

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1921
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 23/12/2022

ASSISTANCE TO MANDIS UNDER E-NAM

1921. DR. SANTANU SEN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total budget allotted and utilised on the opening and maintenance of Agricultural Produce Market Committees (APMCs) in the country during last five years, year-wise and State-wise;
- (b) the number of APMCs linked to e-NAM Portal across the country;
- (c) the number of people who have accessed and gained help via this portal, the details thereof; and
- (d) the number of mandis across the country that got benefit of free software and ₹30 lakh per mandis assistance under e-NAM out of the total mandis, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

- (a): Agricultural Marketing is in the domain of State Governments and wholesale agricultural marketing is undertaken by the network of regulated wholesale markets, set up under the provision of respective State Agricultural Produce Market Committee (APMC) Act. The opening and maintenance of Agricultural Produce Market Committees (APMCs) in the country is done by the respective State Governments.
- (b): As on 30th November, 2022, 1260 mandis of 22 States and 03 Union Territories (UTs) have been integrated with National Agriculture Market (e-NAM) platform.
- (c): As on 30th November, 2022, 1.74 crore farmers, 2.37 Lakh traders, 1.07 Lakh commission agents and more than 2300 Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) have been registered on e-NAM platform.
- (d): As on 30th November, 2022, 1260 mandis across the country got the benefit of free software under e-NAM scheme. Further, a total of 993 number of mandis have got assistance of Rs. 30 Lakh per mandi under e-NAM scheme.
