

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**STARRED QUESTION NO. \*82**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.07.2026**

**MSMEs CLOSED DUE TO DELAYED PAYMENTS**

\*82.       SHRI NEERAJ DANGI:

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

- (a)     the increase or decrease in pending payments of MSMEs over the last three years;
- (b)     the number of complaints registered on the MSME solution portal with Government so far;
- (c)     whether it is a fact that several Government departments and Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) themselves are not making timely payments to MSMEs, if so, the action taken by Government against such departments/PSUs; and
- (d)     the number of MSMEs closed or came under financial distress due to delayed payments, the State-wise details thereof?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES  
(SHRI JITAN RAM MANJHI)

(a) to (d):     A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO RAJYA SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. \*82 FOR 27.07.2026.**

(a): The details of MSME dues reported on MSME SAMADHAAN Portal in the last three years are as under:

| <b>MSME Dues reported on MSME SAMADHAAN Portal</b> |                                            |                                            |                                                   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Year</b>                                        | <b>MSME Dues Reported<br/>(Rs. In Cr.)</b> | <b>MSME Dues<br/>Paid<br/>(Rs. In Cr.)</b> | <b>MSME Dues<br/>Outstanding<br/>(Rs. In Cr.)</b> |
| 2023-24                                            | 16,369.43                                  | 14,403.06                                  | 1,966.37                                          |
| 2024-25                                            | 19,733.72                                  | 17,402.09                                  | 2,331.63                                          |
| 2025-26                                            | 15,115.14                                  | 12,528.68                                  | 2,586.46                                          |

As reported by Central Ministries, Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) and Government Agencies on SAMADHAAN Portal 2.0 (w.e.f. 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2026), the cumulative dues towards Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) till June, 2026 are Rs. 48,209.46 crore, of which Rs. 31,452.73 crore have been reported as paid. Dues amounting to Rs. 16,032 crore are within 45 days and Rs. 724 crore are pending for over 45 days.

(b): Under the provisions of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development (MSMED) Act, 2006, Micro and Small Enterprise Facilitation Councils (MSEFCs) have been set up in the States/UTs to deal with cases of delayed payments of the MSEs. As on 22.07.2026, the details of cases/applications filed by MSEs on MSME SAMADHAAN Portal is as under:

| <b>Status of Cases/Applications filed by MSEs on MSME SAMADHAAN Portal</b> |                                                               |                           |                                                             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Application filed<br/>by MSEs<br/>(w.e.f 30.10.2017)</b>                | <b>No. of Applications<br/>Mutually Settled<br/>/Rejected</b> | <b>Disposed<br/>Cases</b> | <b>No. of<br/>Applications/<br/>Cases Under<br/>Process</b> |
| 2,56,892                                                                   | 1,05,622                                                      | 59,077                    | 92,193                                                      |

Online Dispute Resolution (ODR) portal was started on 27.06.2025 with the objective of ensuring speedy, cost-effective, and transparent resolution of delayed payment disputes involving MSEs. As on 14.07.2026, 26,997 cases have been registered on the ODR Portal, out of which 4,470 cases have been resolved.

(c): Ministry of MSME coordinates with Department of Public Enterprises (DPE), Ministry of Finance for timely payment of MSME dues by the Central Ministries, Departments, Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs) and other stakeholders and regularly pushes for timely clearance of dues. Further, as per Department of Public Enterprises's OM dated 06.05.2026, in case of delayed payments beyond the prescribed timelines, CPSEs will be liable for a graded negative performance evaluation. Ministry of MSME, Government of India has vide notification dated 30.06.2026 made it mandatory for all CPSEs to route settlement of invoices of MSMEs through TReDS. This measure will facilitate timely payment to MSMEs.

(d): As per Udyam Registration Portal, enterprises de-register on the portal due to a number of reasons such as change in the company owner, certificate not required anymore, duplicate registration, shut down of enterprises and other reasons. In the last 3 years, the number of MSME's registered on Udyam Registration Portal (URP) and Udyam Assist Platform (UAP) has increased from 1.65 crore (as on 01.04.2023) to 8.84 crore (as on 30.06.2026). The number of MSMEs closed/shut down as a proportion of those which have registered in the last three years is only 1,21,805 which is 0.19%. The State/UT-wise number of enterprises registered and de-registered/shut-down during the last three years are at **Annexure-I**.

