS), if so, the details thereof State-wise and district-wise particularly in Uttar Pradesh;

(b) the reasons for the delay in payments to MGNREGS workers in various States;

(c) the details of wage payments that are pending approval from the Central Government across the country, for work done between April and October;

(d) the details of wage payments that are pending in the State of Tamil Nadu for work done between April and October;

(e) whether the Government has taken measures to expedite the approval of wage payments to MGNREGS workers and ensured that the previous payments are distributed; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Creation of Assets under MGNREGS

345. SHRI RAJENDRA AGRAWAL:
Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री
be pleased to state:

(a) the details of assets that have been created under the MGNREGS scheme in Uttar Pradesh

(b) whether the Government evaluates the value generated from those assets;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) whether the quality of assets created under the scheme are monitored and evaluated and if so, the details thereof?

Impersonating Voices of Judges

346. SHRI A.K.P. CHINRAJ:
Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री
be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Delhi Police has received any representation or complaint from Supreme Court Registrar

Office in relation to impersonating voices of judges, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether any First Information Report (FIR) or complaint has been registered in Tilak Marg Police Station in relating to impersonating voices of judges; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

DNA Survey of Child Beggars

347. SHRI VISHNU DATT SHARMA:
Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री
be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is contemplating the DNA survey of children begging on streets so as to take steps to reunite trafficked children with their biological parents;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government is considering to create a pan India database of DNA information for trafficked children and their biological parents; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Cyber Crime Awareness

348. SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL:
Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री
be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken note that the younger generation are more vulnerable to cyber crimes;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government has any plan to include cyber crime awareness as part of curriculum of the students apart from making stringent laws to control the crime; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

PM-KISAN Beneficiaries

†349. SHRI MALOOK NAGAR:
Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री
be pleased to state:

(a) the percentage of farmers deprived of facilities like bank account in the country and the details thereof;

(b) the manner in which farmers are benefitted from Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi Yojana (PM-KISAN);

(c) whether the Government propose to increase the amount provided under the scheme keeping in view the

interest of farmers, corona pandemic and current inflation condition;

(d) if so, the details of the increased amount and the time by which it is proposed to be increased; and

(e) the number of farmers benefitted from this scheme in Bijour Constituency and the details thereof?

Villages Covered under National Rural Livelihood Mission

350. COL. RAJYAVARDHAN RATHORE:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of villages covered by the National Rural Livelihood Mission, State-wise along with Rajasthan's district and block distribution;

(b) the number of Self Help Groups (SHGs) registered in the national network;

(c) whether the Government is planning to introduce technical and managerial training for women to run businesses digitally;

(d) whether the Government has improved the market linkages of SHGs over the past year, alongwith the future action plans for the same; and

(e) whether the Government has any data to boost SHGs in rural economies across States, if so, the details thereof, State-wise and district-wise particularly Rajasthan?

Promotion of Rural and Indigenous/Tribal Games

351. SHRI JAYANT SINHA:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the games identified under the "promotion of rural and indigenous/tribal games" component of Khelo India;

(b) the details and the number of annual national competitions/activities/demonstrations held for rural and indigenous/tribal games since 2018 and the games for which competitions have been held;

(c) the number of NGOs and sports federations/associations to whom financial support has been provided for promotion of these games since 2018 and the amount given, State-wise; and

(d) the number of top sports persons identified for these games, State-wise?

Threat to National Security

352. SHRI RITESH PANDEY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any guideline for determining the threat to national security;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the basis and criteria used to determine that a person, institution, or a group of persons are a threat to national security; and

(c) if not, the reasons, therefor?

Agricultural Universities

353. SHRI BHAGWANT MANN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has allocated funds to encourage education in agricultural universities located in Punjab to further boost the agriculture sector;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government is contemplating setting up a new agricultural university in Punjab to give a further boost to agricultural education; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Caste Discrimination

354. SHRI E.T. MOHAMMED BASHEER:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that Caste based discrimination is still prevalent in the country, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the steps taken by the Government to eradicate caste discrimination in the country; and

(c) the total crimes on caste discrimination reported during the last two years?

Garib Kalyan Rojgar Abhiyaan

†355. SHRI SATYADEV PACHAURI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has launched a comprehensive employment-cum-rural public works campaign named 'Garib Kalyan Rojgar Abhiyaan (GKRA)' to empower and provide livelihood opportunities in areas/villages witnessing large number of returnee migrant workers affected by devastating COVID-19;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of beneficiaries, mandays employment generated and the

expenditure incurred under the said scheme till date, State-wise;

(c) whether the said scheme has been successful; and

(d) if so, the details thereof along with the steps being taken to ensure effective and timely implementation of the said scheme?

Payment of Insurance Claims under PMFBY

356. SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA MAJHI:
SHRI ACHYUTANANDA SAMANTA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether insurance claims are being paid to farmers on time after crop damage/failure under the Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY), if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether in many States, including Odisha, the payment of insurance claims for crop failure in 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21 is still pending, if so the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government proposes to take steps for payment of all these outstanding claims;

(d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the outstanding claims will be fully paid and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the steps being taken by the Government to ensure that farmers are being compensated properly especially during crop loss in cases of drought or deficient rainfall?

Non-payment of Crop Insurance Compensation

†357. SHRI PRATAPRAO PATIL CHIKHLIKAR:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that the installment of crop insurance compensation for the year 2020-21 has not been paid to the farmers in Nanded till date;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the officials working in the concerned department are not serious in this regard; and

(d) the time by which the insured compensation amount is likely to be paid to the farmers?

Deen Dayal Upadhyay Grameen Kaushal Yojana

†358. SHRI SUKHBIR SINGH JAUNAPURIA:
SHRI JAYANT SINHA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details and salient features of Deen Dayal Upadhyay Grameen Kaushal Yojana (DDU-GKY) to promote rural employment through skill development including the details of the budgetary allocation made during each of the last three years and the current year along with the progress of the scheme, State/UT-wise;

(b) the number of training centres in Jharkhand and the number of people trained, assessed, certified and placed through these centres, district-wise;

(c) whether the Government proposes to lift the cap of 25 per cent on the permissible limit of expenditure under the DDU-GKY, if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(d) the number of rural youth benefitted through this scheme since its inception, State/UT-wise;

(e) whether all the villages have been covered in this scheme, if so, the details thereof including the reasons therefor, State/UT-wise; and

(f) whether any plan has been devised for the revival of Rural Skill Development Programme by including more rural youth under the scheme to give fillip to Make in India programme?

Youth Volunteerism in Karnataka

359. SHRI L.S. TEJASVI SURYA:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken any measures to improve youth volunteerism in Karnataka and engage youth in community and skill development projects, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government aims to expand the reach of National Cadet Corps (NCC) as well as Bharat Scouts and Guides programme, and mobilise their efforts in assisting and monitoring ground-level issues of stubble burning, cleanliness and more, if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether the Government has taken any measures to increase the effectiveness of the NCC in the current semester-based education system with mandatory attendance which makes NCC participation less plausible, and if so, the details thereof?

