GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *298 ANSWERED ON 1ST JANUARY, 2019.

MODERNIZATION OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

*298. SHRI LAKHAN LAL SAHU.:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether any innovative measures have been taken for the modernization of food processing industries in the country during the last three years;
- (b) If so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the extent to which the implementation of infrastructure development projects in the food processing sector has been successful in various States including Chhattisgarh during the Twelfth Five Year Plan along with the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SMT. HARSIMRAT KAUR BADAL)

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *298 FOR ANSWERED ON 01ST JANUARY, 2019 REGARDING MODERNIZATION OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

(a) &(b): An innovative umbrella scheme, 'Pradhan Mantri Kisan SAMPADA Yojana (PMKSY)' has been launched in 2017 to promote modernisation and capacity enhancement of food processing industries in the country. The implementation period of the scheme is 2016-2020 with a total allocation of Rs.6000 crores. The PMKSY has seven component schemes viz; (i) Mega Food Parks, (ii) Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure, (iii) Infrastructure for Agro-Processing Clusters, (iv) Creation of Backward and Forward Linkages, (v) Creation/Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities, (vi) Food Safety and Quality Assurance Infrastructure and (vii) Human Resources and Institutions.

A new Central Sector Scheme "Operation Greens" for integrated development of Tomato, Onion and Potato (TOP) crops value chain, with an outlay of Rs.500 crore to, inter alia, promote Farmers Producers Organizations (FPO), agri-logistics, processing facilities and professional management of FPOs has been launched in 2018.

(c): During the Twelfth Five Year Plan, infrastructure development projects were funded under the scheme of Mega Food Parks (MFP) and Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure (Cold Chain). The Ministry has so far approved 40 MFPs in different States including one MFP in the State of Chhattisgarh. Fourteen (14) MFPs have become operational so far. The Ministry has also approved 286 Cold Chain Projects in different States, of which 94 projects were approved during Twelfth Five Year Plan, including 2 projects the State of Chhattisgarh. One hundred and thirty-five (135) Cold Chain Projects have been completed.

The sate-wise approved and operational/completed projects under the two schemes are available at **Annexure.**

ANNEXURE REFERED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *298 FOR ANSWERED ON $01^{\rm ST}$ JANUARY, 2019 REGARDING MODERNIZATION OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

State-wise Approved and Operational/Completed Projects Under MFP and Cold Chain Scheme

SL. No.	Name of the State	Mega Good Park		Cold Chain	
		Number of Projects Approved	Number of Projects Operational	Number of Projects Approved	Number of Projects Completed
1	Andaman & Nicobar	-	-	1	0
2	Andhra Pradesh	3	1	17	4
3	Arunachal Pradesh	1	0	1	0
4	Assam	1	1	2	2
5	Bihar	1	0	3	1
6	Chhattisgarh	1	0	2	2
7	Gujarat	2	1	22	9
8	Haryana	2	0	11	6
9	Himachal Pradesh	1	0	14	9
10	Jammu & Kashmir	1	0	6	3
11	Jharkhand	1	1	-	-
12	Karnataka	2	1	12	5
13	Kerala	2	0	8	1
14	Madhya Pradesh	2	1	6	4
15	Maharashtra	3	2	61	30
16	Manipur	-	-	2	1
17	Mizoram	1	0	2	2
18	Nagaland	1	0	3	0
19	Odisha	2	1	2	2
20	Punjab	3	1	19	9
21	Rajasthan	1	1	10	4
22	Tamil Nadu	-	-	12	3
23	Telangana	2	0	9	4
24	Tripura	1	0	-	-
25	Uttar Pradesh	3	-	25	11
26	Uttarakhand	2	2	25	15
27	West Bengal	1	1	11	8
	Total	40	14	286	135