GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3012

TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.12.2016

COMPENSATION PAID FOR DELAYED PAYMENTS TO MGNREGA WORKERS

3012. DR. SANJAY SINH:

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether, in case of delay for more than 15 days in payment of wages to MGNREGA workers, a compensation at the rate of 0.05 per cent per day for the delay period is payable;
- (b) if so, the names of such States, including Uttar Pradesh and Assam, which have not paid the compensation for the delayed period, violating the rules during the last two years and the current year; and
- (c) the action taken against such States?

ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a) to (c): All cases of delayed payment attract compensation @ 0.05% per day of delay, which is automatically calculated and to be paid by the State Governments. As per the Management Information System (MIS), State/UT-wise details of delayed compensation paid to MGNREGA workers during the last two years and the current year (as on 30.11.2016) are given in **Annexure.** The States/UTs have been advised to pay delayed compensation to workers who have not provided dues in time.

Annexure referred in reply to parts (a)to(c) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3012 dated 12.12.2016.

Status of Payment of Compensation for delay in wage payment (2014-15 to 2016-17) as on 30th November 2016

SI.No	Name of the State	Amount in Rs. Lakh				
		2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	Total	
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	0.00	47.11	0.00	47.11	
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0.57	467.82	4.85	473.25	
3	ASSAM	0.00	0.0000	0.0126	0.01	
4	BIHAR	0.00	0.12	3.06	3.17	
5	CHHATTISGARH	0.00	13.74	0.00	13.75	
6	GOA	0.00	2.32	0.11	2.43	
7	GUJARAT	0.00	0.2015	1.2151	1.42	
8	HARYANA	0.00	0.47	1.62	2.09	
9	HIMACHAL PRADESH	0.00	1.87	3.45	5.33	
10	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
11	JHARKHAND	10.86	120.39	43.99	175.25	
12	KARNATAKA	0.96	1.74	30.63	33.33	
13	KERALA	0.00	2.05	1.60	3.65	
14	MADHYA PRADESH	1.62	58.60	30.05	90.27	
15	MAHARASHTRA	716.47	530.04	262.19	1508.70	
16	MANIPUR	0.00	1.39	0.21	1.60	
17	MEGHALAYA	0.00	101.76	0.00	101.76	
18	MIZORAM	0.00	32.78598	0.00000	32.79	
19	NAGALAND	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
20	ODISHA	0.42	9.24	3.37	13.03	
21	PUNJAB	2.26	129.8814	39.2748	171.41	
22	RAJASTHAN	1.38	18.98	6.76	27.11	
23	SIKKIM	0.00	6.87	0.06	6.93	
24	TAMIL NADU	0.00	9.11	374.84	383.95	
25	TELANGANA	0.00	396.23	1.68	397.92	
26	TRIPURA	0.00	0.43	4.17	4.61	
27	UTTAR PRADESH	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
28	UTTARAKHAND	0.02	22.84	9.21	32.06	
29	WEST BENGAL	4.79	7.03	0.36	12.17	
30	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
32	PUDUCHERRY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
	Total	739.34	1983.04	822.71	3545.09	

NR=Not Reported