Promotion of Fisheries and Animal Husbandry

†360. SHRI GOPAL JEE THAKUR:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the programmes/schemes currently being implemented by the department for the promotion of fisheries and animal husbandry and for its proper development;

(b) the details of the schemes currently being implemented in Darbhanga district of the State of Bihar, scheme-wise;

(c) whether the Government proposes to set up a training institute in Darbhanga for proper training in fisheries and animal husbandry; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Digital India Programme

†361. SHRI VIJAY BAGHEL:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the scheme to connect village Panchayats with broadband/internet is being implemented under Digital India Programme;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of village Panchayats connected with broadband/internet including those located in the State of Chhattisgarh as on date;

(d) the parameters/criteria being adhered to connect village Panchayats with broadband/internet; and

(e) the time by which the work of connecting village Panchayats with broadband/internet is likely to be completed?

Management and Regulation of Cooperative Societies

362. SHRI KHAGEN MURMU:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION

सहकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is planning to revisit the management and regulation of cooperative societies;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Assessment of KVKs

363. SHRI SHRINIWAS PATIL:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any mechanism to assess the quality of services offered by Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVKs);

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government provides financial assistance to the KVKs; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

KVKs in Telangana

364. SHRI PASUNOORI DAYAKAR:
SHRI VENKATESH NETHA BORLAKUNTA:
SHRIMATI KAVITHA MALOTHU:
DR. G. RANJITH REDDY:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry is aware that there are only 16 Krishi Vigyan Kendras in Telangana when there are 31 districts in the State;

(b) if so, whether the Ministry will consider opening more KVKs in districts where there are no KVKs in Telangana;

(c) whether any impact assessment of KVKs has been done and, if so, the findings of such assessment;

(d) whether each KVK has to cater to 90-100 villages which the KVK is finding difficult;

(e) if so, whether the Ministry will consider establishing additional KVKs in the country; and

(f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Welfare of Fishermen

365. SHRI RAVIKUMAR D.:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any proposal to give cash dole of Rs. 10,000/- Rs. to fishermen during the time of fishing ban, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has any plan to hike the diesel / kerosene subsidy to fishermen, if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of measures taken so far to give good level of higher education to the children of fishermen; and

(d) the details of schemes being implemented/likely to be implemented for eradication of middleman in fish trade?

Production of Onions

366. SHRI SHANMUGA SUNDARAM K.:
SHRI VELUSAMY P.:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the total quantity of onions produced in the country during the last three years and the current year;

(b) whether the Government has any proposal to ban export of onions permanently since the demand is higher than supply in the country, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the amendment to the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 by imposing stock limit will affect onion farmers; and

(d) if so, the steps being taken by the Government to augment the income of the farmers who can stock their produce to get better price in future?

Reservation in NEET

367. SHRI T.R. BAALU:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has carried out any study on the implications of various national level entrance examinations such as NEET etc. on policy and programs of Government towards ensuring social justice by way of reservation in education and jobs;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the remedial measures taken by the Government to ensure that socially and educationally backward class people are not deprived of their Constitutional rights in education and job opportunities because of National level examinations like NEET?

Impact of COVID-19 on Rural Development

368. SHRIMATI RITA BAHUGUNA JOSHI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has assessed the impact of COVID -19 on the rural development sector in general, and on the income of rural people, in particular;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the efforts undertaken by the Government for providing livelihood opportunities to the rural people during COVID -19 ?

Wage Payments under MGNREGS

369. SHRI GAURAV GOGOI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) is facing a negative net balance, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the details of the pending liabilities till date as part of the MGNREGS, with separate lists of the wage and material components, State-wise;

(c) the number of person-days of work demanded and number of person-days of work generated in 2019-20 and thus far in 2020-21;

(d) whether the Government has instructed that wage payments under MGNREGS be split according to caste categories; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor along with the reasons for retracting such order?

Rules and Regulations for OTT Platforms

†370. SHRI RAJENDRA DHEDYA GAVIT:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the existing rules and regulations do not prevent the transmission of objectionable content broadcast by Over-the-Top (OTT) platforms, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the rich cultural traditions and beliefs of the country are being harmed by these contents, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the contents available on such platforms can have negative impact on the mindset of the adolescents, if so the details thereof;

(d) whether OTT platforms now come under the purview of the Government as per the notification issued earlier by the Government and if so, the details thereof; and

(e) whether the Government has any specific legislation that regulates OTT platforms to ensure that peoples' sentiments are taken care of, if so, the details thereof?

Shortage of Fodder to Livestock

371. SHRI THIRUMAVALAVAN THOL:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware of the shortage of dry fodder, green fodder and concentrate feed for the Indian livestock;

(b) if so, the details thereof including shortage and the adverse impact on the dairy product may be provided;

(c) whether the Government has any plan to bridge the shortage gap in a time-bound period; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Setting up of New FM and Community Radio Stations

372. SHRI RAJMOHAN UNNITHAN:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any policy relating to FM stations and Community Radio stations in each district in the country, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has any proposal to start an FM and Community Radio station in Kasaragod (Kerala) district if the land is made available/allocated and if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the kilowatts capacity of the Kannur FM and Community station;

(d) whether there is any proposal to increase the kilowatts capacity, if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the Government is preparing any auction for FM station under the private sector and if so, the details thereof;

(f) the criteria for a private party to set up a new FM and Community Radio station; and

(g) whether there is any proposal/intent from any private players to start an FM and Community Radio station in the Kasaragod district and if so, the details thereof?

Storage in Rural Areas

373. DR. ALOK KUMAR SUMAN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has implemented Agricultural Marketing Infrastructure scheme under which assistance has been provided for construction and renovation of godowns, etc. in rural areas of all States including Bihar to enhance the storage capacity for agriculture products;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the details of the action taken by the Government during the last three years for creating more storage facilities in Bihar particularly in the district of Gopalganj;

(d) whether the Government has proposed to construct sufficient storage facilities in Bihar including in Gopalganj district considering the demands of farmers; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Promotion of Fisheries

†374. SHRI UDAY PRATAP SINGH:

SHRI NAYAB SINGH:

DR. RAM SHANKAR KATHERIA:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has formulated/proposed to formulate any scheme to double the production of fish and income of fishermen, including the States of Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the steps taken under Atamnirbhar Bharat Mission to provide training and financial assistance for fisheries to the fishermen during current and last three years, State/UT-wise; and

(d) the details of the funds issued for promotion of fisheries in the States of Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh during each of the last three years?

Atrocities against Dalits

375. KUNWAR DANISH ALI:

SHRI ANUMULA REVANTH REDDY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the atrocities against Dalits have increased in the country particularly in the State of Telangana and Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the number of cases of violence against Dalits reported in the country during the last three years and recent year along with the details thereof, region-wise and district-wise;

(c) whether the Government has issued any instructions to stop the atrocities against the Dalits in the country; especially in Uttar Pradesh; and

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Subsidy for PMKSY-PDMC

†376. SHRI SUMEDHANAND SARASWATI:

SHRIMATI RANJEETA KOLI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government provides subsidy to small and marginal farmers to set up drip and sprinkler irrigation system under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana-Per Drop More Crop (PMKSY-PDMC);

(b) if so, the percentage of subsidy provided to farmers along with the details thereof;

(c) the efforts made by the Government to cover economic sectors coming under micro irrigation and to promote them;

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

(d) the benefits of drip and sprinkler irrigation system set up under PDMC; and

(e) the progress made in this scheme so far along with the details thereof?

