

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2018
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.12.2024**

CSS SCHEMES IMPLEMENTED IN PUDUCHERRY

2018. SHRI S. SELVAGANABATHY:

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

- (a) the details of Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) being implemented by the Ministry in the State of Puducherry during the last five years and the current year, scheme-wise;**
- (b) the details of amount sanctioned, approved, released and spent on each of the above schemes during the said period in Puducherry;**
- (c) the details of physical targets set and achieved during the said period; and**
- (d) whether any target has not been achieved and, if so, the reasons therefor?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)**

(a) to (d): The schemes of Ministry of Labour and Employment are Central Sector schemes. Some of the major welfare schemes being implemented by the Ministry including in the Union Territory of Puducherry are: Aatmanirbhar Bharat Rojgar Yojana (ABRY); National Career Service (NCS), National Career Service Centers (NCSC) for SC/ST and NCSC for Differently Abled; Employees' Pension Scheme (EPS), 1995 implemented through Employees Provident Fund Organization (EPFO); Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maandhan (PMSYM), Rehabilitation of Bonded Labourers and health services through Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC). The details are annexed.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (d) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2018 FOR 12.12.2024 REGARDING “CSS SCHEMES IMPLEMENTED IN PUDUCHERRY”.

1. PRADHAN MANTRI SHRAM YOGI MAANDHAN (PM-SYM) PENSION SCHEME:

Year	Expenditure (Rs. in Crore) (All India)
2020-21	319.71
2021-22	324.23
2022-23	269.91
2023-24	162.51
2024-25 (as on 20.11.2024)	95.18

As on 8.12.2024, more than 50 lakh beneficiaries have been enrolled on Maandhan portal under PMSYM scheme including 6806 beneficiaries in Puducherry.

2. National Career Service (NCS): Aspirants registered under NCS as on 15th November, 2024 are 3,70,18,111, out of which 97,102 are in Puducherry.

3. Aatmanirbhar Bharat Rojgar Yojana (ABRY):

Year	Amount Disbursed (Rs. in Crore) (All India)
2020-21	351.08
2021-22	4046.44
2022-23	4593.08
2023-24	1197.89

As on 31.03.2024, total beneficiaries are 60.49 lakh, out of which 14,746 beneficiaries are in Puducherry.

4. Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC): Under the ESIC Scheme, in the UT of Puducherry, there is one ESIS Hospital and 15 dispensaries. There are 1,16,080 Insured Persons (IPs)/Family Units in Puducherry.

5. Rehabilitation of Bonded Labour Scheme: This scheme is demand driven where funds are provided to States / UTs on receipt of proposals from them. In the year 2023-24, the amount released to the Puducherry for rehabilitation of bonded labourers is Rs. 15 lakhs.
