

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH & EDUCATION

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1952
ANSWERED ON- 17/03/2023

FUNDS TO PUNJAB UNDER PDDUUKSY

1952 **SHRI VIKRAMJIT SINGH SAHNEY:**

Will the Minister of *Agriculture and Farmers Welfare* be pleased to state:

- (a) the funds allocated and utilized under Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyay Unnat Krishi Shiksha Yojana (PDDUUKSY) in last five years, year-wise, State-wise, district-wise for Punjab;
- (b) the funds allocated and utilized under Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) in last five years, year-wise and State-wise;
- (c) the details of training programmes organized for the awareness of farmers in last five years, year-wise, State-wise, district-wise for Punjab; and
- (d) the number of beneficiaries, especially women, under PDDUUKSY in last five years, year-wise, State-wise, district-wise for Punjab?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (c): Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyay Unnat Krishi Shiksha Yojana (PDDUUKSY) was launched in 2016-2017 to develop human resource in organic farming, natural farming and cow based economy for environmental sustenance and Soil health. It was functional upto the year 2018.

The total budget allocation of Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) under PDDUUKSY was Rs.5.00 Crore to conduct 05 trainings each @Rs.1.00 lakh per training in 100 centers across the Country for the years 2017 and 2018. A total of 108 training programmes were conducted at a cost of Rs.1.08 Crore. The details of State-wise allocations and expenditure is attached as **Annexure- I**.

An amount of Rs.30.00 lakh was released to Punjab during 2017-18. Out of this, an amount of Rs.1.00 lakh was utilized for one training programme conducted in Ludhiana District, Punjab under the Scheme.

(d): More than 5268 farmers had been trained in Organic farming/Natural Farming/Cow Based Economy etc. under the Scheme PDDUUKSY. No woman specific training programme was conducted in the state of Punjab during the period.

Annexure- I

[To part (a) to (c) of Rajya Sabha USQ no. 1952 answered on- 17/03/2023]

Number of training programmes organized under Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyay Unnat Krishi Shiksha Yojana (PDDUUKSY)

(Rs. in Lakh)

S. No.	Name of State/UT	Number of trainings organized	Allocation (No. of trainings (05)*1.00lakh*No. of Centre)	Expenditure
1.	Andhra Pradesh	01	10.00	1.00
2.	Assam	06	15.00	6.00
3.	Bihar	08	65.00	8.00
4.	Chhattisgarh	01	0.00	1.00
5.	Delhi	01	5.00	1.00
6.	Gujarat	02	20.00	2.00
7.	Haryana	02	10.00	2.00
8.	Himachal Pradesh	01	5.00	1.00
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	01	5.00	1.00
10.	Jharkhand	05	5.00	5.00
11.	Karnataka	07	25.00	7.00
12.	Kerala	00	10.00	0.00
13.	Madhya Pradesh	04	35.00	4.00
14.	Maharashtra	20	35.00	20.00
15.	Manipur	01	5.00	1.00
16.	Mizoram	00	5.00	0.00
17.	Meghalaya	00	5.00	0.00
18.	Nagaland	06	5.00	6.00
19.	Odisha	01	15.00	1.00
20.	Port Blair	06	5.00	6.00
21.	Punjab	01	30.00	1.00
22.	Rajasthan	09	25.00	9.00
23.	Sikkim	06	5.00	6.00
24.	Tamil Nadu	01	5.00	1.00
25.	Telangana	06	5.00	6.00
26.	Tripura	00	5.00	0.00
27.	Uttar Pradesh	10	115.00	10.00
28.	Uttarakhand	02	20.00	2.00
29.	West Bengal	00	5.00	0.00
Total		108	500.00	108.00