GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1710 TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.12.2025

CENTRAL PACKAGE TO RESOLVE THE CRISIS FACED BY COIR INDUSTRIES IN KERALA

1710. SHRI JOSE K. MANI:

Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has received any memorandum from the State Government of Kerala seeking a Central package to resolve the crisis faced by coir industries in the State;
- (b) if so, the action taken in this regard;
- (c) whether Government has data regarding the funds dispersed under Coir UdyamiYojana in Kerala during the last five years; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) and (b): No such memorandum has been received from State Government of Kerala.
- (c) and (d): The Coir Udyami Yojana (CUY) was in force upto 2017-18. Coir Udyami Yojana was subsumed in the Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) Scheme during March, 2018. As per the available data, Coir units assisted and margin money subsidy released under PMEGP in the State of Kerala during FY 2020-21 to 2025-26 are as follows:

Financial Year	No. of Units Assisted	Margin Money Subsidy (Rs. Lakh)
2020-21	96	170.98
2021-22	131	250.61
2022-23	46	128.76
2023-24	26	93.13
2024-25	4	4.44
2025-26(as on 10.12.2025)	2	20.05
Total	305	667.96