Divyang Khel Kendra

377. SHRI MANOJ KOTAK:
SHRI RAMCHARAN BOHRA:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has set up / proposes to set up Divyang Khel Kendra across the country, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether Government has also proposed to establish National Sports Centres for specially abled persons in the country including Rajasthan, if so, the details thereof of the places identified, fund allocated and the time by which these will be established;

(c) the other steps being taken by the Government to empower Divyangs in the country; and

(d) the steps taken by the Government to provide an advance sports infrastructure to ensure effective participation of Persons with Disabilities in sports activities?

Development of Roads under PMGSY

378. SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to expedite the development of roads under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana(PMGSY), if so, the details of action taken thereon;

(b) the details of sanction given for roads in Kollam Lok Sabha constituency under PMGSY;

(c) the details regarding delay in execution of development of roads under PMGSY;

(d) whether the Government consider the recommendation of State Government for the selection of roads under PMGSY, if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the Government proposes to give sanction to Kuzhiyam - Thalayathu- Thannivila Mevar Elavila Moolapana Alamkode Temple Anapuzhakkal road of Chadayamangalam block in Kollam District;

(f) if so, the details of action taken thereon, if not, the reasons therefor; and

(g) whether the Government proposes to implement the works as per the recommendations of the State Government considering the rain and other geographical peculiarities of State, if so, the details thereof?

Community Radio Services

379. SHRI M. SELVARAJ:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details and the number of Community Radio Services in the country;

(b) whether there is any proposal to expand it further; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Difference between Market Price and MSP

380. SHRI BENNY BEHANAN:
SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry is aware that the market prices for October 2021 are below the MSP for eight major crops, including groundnut, bajra, jowar, maize, tur, arhar, moong, and paddy in Bihar including district Bhagalpur;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India (NAFED) was not able to procure adequate quantities of pulses in the kharif and rabi season;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether any remedial measures have been taken to address this issue; and

(f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Comprehensive Possibilities in Agriculture

†381. SHRI RAMESH CHANDER KAUSHIK:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the schemes being implemented by the Government to identify under comprehensive possibilities in agriculture in other States including in the State of Haryana;

(b) the quantum of funds allocated for these schemes during the last eight years;

(c) whether the funds was utilised during the fixed time frame; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

Roadmap for Digital Terrestrial Broadcasting

382. SHRI SANJAY KAKA PATIL:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Prasar Bharati has recently entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with IIT Kanpur to develop Next Generation Broadcast solution/roadmap for Digital Terrestrial Broadcasting;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any emerging technologies like 5G Broadcast will enable new applications such as Direct to Mobile Broadcasting to create new content opportunities through the use of Artificial Intelligence Algorithms; and

(d) if so, the manner in which the Government is planning to utilize these technologies alongwith the details thereof?

Incidents of Custodial Violence

383. SHRI JAGDAMBIKA PAL:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been an increase in the incidents of custodial violence/death in the country;

(b) if so, the steps being taken by the Government on this issue;

(c) the number of custodial deaths in the country during the last three years, State/UT-wise;

(d) the number of cases of custodial deaths where the National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) recommended paying compensation during the above-mentioned period, State/UT-wise;

(e) the data depicting the number of prison violence that took place along with the number of deaths due to the same; and

(f) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

Setting up of FM Transmitters in SSB

384. DR. SANJAY JAISWAL:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has initiated the setting-up of approved Frequency Modulation (FM) transmitters in Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB) premises at seven locations along the Indo-Nepal Border including West Champaran in the State of Bihar;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details and the total quantum of funds sanctioned by the Government for the same; and

(d) the time by which the setting up of the FM transmitters will be completed?

Agricultural Schemes for North-Eastern States

†385. SHRI DILIP SAIKIA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the names of schemes being run by the Government for agriculture in North-Eastern States;

(b) the amount of funds allocated for these schemes during the last eight years;

(c) whether the above-mentioned funds have been utilized in the fixed time limit; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Increasing Farm Income through Exports

†386. SHRI PARBATBHAI SAVABHAI PATEL:
SHRI NARANBHAI KACHHADIYA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether any effort is being made by the Government to increase the income of farmers while giving priority to agricultural export;

(b) if so, the details thereof and whether it is also being considered that our agricultural produce should be chemical-free;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) whether the Government is considering to export agricultural produce from Gujarat in large quantities and if so, the details thereof?

Separate Vidarbha State

†387. SHRI ASHOK MAHADEORAO NETE:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether any steps have been taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to carve out a separate Vidarbha State out of the State of Maharashtra;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Nutritional Fodder to Animals

388. SHRI ARVIND GANPAT SAWANT:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of livestock present in the country and whether the livestock sector is increasing in the country, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government has plan of action to build new veterinary hospitals and clinics, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government maintains any data of total number of animals vaccinated every year, if so, details thereof and whether the Government has sufficient stock of vaccines for animals;

(d) whether the Government has any mechanism to provide nutritional fodder to the animals in the country, in view of the fact that hardly 5% of land is utilised to grow fodder in India, if so, the details thereof; and

(e) whether the Government has taken any steps/ measures to promote dairy and livestock industry in the country, if so, the details thereof?

Intelligence at Border District

389. SHRIMATI SAJDA AHMED:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to rollback the decision of extension of the jurisdiction of BSF from 15Km to 50 Km in the State of West Bengal, Punjab and Assam, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has consulted State Government on the above said issue;

(c) the steps taken by Government to empower the State Police and intelligence in Border districts to check trans border criminals;

(d) whether the Government has assessed that enhancing the jurisdiction in densely populated border area will avert BSF's attention from core responsibility; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Promotion of Sports and Sportsperson in North East

390. SHRI PALLAB LOCHAN DAS:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken special initiatives to promote sports and encourage North East sportspersons in North East; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Development of Coconut Cultivation

391. SHRI THOMAS CHAZHIKADAN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the detailed programmes/schemes for development of coconut cultivation/ production in the country;

(b) the annual production of coconut in the country as on 31st October, 2021, State-wise;

(c) the initiatives of the Coconut Development Board (CDB) for promoting value added products from raw coconut across the country and the details thereof; and

(d) the detailed programmes of the Government/ CDB for providing better marketing facilities to the coconut farmers?

Construction of Roads under PMGSY in Odisha

392. SHRI ACHYUTANANDA SAMANTA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is on track to achieve its goals in Odisha for construction of rural roads under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) for this financial year, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(b) the targets set out for the next financial year, and the details thereof; and

(c) whether the Government is considering implementation of another phase of this scheme to link all the remaining economically backward/LWE affected areas in Odisha and the rest of the country to the core network, if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor?

Lakhpatri Self Help Group Women

393. SHRI BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has recently launched an initiative to create Lakhpatri Self Help Group (SHG) women to enable rural SHG women to earn at least Rs 1 lakh per annum;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of blocks that have been covered under the National Rural Livelihood Mission till date

along with funds allocated and utilized under the said Mission, State/UT wise details thereof; and

(d) the number of Self Help Group (SHG) formed along with number of women mobilized into such SHGs, State/UT wise details thereof?

Impact of COVID-19 on Poultry and Dairy Sector

394. MS. DEBASREE CHAUDHURI:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware of the losses incurred by the poultry and dairy sector due to lockdown caused by COVID-19 pandemic?

