

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 110
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.02.2025

SUPPORT TO MSMEs SECTOR

110. SHRI M. SHANMUGAM:
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Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has conducted any survey of the closed Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs), if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of the employment generated by the MSMEs, particularly in Tamil Nadu, State/district-wise;
- (c) the steps taken by Government to strengthen, extend financial support, revive and reconstruct closed MSMEs, during the last five years;
- (d) whether Government has initiated any discussion/dialogue with MSMEs representatives regarding the difficulties being faced by them particularly while dealing with the financial institutions; and
- (e) if so, the details of the steps taken by Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES
(SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

- (a): No survey has been conducted for closed MSMEs. However, as per data on Udyam Registration Portal (URP), about 0.21 % MSMEs have been deregistered due to closure since the launch of URP on 01.07.2020. Also, during this period, 3.34 crore enterprises have registered on URP. The registration on URP has increased from 1.52 crore on 01.04.2023 to 3.34 crore on 29.01.2025.
- (b): The details of the employment declared by MSMEs, including the Informal Micro Enterprises (IMEs), particularly in the State of Tamil Nadu/ District wise are given in the Annexure-I
- (c): In order to strengthen, extend financial support, revive and reconstruct MSMEs, the Government of India has taken a number of steps. Some of the measures are as under:
- Implementation of Rs. 5 lakh crore Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme (ECLGS), for businesses, including MSMEs. The Scheme was operational till 31.03.2023. As per a research report dated 23.01.2023 of the State Bank of India on ECLGS, almost 14.6 lakh MSME accounts, of which about 98.3 % of the accounts were in the Micro and Small Enterprises categories, were saved.
 - Adoption of revised criteria for defining MSMEs.
 - “Udyam Registration” for MSMEs, for Ease of Doing Business w.e.f. 01.07.2020.
 - Rs. 50,000 crore equity infusion through Self Reliant India Fund.
 - Launching of an online Portal “Champion” in June 2020 to cover many aspects of e-governance including grievance redress and handholding of MSMEs.

- Non-tax benefits extended for 3 years in case of an upward change in status of MSMEs.
- Launch of Udyam Assist Platform (UAP) on 11.01.2023 to bring IMEs under the formal ambit for availing the benefit under Priority Sector Lending (PSL).
- To address the stress in MSME accounts in the incipient stage and facilitate their revival, the Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Government of India, vide the Gazette Notification dated May 29, 2015, notified a 'Framework for Revival and Rehabilitation of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises' (FRR for MSMEs). In continuation of the Gazette notification, RBI issued instructions vide its circular no. RBI/2015-16/338 FIDD.MSME & NFS.BC.No.21/06.02.31/2015-16 dated 17.03.2016.
- The Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (M/o MSME), Government of India has launched Credit Guarantee Scheme (CGS) for Micro and Small Enterprises so as to strengthen credit delivery system and facilitate flow of credit to MSE sector. In the FY 2022-23, Rs. 9,000 crore was infused into the corpus of Credit Guarantee fund Trust for Micro and Small Enterprises (CGTMSE) to enable an additional credit of Rs. 2.00 lakh crore with reduced cost of credit. Since inception till 31.12.2024, cumulatively, a total of 1.01 crore guarantees amounting to Rs.8.07 lakh crore have been extended by CGTMSE.
- Union Budget 2024-25 announced a package covering financing, regulatory changes and technology support for MSMEs to help them grow and also compete globally, as given below;
 - Support for promotion of MSMEs,
 - Credit Guarantee Scheme for MSMEs in the Manufacturing Sector;
 - New assessment model for MSME credit;
 - Credit Support to MSMEs during Stress Period;
 - Mudra Loans limit enhancement from Rs. 10 lakh to 20 lakh;

(d) & (e): The Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises interacts from time to time with stakeholders including MSMEs, Industry Associations, Member Lending Institutions and others, etc., to address the difficulties faced by MSMEs. The Government of India implements a number of Schemes for MSMEs. Under these schemes, the Ministry of MSME in coordination with MSME-Development and Facilitation Office (MSME-DFOs), Member Lending Institutions, organizes workshops/ interactive sessions for MSMEs and Industry Associations. Additionally, CGTMSE creates awareness on the Credit Guarantee Scheme for Micro and Small Enterprises by disseminating information during the events in National Mission for Capacity Building of Bankers organized by RBI.

