

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 798
ANSWERED ON 07TH FEBRUARY, 2023

OPPORTUNITIES IN FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

†798. SHRI CHIRAG KUMAR PASWAN:

Will the Minister of *FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES* be pleased to state;

- (a) the opportunities in Food Processing Industries (FPIs) in the State of Bihar;
- (b) whether the Government has received any proposal from the State Government for any scheme or project during the last three years and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has taken any initiative regarding industrial investment in this sector and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether there is any provision of providing any relaxation or other facilities by Union Government to industrialists engaged in food processing industries and if so, the details thereof along with the names of districts of Bihar where such industries have been established;
- (e) whether any scheme has been formulated for training, radio-active technique in packaging and all types of marketing for food processing and if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) whether there is any provision for rebate in transportation of fruits and vegetables and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
(SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

(a): In view of its rich horticultural and agricultural produce base, Bihar has potential to develop strong Food Processing Sector and Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) incentivizes entrepreneurs to establish related Industries in the state.

(b) to (d): Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) supports setting up/ upgradation of Food Processing Industries through its Central Sector Umbrella Scheme Pradhan Mantri Kisan SAMPADA Yojana (PMKSY), Production Linked Incentive Scheme for Food Processing Industry (PLISFPI) and Centrally sponsored PM Formalization of Micro Food Processing Enterprises (PMFME) scheme across

all the states, including Bihar. Under component schemes of PMKSY, MoFPI provides mostly credit linked financial assistance (capital subsidy) in the form of grants-in-aid with total outlay of Rs 4600 Cr for 15th Finance Commission Cycle. Ministry provides financial, technical and business support to micro food processing enterprises through PMFME scheme with outlay of Rs 10,000 Cr for a period of 5 Years (2020-21 to 2024-25), whereas, PLISFPI is targeted to facilitate expansion of food processing capacity by creating champion brands in Food Processing Sector with total outlay of Rs 10,900 Cr for a period of 6 years (2021-22 to 2026-27). The details of Industries approved for assistance under these schemes in Bihar is placed at **Annexure**.

(e): Under the Capacity Building component of PMFME Scheme, MoFPI provide Grants for training of Trainers (Master Trainers, District Level Trainers), District Resource Persons, Food Processing Entrepreneurs and various other groups (SHGs/ FPOs/ Cooperatives). Grants upto 50% for branding and marketing support to groups of FPOs/ SHGs/ Cooperatives or an Special Purpose Vehicle of Micro Food Processing Enterprises is available under related component of PMFME Scheme. MoFPI also supports branding and marketing activities abroad like in-store branding, shelf space renting and marketing to incentivise emergence of strong Indian brands through its PLISFPI. Setting up of Irradiation facilities are supported through Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure Scheme.

(f): MoFPI provides transportation and storage subsidy (50% of eligible cost) for notified fruits & vegetables under Short Term Intervention component of Operation Greens scheme under PMKSY.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) TO (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.798 FOR ANSWER ON 07TH FEBRUARY, 2023 REGARDING “OPPORTUNITIES IN FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES”

Food Processing Industry Projects approved for Assistance in Bihar under component schemes of PMKSY

(In Rs. Cr.)

Sl. No.	Project Name	District	Date of Approval	Project Cost	Approved Grant-in-aid	Status
Mega Food Park Scheme (MFP)						
1	Pristine Mega Food Park Pvt. Ltd., Khagaria	Muzaffarpur	06.08.2014	120.13	41.9	Under Implementation
2	Bihar Industrial Area Development Authority (BIADA), Muzaffarpur	Khagaria	07.04.2022	180.57	45.4	Under Implementation
Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure Scheme (Cold Chain)						
3	Ganga Dairy Ltd.	Begusarai	27.03.2009	22.6	9.35	Operational
4	RK Agri Biz LLP	Muzaffarpur	04.05.2017	22.79	7.48	Operational
5	Shalimar Cold Storage	Patna	22.07.2019	29.87	10	Under Implementation
6	ABZ Agro Pvt Ltd	Kishanganj	24.07.2019	43.34	10	Operational
7	Saran Dairy Producer Company Limited	Gopalganj	28.09.2020	11.66	3.05	Under Implementation
8	Maniyarpur Dairy	Patna	01.10.2021	25.77	8.57	Under Implementation
Infrastructure for Agro-Processing Clusters Scheme (APC)						
9	M/s Shreekangan Food Park	Begusarai	15.03.2019	30.434	7.9081	Under Implementation
Creation / Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities Scheme (CEFPPC)						
10	M/s Natraja Nutrifeed Pvt Ltd	Khagaria	25.07.2019	23.21	5	Operational
11	M/s SMM Products LLP	Muzaffarpur	05.12.2022	24.4628	5	Under Implementation
12	M/s Koshi Foods and Beverages	Khagaria	05.12.2022	7.0685	1.77	Under Implementation
13	M/s Ganga Dairy Ltd	Begusarai	05.01.2023	16.41	5	Under Implementation
14	M/s Anmol Industries Limited	Kishanganj	05.01.2023	172.7689	5	Under Implementation

**DETAILS OF MICRO FOOD PROCESSING ENTERPRISES APPROVED FOR
ASSISTANCE IN BIHAR UNDER PMFME**

No of Micro Food Processing Industries approved with credit linked subsidy: 793

Food Processing Industry Projects approved in Bihar under PLISFPI

S.No	Name of the Applicant	Target Segment	Plant city	Committed Investment (In Rs Cr)	Location Type
1	Britannia Industries Limited	Ready To Eat/Ready To Cook	Patna	85	Greenfield
2	Itc Limited	Ready To Eat/Ready To Cook	Munger	3.22	Expansion
3	Varun Beverages Ltd.	Fruits & Vegetables	Begusarai	75.9	Greenfield
4	Hindustan Unilever Limited	Fruits & Vegetables	Patna	34.4	Greenfield
5	Hindustan Unilever Limited	Fruits & Vegetables	Patna	29.5	Greenfield
6	Bikaji Foods International Limited	Ready To Eat/Ready To Cook	Muzzafarpur	14.88	Greenfield
7	Bikaji Foods International Limited	Ready To Eat/Ready To Cook	Patna	53.26	Greenfield
8	Anmol Industries Limited	Ready To Eat/Ready To Cook	Kishanganj	153.93	Greenfield