GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES **RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3258** TO BE ANSWERED ON 28TH MARCH, 2025

PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION UNDER PMKSY

3258. # SHRI BABURAM NISHAD: SHRI BRIJ LAL: SMT. KIRAN CHOUDHRY: SMT. REKHA SHARMA: DR. ANIL SUKHDEORAO BONDE: SHRI NARAYANA KORAGAPPA:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of projects sanctioned under Pradhan Mantri Kisan SAMPADA Yojana (PMKSY);
- (b) the number of projects implemented under this yojana from its inception till February, 2025;
- (c) the food processing and preservation capacity achieved through these projects; and
- (d) the number of farmers who have been benefitted under this yojana?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI RAVNEET SINGH)

(a) to (d): Pradhan Mantri Kisan SAMPADA Yojana (PMKSY) is demand driven in nature and applications are invited through Expression of Interest (EoI) from all over India. The funds are not allocated/sanctioned/released state-wise under any of the component schemes of PMKSY. The proposals received are scrutinized for their eligibility and evaluated based on the criteria fixed as per the extant scheme guidelines. Merit based approvals are given to the eligible proposals based on availability of funds.

Under component schemes of PMKSY, total 1608 projects have been approved since inception out of which 1103 are operational, generating a processing and preservation capacity of 244.93 LMT/Annum and benefitting 33,37,876 farmers.