(b) if so, whether any assessment regarding such losses has been conducted?

(c) if so, the details thereof?

(d) whether any compensation for such losses is under consideration of the Government? and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Change in Ratio of MGNREGS

†395. SHRI VIVEK NARAYAN SHEJWALKAR:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering to change the 60:40 ratio of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS); and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Smuggling of Drugs

396. SHRI ANTO ANTONY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has noticed that the central agencies have seized large quantity of drug (Heroin) in the State of Gujarat including Mundra Port in Gujarat;

(b) if so, the details thereof including total quantum and the value of drugs in international market;

(c) whether the Government has conducted any detailed enquiry into the matter;

(d) if so, the details thereof including the details of the sender and receiver of the drugs;

(e) whether the privatization of ports and airports has caused increase in large scale smuggling of drugs; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Custodial Deaths

397. SHRI FEROZE VARUN GANDHI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of cases of death in police custody reported in the country in 2021, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government has any plan to introduce any special laws or provisions to reduce the incidences of custodial torture and death;

(c) whether efforts have been made to sensitize the police officers on handling prisoners; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Effects of Chemicals/Bio-fertilizers

398. SHRI ASADUDDIN OWAISI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware about the effect of chemical and bio-fertilizers on agriculture;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has any plan for opening of distribution/sale centres for organic/bio-fertilizers on the lines of the sales/distribution centres set up for chemical fertilizers;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the Government proposes to promote the use of vermicompost/decompost manure to promote bio-organic fertilizers; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Micro Food Processing Units

399. DR. NISHIKANT DUBEY:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is providing grants to establish Micro Food Processing units in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof specially in Santhal Pargana of Jharkhand, and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government has implemented any proposal for establishing Mini Food Parks to benefit small farmers;

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor, State-wise especially in Jharkhand; and

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

(c) whether the Government has taken any steps pertaining to Food Processing Industries to benefit small and medium farmers and if so, the details thereof?

Undertrial Prisons

†400. SHRI DEEPAK BAIJ:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware that the percentage by which the prisoners locked in Indian jails at present is more than their capacity;

(b) the number of undertrial prisoners locked in jails for more than one year including the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c) the reasons for increase in the number of undertrial prisoners in the jails?

Works Undertaken under MGNREGS in Kerala

401. SHRI M.K. RAGHAVAN:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether there has been any delay in payment of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Generation Scheme (MGNREGS) funds to States by the Central Government;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the details of total amount of funds allocated to the State of Kerala for the financial year 2021-22 under MGNREGS; and

(d) whether the Government maintains list of works undertaken under MGNREGS by the State and if so, the list of works being undertaken by Kerala State in financial year 2021-22 and total amount of money spent under MGNREGS by the State of Kerala for FY 2021-22?

Assistance to Establish Cold Storage in Telangana

402. SHRI B.B.PATIL:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has provided any assistance during the last three years to establish cold storage in order to protect fruits and vegetables from decaying in Telangana; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, year-wise?

Timber Promotion Scheme

†403. SHRI NIHAL CHAND:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether any scheme is being implemented by the Government to promote timber producing trees on farmer's land;

(b) if so, the details of the States and regions that are being selected under this scheme along with the details of the norms for the selection; and

(c) the manner in which the assistance will be provided to the farmers along with the details of regions that will be covered under the said scheme?

Scams in Cooperative Banks

404. SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION

सहकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware of increasing instances of scams and large scale misappropriation and false loans raised in the name of unsuspecting subscribers of cooperative banks in the country that is causing systematic collapse of cooperative sector in the country; and

(b) if so, whether the Government has sought report from the Government of Kerala in matters concerning swindling of funds, embezzlement and forged loans in Karuvannoor Cooperative Bank, Thrissur district of Kerala State; and, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government is implementing a uniform policy directive of conducting and transacting business in cooperative banks in the country through the Ministry of Cooperation; and,

(d) if so, the details thereof and action taken in this regard?

EWS in Bihar

†405. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR PINTU:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that the senior citizens belonging to the Economically Weaker Sections (EWS) in the country, especially in Bihar are not getting the benefits of social security schemes due to irregularities in the system; and

(b) if so, the action being taken by the Government in this regard?

Sustainable Agriculture Policy

406. SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is true that India has not signed for the Sustainable Agriculture Policy Action agenda at COP26, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture (NMSA) under the National Action Plan for Climate Change is in line with the COP26 agenda;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the action taken by the Government during 2020 and 2021 under the NMSA and the funds allocated therein?

Impact of Climate Change on Agriculture

407. SHRI RAMESH BIDHURI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether any study/research has been conducted regarding impact of climate change on agriculture and agro based commodities;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any particular crop is more vulnerable to climate change; and

(d) the steps taken to prevent the impact of climate change on agriculture sector of the country?

Report of NCRB on Overcrowded Prisons

408. SHRI MANISH TEWARI:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that according to the latest Prison Statistics published by NCRB, there is a trend of overcrowding in prisons with an occupancy rate of 118 percent at the end of 2019;

(b) if so, the reasons for not constructing any prisons to accommodate the increasing number of prisoners;

(c) whether the Government is aware of reports of COVID-19 positive cases in several prisons which can be aggravated by the overcrowding, if so, the details thereof; and

(d) whether the Government is aware of the fact that according to the report, around percent of the prisons are occupied by undertrials, if so, the measures underway to remedy the situation thereof?

PMGSY in Bihar

409. SHRI CHANDESHWAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of roads constructed in kilometres under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) in Bihar particularly Jehanabad, Arwal and Gaya Districts during each of the last two years;

(b) the quantum of funds sanctioned and released for the projects there under along with the status of their completion;

(c) whether the roads being planned/ approved/under consideration for the upcoming projects in the State; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Losses due to Rains and Floods

410. SHRI THIRUNAVUKKARASAR SU:

SHRI SELVAM G:

SHRI M.K. RAGHAVAN:

SHRI VIJAYAKUMAR (ALIAS) VIJAY VASANTH:

SHRI C.N. ANNADURAI:

SHRI GAJANAN KIRTIKAR:

SHRIMATI NUSRAT JAHAN RUHI:

SHRIMATI KANIMOZHI KARUNANIDHI:

SHRI GAUTHAM SIGAMANI PON:

SHRI VENKATESH NETHA BORLAKUNTA:

SHRI PASUNOORI DAYAKAR:

SHRI DHANUSH M. KUMAR:

DR. G. RANJITH REDDY:

DR. A. CHALLAKUMAR:

SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R.:

SHRIMATI KAVITHA MALOTHU:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether many States in the country have been affected by heavy rains and consequent flash floods, landslides, cloudbursts, etc. in the recent months;

(b) if so, whether any assessment has been made by the Government about the number of persons killed, displaced and missing along with loss of standing crops, cattle and the extent of damage to property and monetary loss, the details thereof, State/UT-wise including Telangana and Tamil Nadu and Kerala;

(c) whether any Commission has been constituted to study the loss and environmental damage caused due to the incessant rain and floods and the details thereof;

(d) the details of proposals received from the State Governments to compensate the said losses and assistance sought, sanctioned and released by the Union Government and through NDRF and SDRF along with the criteria for it during the last three years and the current year, year-wise and State/UT-wise including Telangana, Tamil Nadu and Kerala;

(e) the details of NDRF teams deployed in the affected States to take up damaged works, help farmers, etc., along with the number of persons rescued, State/UT-wise; and

(f) the measures taken to evolve a permanent mechanism to deal with such calamities and thereby ensure safety of people and property in affected States?

