GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2618 ANSWERED ON 19/12/2023

BENEFICIARIES UNDER MGNREGS IN RAJASTHAN

2618. SHRIMATI JASKAUR MEENA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the expenditure incurred by the Union Government for Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) in Rajasthan during the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the total number of MGNREGS beneficiaries in Rajasthan during the said period, district-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has taken any steps to strengthen the scheme, especially to make it more convenient for the unemployed rural people; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)

(a): Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (Mahatma Gandhi NREGS) is a demand driven wage employment Scheme. Details of expenditure incurred (including State share) in the State of Rajasthan under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS in the last three financial years 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23 and current financial year 2023-24 (as on 14.12.2023) are given below:

Financial Year			2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Expenditure	incurred	in	9,798.38	10,454.42	10,186.31	6,170.44
Rajasthan	(including	State				
share) [Rs. in crore]						

(As per NREGASoft)

(b): District-wise details of households availed employment in the State of Rajasthan under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS in the last three financial years 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23 and current financial year 2023-24 (as on 15.12.2023) are given at Annexure.

(c)&(d): Mahatma Gandhi NREGS is a demand-driven wage employment Scheme which provides for the enhancement of livelihood security of the households in rural areas of the country by providing at least one hundred days of guaranteed wage employment in every financial year to every household whose adult members volunteer to do unskilled manual work.

To generate awareness about the provisions of the Scheme and to provide adequate employment opportunities to rural households under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS, all States/UTs have been requested to (i) initiate appropriate Information Education and Communication (IEC) campaigns including wall paintings for the wide dissemination of the provisions of the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (Mahatma Gandhi NREGA), 2005 (ii) expand scope and coverage of demand registration system to ensure that demand for work under Mahatma Gandhi NREGA does not go unregistered, (iii) prepare plans in a participatory mode and approve them in the Gram Sabha, (iv) Organization of 'Rojgar Diwas'.

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Annexure referred in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2618 dated 19.12.2023

District-wise details of households availed employment in the State of Rajasthan under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS in the last three financial years 2020-21, 2021-22, 2022-23 and current financial year 2023-24 (as on 15.12.2023).

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SI. No.	Districts	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
1	Ajmer	361177	362786	349803	315224
2	Alwar	183112	163843	129617	105564
3	Banswara	374597	386481	348243	346823
4	Baran	166075	135145	138061	101306
5	Barmer	480742	498840	415473	323337
6	Bharatpur	169779	126105	103502	77372
7	Bhilwara	448777	407700	405662	384981
8	Bikaner	256807	235033	209236	201071
9	Bundi	156789	127432	119483	99787
10	Chittorgarh	159744	137719	121076	103703
11	Churu	243987	206706	179493	137355
12	Dausa	113791	97032	82873	50424
13	Dholpur	123963	95530	80599	72977
14	Dungarpur	335522	341220	316792	320770
15	Hanumangarh	177787	178957	164988	148406
16	Jaipur	248061	212743	160396	114906
17	Jaisalmer	112576	129989	108174	105538
18	Jalore	220048	196304	166269	121422
19	Jhalawar	273831	254400	258770	247906
20	Jhunjhunu	78781	68005	56694	39225
21	Jodhpur	371052	382338	332134	259299
22	Karauli	137601	130179	131951	99997
23	Kota	115619	100252	101186	91048
24	Nagaur	431227	458703	404585	338024
25	Pali	265391	245884	215954	157473
26	Pratapgarh	165116	178120	180619	168495
27	Rajsamand	182148	180188	157687	145661
28	Sawai Madhopur	163622	119030	109954	72704
29	Sikar	114567	89888	77762	64145
30	Sirohi	136149	128975	112168	98694
31	Sri Ganganagar	227971	229017	197228	196970
32	Tonk	185387	145859	119428	99049
33	Udaipur	360740	329974	289996	263544
	Total	75,42,536	70,80,377	63,45,856	54,73,200

(As per NREGASoft)