GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1459
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 15TH MARCH, 2022

Information regarding PMBJP

1459 # Shri Neeraj Dangi:

Will the Minister of **Chemicals and Fertilizers** be pleased to state:

(a) the current status of Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana and the details of the action plan for its expansion in the future;
(b) the number of PM Janaushadhi centres which are functioning properly in the country particularly in Rajasthan; and
(c) the details of the drugs to be sold under this scheme?

ANSWER

MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
(DR. MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)

(a): Under the Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana (PMBJP) being implemented by the Pharmaceuticals & Medical Devices Bureau of India (PMBI) under the aegis of the Department of Pharmaceuticals about 8,689 Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Kendras (PMBJKs) have been opened as on 28th February, 2022 covering all the districts in the country. The Government has fixed the target of opening 10, 500 PMBJP Kendras by March 2025.

(b): Out of 8,689 PMBJKs, about 143 PMBJKs have been opened in the State of Rajasthan.

(c): The product basket presently comprises of 1,616 medicines and 250 surgical items covering all major therapeutic groups such as Cardiovascular, Anti-cancers, Anti-diabetics, Anti-infectives, Anti-allergic, Gastro-intestinal medicines, Nutraceuticals, etc.

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