GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 427
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.09.2020

INCREASE JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN AGRICULTURE AND TOURISM SECTOR IN BIHAR

427. SHRI SATISH CHANDRA DUBEY:

Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has decided to encourage strategically labour intensive manufacturing, agriculture and tourism sectors and to increase job opportunities in industries based thereon;
(b) if so, the details thereof; and
(c) the State-wise scheme to establish/encourage agriculture and tourism based industries in current year and in next three years and the number of persons proposed to be employed in these sectors in Bihar, district-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c): National Manufacturing Policy notified by Ministry of Commerce and Industry in 2011 identifies employment intensive industries like textiles and garments, leather and footwear, gems and jewellery and food processing, etc. as special focus attention sectors. The policy provides special attention for Small Scale Industries as they offer employment opportunities both for self-employment and jobs across diverse geographies.

The list of Agri Tourism Projects under Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) of Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare to the extent available is annexed.

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Annexure

Annexure in reply to part (a) to (c) of Rajya Sabha Un-Starred Question No. 427 for 16.09.2020

List of Agri Tourism Projects under Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) of Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare

Sl No	Name of the State	Name of the Project	Amount (in crore)	Year
1.	Odisha	Establishment of Model Agri-tourism Centre at Krishi Vigyan Kendras(KVK), Mayurbhanj-II, Jashipur.	2.500	2018-19
2.	Rajasthan	RAJHANS Centre for floriculture, landscaping, ornamental horticulture and agro-tourism in Mount Abu, Sirohi	10.00	2018-19

Note: based on the data entered by the concerned State Govt on RKVY portal.

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