GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1379

TO BE ANSWERED ON 9th February 2018/ Magha 14, 1939 (Saka) **PMSBY**

1379. SHRI KAUSHALENDRA KUMAR:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of people covered under Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY) so far;
- (b) the number of people covered under the said scheme from Bihar;?
- (c) whether the Ministry has received complaints regarding irregularities in payments under this scheme, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether these complaints have been redressed and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI SHIV PRATAP SHUKLA)

- (a) and (b) As on 31st December 2017, the total number of people covered under Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY) so far is 13.26 crore. Further, the number of people covered under the said scheme from Bihar is 45.69 lakhs.
- (c) and (d) No specific complaint has been received regarding irregularities in payments under this scheme. The complaints of the beneficiaries in respect of the scheme are dealt in coordination with Banks and Insurance Companies in getting them resolved expeditiously. The progress of settlement of claims under PMSBY is monitored regularly by the Government. As on 5th February 2018, the details of the complaints that have been redressed under PMSBY is as under:-

Total Complaints: 195

Total Disposed: 194

Total Pending : 1
