

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1685
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.08.2023**

**PRADHAN MANTRI SHRAM YOGI MAAN-DHAN PENSION SCHEME IN
TELANGANA**

1685. SHRI RAVICHANDRA VADDIRAJU:

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

- (a) the salient features of Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maan-Dhan Pension Scheme;**
- (b) the number of beneficiaries of the said scheme in the State of Telangana, district-wise; and**
- (c) the details of challenges faced by beneficiaries during digital enrolment, if any?**

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): In order to provide old age protection to unorganised sector workers, the Government of India had launched a pension scheme in 2019 namely Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maan-dhan Yojana (PM-SYM) to provide a monthly pension of Rs. 3000/- after attaining the age of 60 years to unorganized workers. The workers in the age group of 18-40 years whose monthly income is Rs. 15000/- or less and not a member of Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO)/ Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC)/ National Pension System (NPS) (Govt. Funded) can join the scheme. Under the scheme, 50% of monthly contribution varies between Rs. 55/- to Rs. 200/- depending upon the entry age is payable by the beneficiary and equal matching contribution is paid by the Central Government. The Life Insurance Corporation of India is the fund manager of the scheme.

The number of beneficiaries of the said scheme in the State of Telangana, district-wise is at Annexure.

The challenges faced by the beneficiaries during enrolment are:

- Holistic Pension Market: Multiple pension schemes are available in market**
- Long-term financial commitment required by the beneficiaries**
- Limited Facilities and Poor Coverage in difficult areas and terrain**
- Initial goof-ups in auto-debit**
- Physical Offices not available for customers.**

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ANNEXURE REFERRED TO REPLY TO PART (a) TO (c) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO 1685 FOR 03.08.2023 REGARDING “PRADHAN MANTRI SHRAM YOGI MAAN-DHAN PENSION SCHEME IN TELANGANA” RAISED BY SHRI RAVICHANDRA VADDIRAJU.

S. No.	District	Registration
1	SANGAREDDY	4237
2	KHAMMAM	3134
3	NIZAMABAD	2835
4	YADADRI BHUVANAGIRI	2755
5	NAGARKURNOOL	2137
6	JAGITIAL	1988
7	WARANGAL	1838
8	RANGA REDDY	1836
9	KARIMNAGAR	1750
10	BHADRADRI KOTHAGUDEM	1747
11	MAHABUBNAGAR	1687
12	NALGONDA	1461
13	ADILABAD	1337
14	PEDDAPALLI	1173
15	MEDAK	1101
16	HYDERABAD	1050
17	MANCHERIAL	1049
18	MAHABUBABAD	1048
19	SURYAPET	928
20	VIKARABAD	876
21	KUMURAM BHEEM ASIFABAD	765
22	RAJANNA SIRCILLA	679
23	SIDDIPET	668
24	MEDCHAL MALKAJGIRI	648
25	NIRMAL	625
26	HANUMAKONDA	607
27	JAYASHANKAR BHUPALAPALLY	600
28	JANGOAN	593
29	KAMAREDDY	423
30	WANAPARTHY	384
31	JOGULAMBA GADWAL	147
32	NARAYANPET	40
33	MULUGU	14