Government of India has notified Emergency Credit Line Guarantee Scheme (ECLGS) 5.0 on 05.05.2026 with an aim to infuse additional credit of Rs. 2.55 lakh crore to existing borrowers. Out of the total outlay under ECLGS 5.0, Rs. 2 lakh crore is earmarked for MSMEs. There is a provision of extending 100% guarantee coverage to MSMEs and 90% to other business segments. As on 14.07.2026, since launch of the scheme, 4,65,807 guarantees worth Rs.1,72,526 crore have been issued. The scheme has benefited India's MSME sector wherein 98% of all guarantees issued (by number) and 82% of the total guaranteed amount is towards the MSMEs.

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The annexure referred in part (d) of the Rajya Sabha Starred Question No. 82 due to be answered on 27.07.2026.

| State -wise MSMEs Registered and de-registered/ Shut Down on Udyam Registration Portal<br>(including Udyam Assist Platform) |                                          |                                                |                                                            |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| Sl. No.                                                                                                                     | State/UT                                 | MSME Registration<br>during 2023-24 to 2025-26 | MSMEs de-registered/shut down<br>during 2023-24 to 2025-26 |
| 1                                                                                                                           | Andaman and Nicobar Islands              | 14,096                                         | 130                                                        |
| 2                                                                                                                           | Andhra Pradesh                           | 35,72,991                                      | 4,297                                                      |
| 3                                                                                                                           | Arunachal Pradesh                        | 40,705                                         | 71                                                         |
| 4                                                                                                                           | Assam                                    | 13,44,474                                      | 1,628                                                      |
| 5                                                                                                                           | Bihar                                    | 37,51,035                                      | 3,879                                                      |
| 6                                                                                                                           | Chandigarh                               | 57,868                                         | 112                                                        |
| 7                                                                                                                           | Chhattisgarh                             | 11,69,962                                      | 1,589                                                      |
| 8                                                                                                                           | Delhi                                    | 11,09,138                                      | 574                                                        |
| 9                                                                                                                           | Goa                                      | 1,02,103                                       | 311                                                        |
| 10                                                                                                                          | Gujarat                                  | 33,08,783                                      | 11,150                                                     |
| 11                                                                                                                          | Haryana                                  | 15,59,121                                      | 1,877                                                      |
| 12                                                                                                                          | Himachal Pradesh                         | 2,64,484                                       | 578                                                        |
| 13                                                                                                                          | Jammu and Kashmir                        | 6,61,702                                       | 2,130                                                      |
| 14                                                                                                                          | Jharkhand                                | 13,28,733                                      | 2,121                                                      |
| 15                                                                                                                          | Karnataka                                | 42,28,397                                      | 6,710                                                      |
| 16                                                                                                                          | Kerala                                   | 15,23,834                                      | 3,773                                                      |
| 17                                                                                                                          | Ladakh                                   | 14,208                                         | 35                                                         |
| 18                                                                                                                          | Lakshadweep                              | 1,891                                          | 6                                                          |
| 19                                                                                                                          | Madhya Pradesh                           | 37,39,391                                      | 5,370                                                      |
| 20                                                                                                                          | Maharashtra                              | 75,57,276                                      | 28,764                                                     |
| 21                                                                                                                          | Manipur                                  | 1,37,814                                       | 447                                                        |
| 22                                                                                                                          | Meghalaya                                | 67,715                                         | 93                                                         |
| 23                                                                                                                          | Mizoram                                  | 42,263                                         | 67                                                         |
| 24                                                                                                                          | Nagaland                                 | 65,371                                         | 46                                                         |
| 25                                                                                                                          | Odisha                                   | 21,93,385                                      | 3,119                                                      |
| 26                                                                                                                          | Puducherry                               | 87,265                                         | 311                                                        |
| 27                                                                                                                          | Punjab                                   | 16,31,685                                      | 1,109                                                      |
| <b>28</b>                                                                                                                   | <b>Rajasthan</b>                         | <b>34,21,338</b>                               | <b>9,881</b>                                               |
| 29                                                                                                                          | Sikkim                                   | 31,961                                         | 82                                                         |
| 30                                                                                                                          | Tamil Nadu                               | 48,14,454                                      | 14,176                                                     |
| 31                                                                                                                          | Telangana                                | 34,45,839                                      | 5,017                                                      |
| 32                                                                                                                          | The Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu | 24,450                                         | 125                                                        |
| 33                                                                                                                          | Tripura                                  | 2,93,821                                       | 103                                                        |
| 34                                                                                                                          | Uttar Pradesh                            | 67,61,488                                      | 5,700                                                      |
| 35                                                                                                                          | Uttarakhand                              | 5,23,836                                       | 1,364                                                      |
| 36                                                                                                                          | West Bengal                              | 49,17,905                                      | 5,060                                                      |
|                                                                                                                             | <b>Total</b>                             | <b>6,38,10,782</b>                             | <b>1,21,805</b>                                            |