

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.397
TO BE ANSWERED ON 9TH DECEMBER 2022

**BENEFICIARIES OF PRADHAN MANTRI GARIB KALYAN
ANNA YOJANA IN KERALA**

397 SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

the number of people who have received free ration under Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana (PMGKAY) in Kerala, the details thereof, district-wise?

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**MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)**

Under the Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Anna Yojana (PM-GKAY), the Department has allocated foodgrains to all States/UTs, including Kerala, for additional free-of-cost distribution of foodgrains to around 80 Crore National Food Security Act (NFSA) beneficiaries in the country. District-wise details of PMGKAY in the State of Kerala is **Annexed**.

Annexure

ANNEXUE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.397 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 09.12.2022 IN THE RAJYA SABHA REG. BENEFICIARIES OF PRADHAN MANTRI GARIB KALYAN ANNA YOJANA IN KERALA

**District-wise Details of PM-GKAY in the State of Kerala in the
Month of October 2022**

S. No.	District	No. of Ration Cards (AAY+Priority) who have availed foodgrains under PMGKAY Scheme.	Total No. of beneficiaries (AAY+Priority)
1.	Thiruvananthapuram	464,622	1,678,360
2.	Kollam	324,935	1,288,118
3.	Pathanamthitta	107,686	484,889
4.	Alappuzha	277,963	1,130,029
5.	Kottayam	189,000	789,406
6.	Idukki	145,150	560,589
7.	Ernakulam	275,948	1,101,076
8.	Thrissuur	339,677	1,337,868
9.	Palallkkad	375,761	1,500,814
10.	Malappuram	431,123	2,047,328
11.	Kozhikkodu	333,321	1,375,075
12.	Wayanad	116,815	450,715
13.	Kannur	212,477	888,049
14.	Kasargodu	136,402	596,202
Total		3,730,880	15,228,518
