GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 992 TO BE ANSWERED ON 26.07.2023

ONE STATION ONE PRODUCT

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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of railway stations where stalls are being set up under One Station One Product under the Ranchi Parliamentary constituency;
- (b) the features of said scheme along with the details and number of organisations which have expressed their interest therein;
- (c) whether there is any system in place to monitor the price of platform ticket and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether any such mechanism is under consideration of the Government; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF RAILWAYS, COMMUNICATIONS AND ELECTRONICS & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

(SHRI ASHWINI VAISHNAW)

- (a): At present, 850 'One Station One Product' (OSOP) outlets are operational at 782 stations over Indian Railways including 5 outlets over Ranchi Division. Parliamentary constituency-wise data of OSOP outlets is not maintained by Indian Railways.
- (b): 'One Station One Product' (OSOP) scheme has been launched by Indian Railways with objectives to promote 'Vocal for Local' vision of the Government of India, provide a market for local /indigenous products and create additional income opportunities for the marginalised sections of society. Features of the OSOP scheme are as under:

- * Railways to provide standard design outlets-fixed stalls /kiosks, portable stalls/trolleys at railway stations for showcasing, selling and giving high visibility to indigenous/local products.
- * The products category is indigenous/Geographical Indications (GI) tagged/local to that place and could include artefacts, handicrafts, textiles and handlooms, toys, leather products, traditional appliances/ instruments, garments, gems and jewellery, etc made by local artisans, weavers, craftsmen, tribes, etc and processed, semi processed and other food products indigenously made/grown in the area.
- Individuals at the bottom of the pyramid/marginalised and weaker sections and self help groups to be encouraged.
- * Allotment for a period from 15 days up to 3 months with a nominal registration fee for participation in the Scheme.
- * Allotment is to be done to all applicants who meet objectives of the scheme on rotation basis.

The beneficiary category under this scheme includes the following:

- Individual Artisans
- Individual Craftsman
- Individual Weavers
- Tribals
- Farmers
- Members of Self Help Group
- Members of Women Self Help Groups
- Members associated with registered Micro Enterprises
- Members associated with Social Organisations, State Govt Bodies, etc
- (c) to (e): At present, the platform tickets are uniformly charged at the rate of $\stackrel{?}{\scriptstyle \sim}$ 10.
