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**CONVERGENCE FRAMEWORK OF PM-KUSUM AND PM-SURYA GHAR: MUFT
BIJILI YOJANA**

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WILL THE MINISTER OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY BE PLEASED TO STATE:

- (a) whether Government has developed a convergence framework to systematically integrate most energy efficient cases into aligned major central funded programmes such as PM KUSUM pumps and PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana;
- (b) whether any convergence guidelines have been issued for States to implement these schemes in a coordinated manner at the field level; and
- (c) if not, whether Government proposes to prepare such a framework and by when?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER

(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

(a) Government has been promoting convergence of PM KUSUM and PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana with suitable Central and State programmes and funding sources, wherever feasible, to facilitate wider adoption of the schemes. For instance, PM KUSUM scheme guidelines allows for convergence with other central schemes including:

- Agriculture Infrastructure Fund (AIF) scheme for access of easy financing
- Revamped Distribution Sector Scheme (RDSS) for solarization of segregated agriculture feeders
- Promotion of micro irrigation techniques and Per Drop More Crop scheme
- Replacement of agriculture pumps with energy efficient pumps
- Gram Urja Swaraj Campaign to enhance self sufficiency at village level

Similarly for PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana, the convergence is taken up with Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA), for implementing the Solar Didi Programme under which women Self-Help Group (SHG) members under DAY-NULM are trained. Convergence of District Mineral Foundation (DMF) funds is also encouraged with PM Surya Ghar for eligible beneficiaries, particularly BPL households, PMAY beneficiaries and other vulnerable sections.

(b) & (c) The Ministry has already issued communications and possible areas of convergence to all the states for convergence of PM KUSUM and PMSG Schemes with scheme of Ministry of Cooperation, Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Rural Development etc.
