

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS  
DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICALS**

LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 325  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21<sup>st</sup> July, 2023

**Sale Outlets for Generic Medicines under PMBJP**

**325. SHRI BHOLANATH (B.P. SAROJ):**

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any plan to open sale outlets for generic medicines on a large scale to make medicines available to the public at much cheaper rates, under the Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana (PMBJP) in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the number of such outlets opened so far, State/UT-wise, particularly in various districts of Uttar Pradesh, location-wise?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS  
(SHRI BHAGWANTH KHUBA)**

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(a) to (b): With an objective of making quality generic medicines available at affordable prices to all citizens, especially the poor and the deprived ones, *Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana* (PMBJP) has been launched by the government. Pharmaceuticals & Medical Devices Bureau of India (PMBI), the implementing agency of the Scheme has opened about 9,512 *Pradhan Mantri Bhartiya Janaushadhi Kendras* (PMBJKs) across the country as on 30.06.2023. The Government has set a target to open about 10,000 PMBJKS by 31.03.2024.

(c): Out of 9,512 Kendras opened across the country, about 1,349 PMBJKS have been opened in the State of Uttar Pradesh. State/UT-wise list of PMBJKS opened across the country is at **Annexure-I**. District-wise list of PMBJKS opened in the State of Uttar Pradesh is at **Annexure-II**.

**Annexure-I**

**Statement referred to in reply to part (c) of the LOK SABHA UNSTARRED Q.NO. 325 for answer on 21.07.2023 raised by SHRI BHOLANATH (B.P. SAROJ) regarding Sale Outlets for Generic Medicines under PMBJP**

| <b>State/UT-wise list of PMBJKs opened till 30.06.2023</b> |                             |                             |
|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Sl. No.</b>   | <b>Name of the State/UT</b> | <b>No. of PMBJKs opened</b> |
| 1  | Andaman and Nicobar Islands | 9                           |
| 2  | Andhra Pradesh              | 155                         |
| 3  | Arunachal Pradesh           | 29                          |
| 4  | Assam                       | 116                         |
| 5  | Bihar                       | 400                         |
| 6  | Chandigarh                  | 11                          |
| 7  | Chhattisgarh                | 209                         |
| 8  | Delhi                       | 403                         |
| 9  | Goa                         | 11                          |
| 10   | Gujarat                     | 526                         |
| 11   | Haryana                     | 261                         |
| 12   | Himachal Pradesh            | 61                          |
| 13   | Jammu and Kashmir           | 226                         |
| 14   | Jharkhand                   | 88                          |
| 15   | Karnataka                   | 1084                        |
| 16   | Kerala                      | 979                         |
| 17   | Ladakh                      | 2                           |
| 18   | Madhya Pradesh              | 284                         |
| 19   | Maharashtra                 | 650                         |
| 20   | Manipur                     | 36                          |
| 21   | Meghalaya                   | 18                          |
| 22   | Mizoram                     | 12                          |
| 23   | Nagaland                    | 20                          |
| 24   | Odisha                      | 418                         |
| 25   | Puducherry                  | 20                          |
| 26   | Punjab                      | 319                         |
| 27   | Rajasthan                   | 169                         |
| 28   | Sikkim                      | 5                           |
| 29   | Tamil Nadu                  | 910                         |
| 30   | Telangana                   | 180                         |
| 31   | The D & NH and DD           | 35                          |
| 32   | Tripura                     | 25                          |
| 33   | Uttar Pradesh               | 1349                        |
| 34   | Uttarakhand                 | 225                         |
| 35   | West Bengal                 | 267                         |
| <b>Total</b>   |                             | <b>9,512</b>                |

**Annexure-II**

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| <b>District wise list of PMBJKs opened in Uttar Pradesh till 30.06.2023</b> |                             |                             |
|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Sl. No.</b>  | <b>Name of the District</b> | <b>No. of PMBJKs Opened</b> |
| 1   | Agra                        | 39                          |
| 2   | Aligarh                     | 19                          |
| 3   | Ambedkar Nagar              | 5                           |
| 4   | Amethi                      | 11                          |
| 5   | Amroha                      | 22                          |
| 6   | Auraiya                     | 5                           |
| 7   | Ayodhya                     | 23                          |
| 8   | Azamgarh                    | 25                          |
| 9   | Baghpat                     | 10                          |
| 10  | Bahraich                    | 11                          |
| 11  | Ballia                      | 14                          |
| 12  | Balrampur_Up                | 6                           |
| 13  | Banda                       | 7                           |
| 14  | Barabanki                   | 13                          |
| 15  | Bareilly                    | 28                          |
| 16  | Basti                       | 6                           |
| 17  | Bhadohi                     | 10                          |
| 18  | Bijnor                      | 15                          |
| 19  | Budaun                      | 9                           |
| 20  | Bulandshahr                 | 25                          |
| 21  | Chandauli                   | 16                          |
| 22  | Chitrakoot                  | 6                           |
| 23  | Deoria                      | 37                          |
| 24  | Etah                        | 12                          |
| 25  | Etawah                      | 5                           |
| 26  | Farrukhabad                 | 7                           |
| 27  | Fatehpur                    | 11                          |
| 28  | Firozabad                   | 8                           |
| 29  | Gautam Buddha Nagar         | 24                          |
| 30  | Ghaziabad                   | 78                          |
| 31  | Ghazipur                    | 15                          |
| 32  | Gonda                       | 15                          |
| 33  | Gorakhpur                   | 34                          |
| 34  | Hamirpur_Up                 | 2                           |
| 35  | Hapur                       | 13                          |
| 36  | Hardoi                      | 12                          |
| 37  | Hathras                     | 3                           |
| 38  | Jalaun                      | 10                          |
| 39  | Jaunpur                     | 14                          |
| 40  | Jhansi                      | 17                          |
| 41  | Kannauj                     | 4                           |
| 42  | Kanpur Dehat                | 2                           |

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|--------------|-------------------|--------------|
| 43           | Kanpur Nagar      | 26           |
| 44           | Kasganj           | 3            |
| 45           | Kaushambi         | 4            |
| 46           | Kheri             | 30           |
| 47           | Kushi Nagar       | 20           |
| 48           | Lalitpur          | 1            |
| 49           | Lucknow           | 92           |
| 50           | Maharajganj       | 19           |
| 51           | Mahoba            | 1            |
| 52           | Mainpuri          | 4            |
| 53           | Mathura           | 14           |
| 54           | Mau               | 15           |
| 55           | Meerut            | 84           |
| 56           | Mirzapur          | 19           |
| 57           | Moradabad         | 21           |
| 58           | Muzaffarnagar     | 39           |
| 59           | Pilibhit          | 12           |
| 60           | Pratapgarh_Up     | 11           |
| 61           | Prayagraj         | 26           |
| 62           | Rae Bareli        | 10           |
| 63           | Rampur            | 23           |
| 64           | Saharanpur        | 39           |
| 65           | Sambhal           | 18           |
| 66           | Sant Kabeer Nagar | 3            |
| 67           | Shahjahanpur      | 12           |
| 68           | Shamli            | 11           |
| 69           | Shravasti         | 3            |
| 70           | Siddharth Nagar   | 7            |
| 71           | Sitapur           | 27           |
| 72           | Sonbhadra         | 14           |
| 73           | Sultanpur         | 24           |
| 74           | Unnao             | 8            |
| 75           | Varanasi          | 61           |
| <b>Total</b> |                   | <b>1,349</b> |

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