

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA
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ANSWERED ON 23.03.2023

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS UNDER PM-KUSUM

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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantum of the funds allocated, released and spent under Pradhan Mantri Kisan Urja Suraksha evam Utthaan Mahabhiyan (PM-KUSUM) scheme since its launch;
- (b) the number of beneficiaries under PM-KUSUM scheme, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to achieve the target of solarisation of 1.5 million grid-connected solar-powered agriculture pumps, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) whether the Government also proposes to achieve the target of installation of 2 million standalone solar-powered agriculture pumps, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER

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(a) & (b) PM-KUSUM is a demand driven scheme and therefore quantities/ capacities are allocated under the three components of the scheme based on demand received from the States/ UTs. However, funds are allocated based on type/ capacity of systems and progress of installation reported by the State Implementing Agencies. So far, a total amount of Rs. 1369 Crore has been released and an amount of Rs. 1217 Crore has been spent by the State Implementing Agencies under the Scheme.

State/UT-wise details of the farmers benefitted under the Scheme are given in **Annexure**.

(c)&(d) Government has allowed inter-se transfer of quantities between Component-B for installation of standalone solar pumps and Component-C for solarization of existing grid-connected agricultural pumps, including through feeder level solarization. Therefore, a combined target of 3.5 million pumps has been kept under these two components of the Scheme. Entire targeted quantity of 3.5 million pumps has been allocated to various States/ UTs. Out of this, over 2.08 lakh pumps have been reported as installed/ solarized as on 28.02.2023.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) & (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3744 for 23.03.2023

State/UT-wise details of beneficiaries under PM-KUSUM Scheme (as on 28.02.2023)

S. No.	State	Farmers Benefitted (Nos.)
1	Arunachal Pradesh	126
2	Gujarat	2132
3	Haryana	44325
4	Himachal Pradesh	534
5	Jammu & Kashmir	499
6	Jharkhand	12107
7	Karnataka	314
8	Kerala	51
9	Madhya Pradesh	6790
10	Maharashtra	47978
11	Manipur	28
12	Meghalaya	35
13	Odisha	1223
14	Punjab	12459
15	Rajasthan	57692
16	Tamil Nadu	2751
17	Tripura	1654
18	Uttar Pradesh	17614
19	Uttarakhand	316
20	West Bengal	20
	Total	208648