GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 563 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.02.2023

BENEFICIARIES UNDER (PM-SYM) YOJANA

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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a)whether the Government has been implementing Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maandhan (PM-SYM) scheme for unorganised workers, if so, the details thereof;
- (b)the criteria for registration under PM-SYM alongwith number of unorganized workers enrolled so far, State-wise;
- (c)the details of the number of beneficiaries under the PM-SYM yojana so far, State-wise;
- (d)the amount allocated for this scheme during the last three years, State-wise; and
- (e)other steps taken/being taken by the Government for effective implementation of the scheme?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a) to (e): In order to provide old age protection to unorganised sector workers, the Government of India launched a pension scheme in 2019 namely Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maan-dhan Yojana (PM-SYM) to provide a monthly pension of Rs. 3000/- after attaining the age of 60 years. This is a voluntary and co-contributory pension scheme. The workers in the age group of 18-40 years whose monthly income is Rs. 15000/- or less and not a member of EPFO/ESIC/NPS (Govt. Funded) can join the scheme. Under the scheme, 50% of monthly contribution is payable by the beneficiary and equal matching contribution is paid by the Central Government. As on 31.01.2023, over 49 lakhs beneficiaries have enrolled themselves across the country. Under the scheme, the funds are not allocated to any State/UT. The year wise details of amount allocated for the scheme so far, is as under;

Year	Fund allocated (Rs. in crores)	Expenditure (Rs. in crores)
2019-20	500.00	359.95
2020-21	500.00	319.71
2021-22	400.00	324.23

The number of beneficiaries enrolled under PM-SYM scheme, Statewise is at Annexure.

All the States/UT Governments have been requested to popularize the scheme and mobilize the target groups/eligible workers for enrolment under the PM-SYM scheme. The Central Government has also taken several initiatives to increase the enrolment under PM-SYM Scheme such as periodic review of the progress of the scheme with States/UTs, publicity of the scheme through IEC activities, constitution of State Level Monitoring Committees (SLMC) and District Level Implementation Committees (DLIC) to ensure implementation of the PM-SYM Scheme, mobilization of beneficiaries through State Governments.

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ANNEXURE REFERRED TO REPLY TO PART (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 563 FOR 06.02.2023 REGARDING "BENEFICIARIES UNDER (PM-SYM) YOJANA" RAISED BY DR. JAYANTA KUMAR ROY AND SHRIMATI SANGEETA KUMARI SINGH DEO.

Sl. No	State Name	Registration
1	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	74231
2	HIMACHAL PRADESH	47556
3	PUNJAB	58479
4	CHANDIGARH	5174
5	UTTARAKHAND	38782
6	HARYANA	917130
7	DELHI	10247
8	RAJASTHAN	305714
9	UTTAR PRADESH	887760
10	BIHAR	216524
11	SIKKIM	308
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	2870
13	NAGALAND	4946
14	MANIPUR	5695
15	MIZORAM	1148
16	TRIPURA	31664
17	MEGHALAYA	5326
18	ASSAM	37649
19	WEST BENGAL	105755
20	JHARKHAND	135782
21	ODISHA	183930
22	CHHATTISGARH	229418
23	MADHYA PRADESH	177459
24	GUJARAT	387287
25	MAHARASHTRA	614141
26	ANDHRA PRADESH	170262
27	KARNATAKA	130033
28	GOA	2027
29	LAKSHADWEEP	21
30	KERALA	15467
31	TAMIL NADU	65799
32	PUDUCHERRY	2381
33	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS	2339
34	TELANGANA	48751
35	LADAKH	1473
	THE DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI	
36	AND DAMAN AND DIU	1627
Total		4925155