Kisan Samman Pension

411. SHRI DINESH CHANDRA YADAV:
SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJI
KUNDARIYA:
SHRI KAUSHALENDRA KUMAR:
SHRI DIPSI SHANKARSINH RATHOD:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether farmers are categorised on the basis of their land holdings as marginal, small, medium and big by the Government, if so, number of farmers in each category, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government has formulated any pension scheme to improve quality of life of farmers especially small & marginal farmers (SMF), if so, the salient features of the pension scheme for SMF;

(c) the number of farmers identified / enrolled for the said pension scheme, district-wise in Gujarat;

(d) whether the Kisan Samman Pension Yojana is applicable to all categories of farmers;

(e) whether the Government schemes for the welfare of farmers are different for the above categories or all schemes implemented are uniformly applicable to all farmers, if so, the details thereof;

(f) whether the Government is considering provision of Kisan Samman Pension to all eligible farmers who have been left out of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) Yojana after a fresh survey; and

(g) if so, the time by which the Government proposes to provide pension to such farmers; and if not, the reasons therefor?

Funds and Employment under MGNREGS

412. MS. MIMI CHAKRABORTY:
SHRI MANNE SRINIVAS REDDY:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the funds released and utilized under the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) Projects during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise and on going projects till October, 2021;

(b) the number of rural areas covered and employment provided under this scheme during the said period, State-wise; and

(c) whether the Government is contemplating to provide more funds to States who have over-spent/utilised all the funds on MGNREGS and if so, the details thereof?

Pesticides and Bio-Fertilizers

413. SHRI ADHIKARI DEEPAK (DEV):
SHRI KANUMURU RAGHU RAMA
KRISHNA RAJU:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to promote the use of bio-fertilizers and pesticides in the agriculture, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the details of voluminous increase in using the bio-fertilizers and pesticides during the last three years;

(c) the course of action chalked out by the Government to augment the use of bio-fertilizers and pesticides in the country;

(d) the steps taken/being taken to curtail the use of chemicals and promote the use of bio-fertilizers;

(e) the details of steps taken by the Government to enable farmers to access bio-fertilizers and pesticides locally and easily; and

(f) whether the Government propose to stop use of chemical pesticides and if so, the steps to be taken in this regard?

Agitation on Farm Laws

414. SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH ALIAS LALAN SINGH:
SHRI T.N. PRATHAPAN:
SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN:
ADV. A.M. ARIFF:
SHRI ANTO ANTONY:
ADV. DEAN KURIAKOSE:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken steps to hold discussions with farmer organizations agitating against the three farm laws, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(b) whether the Government proposes to amend or nullify the farm acts and repeal the same, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government proposes to protect farmers' interests and implement support price for agricultural produce, if so, the details thereof;

(d) the number of cases registered against farmers in connection with the agitation;

(e) the data on the number of farmers who died during the agitations held in and around the National Capital; and

(f) whether the Government proposes to provide financial assistance to the kin of farmers who died during the said agitations, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

DDU-GKY in Gujarat

†415. SHRI NARANBHAI KACHHADIYA:
SHRI JASWANT SINGH BHABHOR:
SHRI PARBATBHAI SAVABHAI PATEL:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the objectives of Deendayal Upadhyaya Grameen Kaushal Yojana;

(b) the manner in which the Rural Self-Employment Training Institutes train the differently-abled persons so that they can become self-reliant; and

(c) the plan of the Government for the development of differently-abled persons living in rural and tribal areas of Gujarat?

Low Quality Seeds

†416. SHRI DEVJI M. PATEL:
SHRI PARBATBHAI SAVABHAI PATEL:
SHRI NARANBHAI KACHHADIYA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the farmers are forced to purchase certified and low quality seeds from market as a result of which they have to suffer losses afterwards;

(b) if so, whether the Government proposes to take concrete steps to make certified and high quality seeds available in the private market of the country including Gujarat; and

(c) if so, the time and the manner in which it is likely to be done and if not, the reasons therefor?

Oil Seed and Oil Palm Scheme

417. SHRIMATI SANGEETA KUMARI SINGH
DEO:
DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR:
SHRI VINOD KUMAR SONKAR:
SHRI RAJA AMARESHWARA NAIK:
SHRI BHOLA SINGH:
DR. JAYANTA KUMAR ROY:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has launched Oil Seed and Oil Palm Scheme under the National Food Security Mission (NFSM), if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether approval has been given to implement mini-kit distribution of rapeseed and mustard seeds in the country, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has approved 8,20,600 seed mini-kits, consisting of seeds of high yielding varieties of productivity of more than 20 quintals per hectare, for distribution in 343 identified districts of 15 States including Odisha and Uttar Pradesh;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the other steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

Improving Cold Storage Facilities

†418. SHRI BHOLANATH (B.P. SAROJ):
SHRI DILESHWAR KAMAIT:
SHRI UPENDRA SINGH RAWAT:
SHRI RAVNEET SINGH BITTU:
SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWAR:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the total wastage of agricultural produce due to lack of cold storage facilities in the last three years, State/UT-wise;

(b) whether the Government is considering a comprehensive programme to reduce wastage of crops due to shortage of storage while increasing the percentage contribution of Bihar in all-India cold storage;

(c) if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the Government proposes to ease the guidelines and provide assistance to persons and organizations desirous of setting up of cold storage facilities in the country; and

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(e) if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons therefor?

Implementation of PM-DAKSH

419. SHRI SELVAM G:
SHRI ANURAG SHARMA:
DR. AMOL RAMSING KOLHE:
SHRI GAUTHAM SIGAMANI PON:
SHRIMATI BHAVANA PUNDALIKRAO
GAWALI:
DR. DNV SENTHILKUMAR. S.:
DR. SUBHASH RAMRAO BHAMRE:
SHRI SUNIL DATTATRAY TATKARE:
SHRI DHANUSH M. KUMAR:
SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE:
SHRI C.N. ANNADURAI:
SHRI GAJANAN KIRTIKAR:
SHRI KULDEEP RAI SHARMA:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is implementing Pradhan Mantri Dakshta Aur Kushalta Sampann Hitgarhi (PM-DAKSH) yojana in the country, if so, the details thereof alongwith its aims and objectives;

(b) the amount of funds allocated by the Government under PM-DAKSH since its inception, State/UT-wise;

(c) whether the Government has launched awareness programme about the Yojana and if so, the details and the outcome thereof;

(d) whether the Government has recently launched PM-DAKSH portal and PM-DAKSH mobile app, if so, the details thereof;

(e) the details of number of trained candidates who benefited from the said yojana and are provided placement after assessment and certification, State/UT-wise including Maharashtra, Uttar Pradesh and Andaman and Nicobar islands;

(f) whether the Government has set any target to provide skill development to the target groups backward classes, scheduled castes (SCs) and Safai Karamcharis for self-employment, if so, the details thereof; and

(g) the other steps taken by the Government to make the skill development scheme to reach every marginalized, persons of SC, OBC, EBC, DNT, Sanitation workers in the country?

