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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 424
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 05TH DECEMBER, 2023

INTEGRATED SCHEME ON AGRICULTURAL MARKETING

424. SHRI SRIDHAR KOTAGIRI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the goals of the Integrated Scheme on Agricultural Marketing in the State of Andhra Pradesh;

(b) the details of work done under the scheme in the State of Andhra Pradesh during the last three years;

(c) the reasons for which the funds under the scheme utilized in Andhra Pradesh in 2020-21 were a mere Rs.13 crore only;

(d) whether the Government has monitored the work done in 2022-23 to check if it had sustainable benefits thereafter; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (c): Government is implementing Central Sector Scheme of Integrated Scheme of Agricultural Marketing (ISAM) in the country including in Andhra Pradesh. The main goals of ISAM scheme are as under:

- i. To promote Creation of scientific storage capacity and non-storage agricultural marketing infrastructure by providing backend subsidy support to state, cooperative and private sector investments.
- ii. To integrate physical wholesale markets to facilitate online trading of agricultural commodities through transparent price discovery method to enable farmers to realize better remunerative prices for their produce.
- iii. To establish a nation-wide information network system for speedy collection and dissemination of market information and data on arrivals and prices for its efficient and timely utilization by farmers.
- iv. To support framing of grade standards and quality certification of agricultural commodities to help farmers get better and remunerative prices for their graded produce.
- v. To undertake and promote training, research, education, extension and consultancy in the agri marketing sector.

ISAM have four sub-schemes viz., Agricultural Marketing Infrastructure (AMI), Marketing Research & Information Network (MRIN), National Agriculture Market (e-NAM) and Strengthening of Agmark Grading Facilities (SAGF)

The details of the work done and fund released/ subsidy released under ISAM in the State of Andhra Pradesh during the last three years is at Annexure-I.

(d) & (e): The Development Monitoring & Evaluation office (DMEO), NITI Aayog, had submitted its report in August, 2020, on evaluation of centrally sponsored schemes in Agriculture, Animal husbandry & fisheries sector, which also includes ISAM scheme.

1. Progress of AMI sub-scheme of ISAM in Andhra Pradesh since 2020-21

Financial Year	Number of Projects Sanctioned	Total Capacity Sanctioned (in MT)	Total Subsidy Released (in Rs.)
2020-21	54	123202.99	9,56,17,181.00
2021-22	76	149919.16	6,51,67,240.00
2022-23	51	122443.16	4,22,47,558.00
2023-24*	31	24814.56	19,66,86,000.00
Total	212	4,20,379.87	39,97,17,979.00

* - As on 28.11.2023

2. Progress of e-NAM sub-scheme of ISAM in Andhra Pradesh since 2020-21

As on 30.11.2023, Total 33 mandis of Andhra Pradesh have been integrated on e-NAM. The progress of e-NAM in the state of Andhra Pradesh is as below:

Particulars	FY 2020 – 21	FY 2021 – 22	FY 2022 – 23
Trade Volume (MT)	845880	1227226	1134003
Trade Value (Rs Cr.)	4014	8623	10267
Fund released (In Rs)	-- **	-- **	-- **

** e-NAM is a demand driven scheme.

3. Progress of MRIN sub-scheme in Andhra Pradesh

There are 195 Agmarknet nodes (APMC market yards) covered under MRIN scheme in the State of Andhra Pradesh. The year-wise detailed reporting status of Agmarknet nodes in the state for last three years are as below;

Sl. No.	Month	No. of market reported during last three year		
		2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
1	April	30	29	31
2	May	38	27	32
3	June	38	27	31
4	July	30	27	27
5	August	30	25	29
6	Sept	31	25	27
7	Oct	30	31	25
8	Nov	31	31	25
9	Dec	30	34	25
10	January	29	32	27
11	Feb	29	32	25
12	March	29	31	24

Source: (Agmarknet portal)

Link- https://agmarknet.gov.in/pmsnew/consolidatedrep_cat_Year1.aspx
