

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1733
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.12.2017

MAHATMA GANDHI BUNKAR BIMA YOJANA

1733. DR. BHAGIRATH PRASAD

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री
be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of weavers registered /enrolled under the Mahatma Gandhi Bunkar Bima Yojana;
- (b) the number of weavers provided benefits of insurance in the case of natural as well as accidental death and in case of total and partial disability; and
- (c) the steps taken to provide the benefits to all the beneficiaries in an effective manner?

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ANSWER

वस्त्र राज्य मंत्री (श्री अजय टम्टा)
MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES
(SHRI AJAY TAMTA)

(a): 531981 weavers were enrolled under the Mahatma Gandhi Bunkar Bima Yojana during 2016-17.

(b): the number of weavers provided benefits during 2016-17, is indicated in the following statement:-

Natural death		Accidental death		Total and Partial disability	
Number of beneficiary	Amt.(Lac)	Number of beneficiary	Amt.(Lac)	Number of beneficiary	Amt.(Lac)
3523	2113.5	65	93.98	--	--

(c): To provide benefits to all the beneficiaries in an effective manner, Life Insurance Corporation of India (LIC), the implementing agency, settles the claim of beneficiary within 10 days of submission of application alongwith requisite documents. Also, the financial benefits are provided through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) only.