Welfare Scheme for the Youth in Madhya Pradesh

- †420. SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH PATEL:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the schemes being run for the welfare of the youths in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) whether the Government has any special scheme regarding sports and youth welfare for the small districts in Madhya Pradesh and if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the schemes being run with regard to youth welfare at Panchayat levels in rural areas; and

(d) the details of the special schemes being run at district level for the welfare of youth in Madhya Pradesh?

National Sports Awards

421. DR. AMOL RAMSING KOLHE:
DR. DNV SENTHILKUMAR. S.:
DR. SUBHASH RAMRAO BHAMRE:
SHRI SUNIL DATTATRAY TATKARE:
SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE:
SHRI KULDEEP RAI SHARMA:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the number of sportspersons who have been shortlisted and given Khel Ratna National Sports Awards for the year 2021 by the Selection Committee;

(b) the details of norms formulated/criteria fixed for selection of sportspersons for receiving National Sports Awards;

(c) whether the Government has also awarded special honours and cash award to sportspersons who have brought glory to the country;

(d) if so, the amount of cash award announced and given to sportspersons during each of the last three years and the current year;

(e) whether the Government is providing any assistance for livelihood to sportsperson after their retirement or at elderly age, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and

(f) the details of facilities provided to sports persons under Khelo India Programme during each of the last three years and the current year?

Setting -up of FPIs under PMKSY

422. SHRI JUAL ORAM:
SHRI RAHUL RAMESH SHEWALE:
SHRIMATI POONAM MAHAJAN:
SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU:
SHRI GIRISH BHALCHANDRA BAPAT:
DR. PRITAM GOPINATHRAO MUNDE:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has invited proposals from the States for setting up of food processing units/ industries under Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY) especially in Maharashtra and Odisha;

(b) if so, the details of proposals received so far from various State Governments and Entrepreneurs for setting up of food processing units;

(c) whether the Government had conducted any study in Maharashtra for setting up of FPIs, if so, the details thereof;

(d) if not, the steps taken for setting up of FPIs in Maharashtra along with efforts made to facilitate loans and grants to encourage food processing units in Maharashtra;

(e) whether the Union Government has approved the proposals under the scheme for Creation of Infrastructure for Agro-Processing clusters of PMKSY, if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(f) the details of the assistance provided to the Entrepreneurs for setting up of the food processing units during each of the last three years, particularly in Odisha, State-wise?

Cyber Crimes

423. MS. RAMYA HARIDAS:
DR. NISHIKANT DUBEY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that the cyber crimes in the country have increased in the past few years;

(b) if so, the number of cases reported during the last five years, State-wise;

(c) whether the Government has assessed the effects of increasing cyber crimes on the economic development of the country;

(d) whether the Union Government has taken any concrete steps to check such cyber crimes in the country; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Terror Attacks in Manipur

424. SHRI SANGANNA AMARAPPA:
SHRI L.S. TEJASVI SURYA:
SHRI PRATHAP SIMHA:
DR. UMESH G. JADHAV:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has taken any cognisance of the recent terror attacks in Manipur by heavily-armed insurgent groups and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government intelligence reveals any kind of involvement of foreign hand in the insurgent attacks in North-east of the country; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Promotion of Agro-forestry

†425. SHRI CHANDRA PRAKASH JOSHI:
SHRIMATI JASKAUR MEENA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the schemes being implemented by the Government to promote agro forestry in the country;

(b) the details of the States selected for agro forestry;

(c) the details of identified areas for their selection under these schemes including Rajasthan;

(d) the time by which this scheme is likely to be initiated along with the details thereof;

(e) the details of eligible farmers under such scheme;

(f) the details of the subsidies, concessions and facilities provided by the Government on agro forestry; and

(g) the details of the benefits of the agro forestry?

Sports Infrastructure

426. SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDY:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS

युवा कार्यक्रम और खेल मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the existing sports infrastructure in the country across all sports, State-wise, district-wise including Bihar;

(b) the details and the number of coaches available in the country, State-wise, district-wise and sport-wise including Bihar;

(c) whether the Government plans to expand and improve existing sports infrastructure under Khelo India and if so, the details thereof, State-wise including Bihar with the estimated cost sanctioned and timelines for completion of the projects;

(d) whether the Government proposes to expand the scope of sports infrastructure under Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) and if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the details of other steps taken by the Government to promote Khelo India initiatives at the rural and local level across the country particularly in the State of Bihar?

Caste-Based Census

427. SHRIMATI KANIMOZHI KARUNANIDHI:
SHRI MALOOK NAGAR:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

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be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has considered conducting a caste-based census in 2021-22;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government has formulated any scheme/policy for caste-based census in various States including Uttar Pradesh;

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(e) the number of caste communities identified across the country, State-wise; and

(f) whether the Government proposes to include more castes/communities in the Scheduled Castes category, if so, the details thereof?

Cases of Cyber Crime related to Financial Fraud

428. SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether a sharp increase has been reported in cyber crime related to financial frauds in the country;

(b) if so, the number of such cases reported during the last five years in the country, year-wise along with the type of frauds;

(c) the percentage of such cases and the action taken against the culprits;

(d) the measures and mechanism being adopted by the Government to curb such cases; and

(e) the details and number of fake and fraud call centres which were busted during the said period?

Implementation of Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY)

429. DR. HEENA GAVIT:
SHRI UNMESH BHAIYYASAHEB PATIL:
DR. SUJAY RADHAKRISHNA VIKHE PATIL:
SHRI DHAIRYASHEEL SAMBHAJIRAO
MANE:
DR. SHRIKANT EKNATH SHINDE:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of increase in fish production after the implementation of the Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY) in line with the objectives of the scheme, State-wise;

(b) the details of employment generated by way of implementation of the scheme as on date, State-wise;

(c) the number of fishermen and fish farmers whose incomes have doubled in line with the scheme objectives and the details thereof, State-wise;

(d) the details of potential growth clusters identified for development under the scheme, State-wise, and the criteria employed for such identification;

(e) the details of steps taken to create robust fisheries management and regulatory framework in line with the scheme objectives; and

(f) the monitoring mechanism to keep a check on whether the ambitious goals of the scheme are being met or not?

Natural Calamities in Uttarakhand

430. SHRI SANJAY SADASHIVRAO MANDLIK:
SHRI SUBRAT PATHAK:
SHRI RAVINDRA KUSHWAHA:
SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:
SHRI SUDHEER GUPTA:
SHRI SHRIRANG APPA BARNE:
SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that Uttarakhand and other parts of the country recorded high rainfall in the month of October, 2021;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons for the same;

(c) the details of the total number of casualties of tourists and locals due of this untimely rain and flood;

(d) whether the Government has sent any team to the rain-ravaged areas of these States to assess the damage caused due to incessant rain and if so, the details and the findings of the team;

(e) whether the Government has declared any financial assistance to the kith and kin of locals and visiting tourists who lost their life and property in the flood; and

(f) whether the Government has announced any financial package for the State to counter the damage done due to rain and flood and if so, the details thereof?

e-Governance of Panchayats

431. SHRI RAVI KISHAN:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the extent of implementation of e-governance in the Panchayats across the country, at present;

(b) whether the Government has provided financial assistance to the States for the purpose and if so, the details thereof for the last three years and the current year along with the utilisation thereof;

(c) whether power shortage in rural areas is a major hindrance in the proper working of e-governance of panchayats;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the other alternative measures adopted or are likely to be adopted by the Government to overcome the problem of power shortage in this regard?

