GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2597 ANSWERED ON 19TH DECEMBER, 2023

SALIENT FEATURES OF PMKSY

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Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the salient features of the Pradhan Mantri Kisan SAMPADA Yojana (PMKSY);
- (b) the details of the funds sanctioned, allocated and utilized under this Yojana across the country including Assam so far;
- (c) the details of the benefits/facilities being provided to the farmers under this yojana across the country including Assam;
- (d) whether the Government has fixed any target under this Yojana across the country and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the details of the number of farmers benefitted under this yojana so far along with its response across the country?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (KM. SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

(a) : The Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) has been implementing a Central Sector umbrella scheme, namely, Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY) since 2017-18 across the country. PMKSY is a comprehensive package of component schemes viz. (i) Mega Food Parks, (ii) Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure, (iii) Food Safety & Quality Assurance Infrastructure- Food Testing Lab (iv) Creation/ Expansion of Food Processing and Preservation Capacities, (v) Creation of Infrastructure for Agro Processing Clusters, (vi) Creation of Backward and Forward Linkage (vii) Human Resource and Institutions and (viii) Operation Greens which results in creation of modern infrastructure with efficient supply chain management from farm gate to retail outlet. It provides big boost to the growth of food processing sector in the country, help in providing better prices to farmers, creates huge employment opportunities especially in the rural areas, reduces wastage of agricultural produce, increases the processing level and enhances the export of the processed foods. PMKSY is demand driven and online proposals/ applications are invited from the eligible entities by issuing Expression of Interest (EoI) from time to time under various component schemes of PMKSY based on the availability of vacant slots and funds. Under the component schemes of PMKSY, financial support is being provided in the form of grants-inaid @ 35% and 50% against the eligible components in general and difficult areas respectively as per their extant scheme guidelines.

(b) & (c): The component schemes being demand driven, no State-wise allocation of fund is made under PMKSY. The details of budget allocated from 2017-18 to 2023-24 and utilization of funds (funds released in the form of grants-in-aid) till 30.11.2023 under PMKSY are at **Annexure-I.** A total 1132 food processing projects have been approved across the country for total grants-in-aid of Rs. 6067.47 crore (including grants-in-aid of Rs. 322.17 crore for 70 projects approved in the State of Assam) for creating cold storage, warehouse facilities thereby leading to creation of 252.30 LMT processing capacity / annum, 42.91 LMT preservation capacity / annum and generating 06,02,070 employments on completion of these projects.

(d): The details of physical targets that were proposed by the Ministry for the 15th Finance Commission Cycle Period (2021-26) are at **Annexure-II.**

(e): A total of 1132 food processing projects have been approved from 2017-18 to 2023-24 (till 30.11.2023) across the country thereby benefitting 38,19,220 farmers on completion of these projects.

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (b) & (c) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2597 FOR ANSWER ON 19.12.2023 REGARDING "SALIENT FEATURES OF PMKSY"

Details of budget allocated (from 2017-18 to 2023-24) and released under various component schemes of PMKSY

S. No.	Component Scheme	Budget allocated	Grants-in-aid released
		(Rs. in crore)	(Rs. in crore)
1.	MFP Scheme	809.61	720.77
2.	Cold Chain Scheme	1710.54	1428.12
3.	APC Scheme	326.57	241.58
4.	CEFPPC Scheme	1304.89	944.12
5.	FTL Scheme	244.98	149.38
6.	OG Scheme	620.71	206.57
7.	CBFL Scheme	186.97	149.10
8.	HRI Scheme	152.47	125.01
	Total	5356.74	3964.65

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (d) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2597 FOR ANSWER ON 19.12.2023 REGARDING "SALIENT FEATURES OF PMKSY"

Details of physical targets proposed for the 15th FCC period (2021-26) under various component schemes of PMKSY

S. No.	Component scheme of PMKSY	Physical targets (No. of proposed projects)
1.	Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure	30
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2.	Creation of Infrastructure for Agro Processing	30
	Clusters	
3.	Creation/Expansion of Food Processing and	162
	Preservation Capacities	
4.	Operation Greens	80
5.	Food Testing Lab	25
6.	Human Resource and Institutions – Research &	100
	Development scheme	