The grievances of MSMEs are being addressed through CHAMPIONS Portal, an ICT based system, which operates Central Control Room and 69 State Control Rooms in hub and spoke model. Based on operational requirements, the scope of CHAMPIONS Portal has been expanded to Banks/ Financial Institutions/ Regional Rural Banks, and CPSEs, etc.

Annexure-I

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 110 for answer on 03.02.2025.

District wise details of total enterprises registered and employment reported on Udyam Registration Portal (URP) and Udyam Assist Platform (UAP) till 29/01/2025, in the State of Tamil Nadu						
Sl. No.	District	Micro	Small	Medium	Total	Employment
1	Ariyalur	33,516	196	15	33,727	1,65,604
2	Chengalpattu	1,10,251	619	30	1,10,900	5,56,340
3	Chennai	517,803	13,188	1,638	5,32,629	29,12,073
4	Coimbatore	3,73,793	6,950	753	381,496	19,95,517
5	Cuddalore	1,43,155	830	51	1,44,036	9,44,440
6	Dharmapuri	93,645	532	20	94,197	5,94,214
7	Dindigul	1,25,733	1,090	73	1,26,896	5,50,727
8	Erode	1,60,514	2,620	195	1,63,329	7,93,601
9	Kallakurichi	30,222	228	12	30,462	1,68,819
10	Kanchipuram	1,80,993	2,542	342	1,83,877	11,29,202
11	Kanniyakumari	1,37,419	926	58	1,38,403	6,34,450
12	Karur	53,179	793	57	54,029	293,864
13	Krishnagiri	1,66,155	1,576	106	1,67,837	10,51,627
14	Madurai	2,19,159	2,279	161	2,21,599	9,90,249
15	Mayiladuthurai	29,171	140	4	29,315	1,31,729
16	Nagapattinam	47,911	218	6	48,135	1,68,737
17	Namakkal	1,08,921	2,021	181	1,11,123	5,85,586
18	Perambalur	23,005	217	11	23,233	1,37,436
19	Pudukkottai	75,182	561	27	75,770	3,41,647
20	Ramanathapuram	55,678	342	18	56,038	2,21,760
21	Ranipet	48,059	246	6	48,311	2,16,043
22	Salem	2,40,147	3,017	196	2,43,360	11,05,882
23	Sivaganga	65,397	394	22	65,813	2,59,767
24	Tenkasi	49,460	324	7	49,791	200,120
25	Thanjavur	1,33,904	905	45	1,34,854	8,85,615
26	The nilgiris	45,529	272	11	45,812	3,17,907
27	Theni	81,183	602	48	81,833	325,270
28	Thiruvallur	2,13,527	2,670	244	2,16,441	10,34,641
29	Thiruvarur	57,303	291	15	57,609	728,709
30	Tiruchirappalli	1,60,067	1,471	87	1,61,625	6,93,084
31	Tirunelveli	1,30,890	985	54	1,31,929	5,09,517
32	Tirupathur	53,296	170	3	53,469	2,70,309
33	Tiruppur	1,85,335	5,635	463	1,91,433	14,91,121
34	Tiruvannamalai	1,08,968	684	32	1,09,684	4,70,772
35	Tuticorin	96,968	1,105	92	98,165	4,20,770
36	Vellore	1,64,107	1,065	78	1,65,250	6,93,182
37	Villupuram	1,07,226	782	34	1,08,042	5,79,604
38	Virudhunagar	1,06,441	1,527	140	1,08,108	5,84,524
	Total:-	47,33,212	60,013	5,335	47,98,560	2,51,54,459

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