Modernization of Agriculture

432. SHRIMATI RAKSHA NIKHIL KHADSE:
SHRI MANOJ KOTAK:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes and aims to modernize agriculture and empower marginal farmers;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether agricultural exports have set a record in recent years;

(d) if so, the details of the agricultural exports during the last five years; and

(e) the details of the agricultural commodities which are in demand in the international market?

Naxal Encounter in Maharashtra

433. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA VISWANATH:
SHRI KOTHA PRABHAKAR REDDY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether Naxals were killed in an encounter in Gadchiroli district, Maharashtra recently, if so, the details thereof during the last five years and the current year, till date and the reasons therefor, State wise;

(b) the number of naxals/police killed, injured in such encounters State-wise;

(c) the number of fake encounters reported/along with the action taken thereon; and

(d) the corrective steps being taken by the Government to stop such fake encounters?

Exclusive Reservation for OBCs

434. SHRI D.M. KATHIR ANAND:
DR. T. SUMATHY (a) THAMIZHACHI
THANGAPANDIAN:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

सामाजिक न्याय और अधिकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a demand for implementation of exclusive reservation for OBCs in both education and employment and in every Government organisation;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the effective steps taken by the Government to ensure social justice for the OBCs and economically, socially backward communities in the country?

Job Card Holders under MGNREGS

435. SHRI MANNE SRINIVAS REDDY:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any details of the job card holders under the MGNREGS and wages fixed to them, State/UT-wise and gender-wise;

(b) whether it is a fact that many workers are being paid less/not being paid fully in some States;

(c) if so, the details of such cases reported so far and the action taken so far; and

(d) the details of the funds released under this scheme during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise along with the steps being taken to pay the wages to card holders timely?

Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme

436. SHRI KANUMURU RAGHU RAMA
KRISHNA RAJU:
SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the attention of the Government is drawn to the Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme aimed at promotion of Entrepreneurship Development and Employment Generation Programme for development of animal husbandry and dairy industry in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of entrepreneurs who availed the opportunities in the last three years particularly in Andhra Pradesh;

(d) the quantum of financial assistance being given under this scheme and the details thereof; and

(e) the status of the programme as on date?

FAME India Scheme

437. SHRI P.P. CHAUDHARY:
SHRI MAHENDRA SINGH SOLANKY:
DR. KRISHNA PAL SINGH YADAV:
SHRIMATI SANDHYA RAY:
SHRI SANGAM LAL GUPTA:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES

भारी उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had assessed the progress and impact made by the Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of Hybrid & Electric Vehicles in India (FAME-India) Scheme in Phase 1;

(b) if so, the findings of the same;

(c) the rationale behind extension of Phase two of FAME Scheme by two years, till 31st March 2024;

(d) whether the COVID-19 pandemic had hampered the implementation of the scheme by lowering the demand for electric vehicles; and

(e) if so, the proposed new targets set by the Government and incentives provided for the same?

Implementation of CAA and NRC

438. SHRI HIBI EDEN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons who have applied for Indian citizenship during the last five years, year-wise and country-wise;

(b) the number of persons who have been granted Indian citizenship during the said period, year-wise;

(c) whether the Government has any data showing the number of Indians currently living in foreign countries, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) the number of Indians who gave up Indian citizenship for the citizenship of another country during the said period, year-wise; and

(e) whether the Government is considering the implementation of Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA) and National Register of Citizens (NRC), if so, the progress made in this regard and the details thereof?

Rural Development Work under Corporate Social Responsibility

439. SHRI HEMANT TUKARAM GODSE:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether many new initiatives have been taken for the inclusive development in rural areas of the country under Corporate Social Responsibility during the last three years, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the details of expenditure incurred and work executed on rural development under Corporate Social Responsibility during each of the last three years; and

(c) whether any study on appraisal of work under Corporate Social Responsibility has been undertaken?

Employment Opportunities in FAME India Scheme

440. SHRI G.M. SIDDESHWAR:

Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES

भारी उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the Faster Adoption and Manufacturing of (Hybrid &) Electric vehicles (FAME) India scheme;

(b) the recent achievements of this scheme; and

(c) the total number of employment opportunities created under this scheme?

Study on Impact of Oil Palm Cultivation

441. SHRI DUSHYANT SINGH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has conducted any scientific study to assess the impact on biodiversity and water availability in North-Eastern States, Andaman and Nicobar Islands and other parts of the country by proposed palm oil plantations before approving for National Mission on Edible Oils-Oil Palm;

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, whether any such study will be conducted in the future;

(c) the details of the average annual precipitation required for cultivation of palm oil plantations in the country and average recorded annual precipitation for the last five years, State-wise; and

(d) whether the Government has any intention to provide MSP in future for Fresh Fruit Bunches (FFBs) produced from palm oil plantations by farmers apart from Viability Price, if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons therefor?

Road Connectivity Project for Left Wing Extremism Affected Area

†442. SHRI ARUN SAO:

SHRI VIJAY BAGHEL:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the funds allocated for the selected States under Road Connectivity Project for Left Wing Extremism Affected Areas (RCPLWEA) since the launch of the above scheme along with the State-wise and year-wise details thereof;

(b) the details of the roads and the names of the places which are to be connected under this scheme in the state of Chhattisgarh;

†Original notice of the question received in Hindi.

(c) the details of the work that has been completed under the said scheme particularly in the state of Chhattisgarh along with the details of pending work; and

(d) the reasons of pendency along with the details thereof?

Multi Cooperative Societies Act

443. SHRI MANICKAM TAGORE B.:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION

सहकारिता मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is considering bringing amendments to the Multi State Cooperative Societies Act;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government is planning to bring in a new policy for cooperatives, if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Government is also considering amendments to the laws that govern the Primary Agricultural Credit Societies; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Funds under Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan

444. SHRI MAHESH SAHOO:

SHRI ABDUL KHALEQUE:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has transferred any funds under the Rashtriya Gram Swaraj Abhiyan during the year 2020-21 ;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and

(c) whether the Government has issued guidelines for the release and utilisation of grants to the Gram Panchayats and local bodies under the 14th Finance Commission Award for Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP)?

Kisan Credit Card to Fishermen

445. ADV. ADOOR PRAKASH:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is planning to extend the facility of Kisan Credit Card to all fishermen in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the plan prepared for the same;

(c) whether the Government is aware that fishermen are the most vulnerable section in the country to climate change and huge employment loss; and

(d) if so, whether the Government will also consider a job guarantee scheme for fishermen for ensuring minimum employment in a year?

