GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 86 TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.02.2023

PENSION SCHEME FOR AGRICULTURAL WORKERS

86. DR. V. SIVADASAN:

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

- (a) whether Government provides any pension scheme exclusively for agricultural workers; and
- (b) the States that have started pension schemes for agricultural workers, the details thereof including the names of States, the date on which the scheme has been started and the monthly amount of pension guaranteed?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a) & (b): In order to provide old age protection, the Government of India launched Pradhan Mantri Kisan Maan-Dhan Yojana (PM-KMY) and Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maan-Dhan (PM-SYM) pension scheme for the workers of unorganized sector including agricultural workers both small and marginal farmers to provide minimum monthly pension of Rs. 3000/- after attaining the age of 60 years.

The detailed information on pension schemes formed by the State Governments for labourers/workers is maintained by the respective State Governments.
