GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COOPERATION

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1770 ANSWERED ON 07.08.2024

National Co-operative Database

1770 SHRI SANJEEV ARORA:

Will the Minister of COOPERATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government plans to collect data for the National Cooperative Database; and

(b) whether Government will utilize the National Cooperative Database to benefit Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (PCAS), Urban Co-operative Banks (UCB), State Cooperative Banks (StCB), District Central Cooperative Banks (DCCB), Co-operative sugar mills, district unions, and Multi-state Co-operative societies (MSCS) etc, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF COOPERATION (SHRI AMIT SHAH)

(a): The data of all the cooperatives in the country is being collected through the National Cooperative Database web based portal (https://cooperatives.gov.in). The data is being entered/updated at the District Registrar Offices under the supervision of District Nodal officers. The data entered/updated by the DEOs is duly verified and certified by the District Nodal Officers.

(b): The National Cooperative Database is a single point access to information on more than 8 lakh cooperatives across India. It helps in identifying gaps in geographical distribution of cooperatives and establishing upward & backward linkages of cooperative societies working at different levels. It facilitates the government in making data-driven decisions, develop policies & distribute resources effectively, thereby contributing to the overall improvement of cooperative landscape of the country.