Strengthening Agriculture Produce Market Infrastructure

†446. SHRI DULAL CHAND GOSWAMI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is formulating any action plan to strengthen the infrastructure of agriculture produce market;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the agriculture infrastructure fund is being used to strengthen the Agriculture Produce Market Committee (APMC), if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Grants to Uttar Pradesh

†447. SHRI RAJESH VERMA:

Will the Minister of PANCHAYATI RAJ

पंचायती राज मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the grants issued to the State Government of Uttar Pradesh under different schemes of Panchayati Raj during the last three years;

(b) the details of the amount of awards given to selected Panchayats of the State of Uttar Pradesh for promotion of good work under National Panchayat Award; and

(c) the details of the number of Panchayats selected for their good work in the State of Uttar Pradesh, district-wise?

Rural Investment and Employment Generation through SPM Rurban Mission

448. SHRI BALASHOWRY VALLABHANENI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of rural investment and employment that has been generated through Shyama Prasad Mukherji Rurban Mission in rural areas;

(b) the details of projects undertaken through Shyama Prasad Mukherji Rurban Mission in Chandarlapadu rurban cluster in Krishna District; and

(c) the details of the procedure to incorporate new projects in existing rural clusters?

PMFME

449. SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA:
MS. DEBASREE CHAUDHURI:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the number of individual beneficiaries, Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs), Self Help Groups (SHGs) and producer cooperatives that have accessed the PM Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises (PMFME) Scheme since its launch for capital investment, the details thereof, State-wise;

(b) the percentage of beneficiaries in the rural and urban areas out of those who have availed the scheme;

(c) the number of skill training workshops / sessions which have been conducted under the scheme till date; and

(d) the products which have been identified for the various districts under the One District One Product (ODOP) approach of the scheme, district-wise?

Collaboration for Digital Transactions under eNAM

450. DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR:
SHRI VINOD KUMAR SONKAR:
SHRIMATI SANGEETA KUMARI SINGH
DEO:
SHRI RAJA AMARESHWARA NAIK:
SHRI BHOLA SINGH:
DR. JAYANTA KUMAR ROY:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has collaborated with a private bank for National Agriculture Market (eNAM) to enable digital collections and settlement of funds to various eNAM beneficiaries in the country, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the number of registered farmers and traders on eNAM and who have benefitted from the digital marketplace;

(c) the total value of agri-produce traded on eNAM so far since its inception;

(d) the achievements made by the Small Farmers Agri-Business Consortium (SFAC) set up as the nodal implementing agency by the Ministry since its inception;

(e) whether the SFAC is implementing Central Sector Scheme (CSS) on "Formation & Promotion of 10000 FPOs" across the country, if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the other steps being taken by the Government for development of agriculture and welfare of farmers in Bolangir constituency of Odisha?

Incentive under PMGSY

451. SHRI PINAKI MISRA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of roads constructed under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) during each of the last three years, State/UT-wise, including in Odisha;

(b) the criteria for setting road construction targets;

(c) the details of financial incentives given to best performing States, particularly with regard to maintenance of roads;

(d) the criteria for determining the best performing States; and

(e) the status of implementation of the Electronic Maintenance of PMGSY roads (eMARG) initiative, and the details thereof?

Growth in Rural Wages

452. SHRI SAPTAGIRI SANKAR ULAKA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the growth in rural wages, after adjusting for inflation since January, 2014, month-wise;

(b) whether the Government is of the opinion that current rural wage rates are adequate enough to maintain a rural household;

(c) if so, the reasons thereto; and

(d) if not, the measures being taken by the Government to increase rural wages?

Killing of Civilians and Jawans by Terrorists

453. SHRI VIJAYAKUMAR (ALIAS) VIJAY
VASANTH:
SHRI THIRUNAVUKKARASAR SU:
SHRI PARTHIBAN S.R.:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware of the recent incidents of killing of civilians, non-Kashmiris, minority community people and jawans in Srinagar by the terrorists as also the naxal ambush in Manipur;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of defence / police personnel, civilians killed/injured in the incidents;

(c) whether any steps are being taken by the Government to protect the common man from anti-terror / naxal operations;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Welfare Schemes for Crop Damage

†454. SHRI MITESH RAMESHBHAI PATEL
(BAKABHAI):

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware that farmers suffer losses before and after harvest of crops due to various reasons including natural calamities;

(b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years, State-wise;

(c) the details of welfare schemes to deal with the same; and

(d) the total number of affected farmers benefitted from these welfare schemes, State/district-wise?

Maoist Violence

455. SHRI RAVNEET SINGH BITTU:
SHRI BHOLANATH (B.P. SAROJ):

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government has recently held a meeting with the Chief Ministers of Maoist-hit States in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the details of the total number of incidents and deaths in the country due to Maoist related violence during the last three years, State/UT-wise;

(d) whether the Government has formulated any comprehensive strategy to completely eradicate Maoist-related violence in the country; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

Deployment of Police during VIP Movement

†456. SHRI RAHUL KASWAN:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS

गृह मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the guidelines for closure of roads and deployment of police personnel during the movement of VIPs in Delhi;

(b) whether there is a provision in the law to ask pedestrians to step off the footpath or stop and if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor; and

(c) the details of the steps taken by the Government to increase hassle-free security measures for VIPs?

Doubling of Farmers Income

457. DR. KALANIDHI VEERASWAMY:
SHRI KANUMURU RAGHU RAMA
KRISHNA RAJU:
ADV. ADOOR PRAKASH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the present status of the Government's plan to double farmers' income by 2022 including details of the target set and achievements made so far;

(b) whether the Government has conducted any annual survey to measure farm and farmers' income within the country, if so, the details thereof including the last survey of farmers' income;

(c) whether the committee formed on doubling farmers income has submitted its report and if so, the details thereof;

(d) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to overcome the challenges of low agricultural remuneration, impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on agriculture and rising prices of agricultural inputs including diesel which may hinder the Government's plan to double farmers income; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government with regard to increasing the role of exports in doubling the farmers' income?

Workers under MGNREGS

458. SHRI PRADYUT BORDOLOI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT

ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any data on the number of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) new job cards issued between 2014 and 2021, if so, the details thereof, State-wise and year-wise;

(b) whether the Government has data on the total number of active job cards issued and total number of active workers between 2019-2021, if so details thereof, year-wise;

(c) whether there is a gap between the total number of active job cards issued and active workers, if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) the reasons for persistent delays in clearing the payments to workers long after they have performed the

labour and who are entitled to their pay owing to a funds crunch later in the fiscal year; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government to ensure that workers are paid their MNREGS wages on time?

Shortage of Onion Seeds

†459. SHRI BALAK NATH:
SHRI SUMEDHANAND SARASWATI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a shortage of onion seeds in the country;

(b) if so, whether the Government has decided not to export onion seeds;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor and if not, the details of the steps taken by the Government in this regard; and

(d) whether the Government provides subsidy for constructing storage facility for onions, and if so the details thereof?

Coverage of PMFBY

460. SHRI ANUMULA REVANTH REDDY:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

be pleased to state:

(a) the details of percentage and number of farmers covered under crop insurance before and after the inception of Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY);

(b) the details of the number of farmers covered under PMFBY, State-wise and year-wise;

(c) whether there is any plan to increase the number of farmers covered under PMFBY;

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor;

(e) the details of premium collected, claims received and claims settled under PMFBY since the inception of the scheme, State-wise and year-wise;

(f) whether insurance companies have not made payments to farmers in Telangana against the claims made under PMFBY; and

(g) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken so far by the Government in this regard?

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