GOVERNMENTOF INDIA MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *319 ANSWERED ON 10TH DECEMBER, 2019

PM KISHAN SAMPADA YOJANA

*319. SHRI RAJA AMARESHWARA NAIK: DR. SUKANTA MAJUMDAR:

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

- (a) whether the Government has allocated Rs. 6,000 crore to Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (Scheme for Agro-Marine Processing and Development of Agro-Processing Clusters) for the period 2016-20;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether PM Kisan Sampada Yojana is expected to leverage investment of Rs. 31,400 crore for handling of 334 lakh MT agro-produce valued at Rs. 1,04,125 crore, benefiting 20 lakh farmers and generating 5,30,500 direct/indirect employment in the country during the year 2019-20 and if so, the progress made so far;
- (d) the total funds released for the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana as on date along with the amount utilised from the said funds; and
- (e) the financial assistance provided to address post-harvest losses of horticulture and non-horticulture produce through setting up of integrated cold chain, preservation and value addition infrastructure facilities during the last two years along with the other steps taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SMT. HARSIMRAT KAUR BADAL)

(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *319 FOR ANSWER ON 10TH DECEMBER, 2019 REGARDING 'PM KISAN SAMPADA YOJANA'

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. The scheme components along with respective outlay are: (i) Mega Food Parks (₹ 1500 crore); (ii) Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure (₹ 1650 crore); (iii) Creation/Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities (₹ 1290 crore); (iv) Infrastructure for Agro-processing Clusters (₹ 750 crore); (v) Creation of Backward and Forward Linkages (₹ 150 crore) (vi) Food Safety and Quality Assurance Infrastructure (₹ 165 crore), (vii) Human Resources and Institutions (₹ 285 crore) and (viii) Operation Greens (₹ 500 crore)

(c): The PMKSY envisages to leverage investment of 31,400 crore, handling of 334 lakh MT agro-produce valuing 1,04,125 crore, benefit 20 lakh farmers and generate 5,30,500 direct/ indirect employment in the country on completion of sanctioned projects. So far, 701 projects have been sanctioned under different component schemes, which is expected to leverage investment of about 12,455 crore, handle about 259 lakh MT agro-produce valuing about 67,054 crore, benefit about 46.37 lakh farmers and generate about 5.6 lakh direct/ indirect employment in the country on completion of the projects.

Year	Budget Allocation (in ₹ crore)	Fund Released (in ₹ crore)
2016-17	688.56	677.16
2017-18	633.84	605.58
2018-19	870.33	591.38
2019-20	1101.00	468.64

(d): The total fund allocated and released under PMKSY since 2016-17 as on 30.11.2019 is given in the table below:

(e): The financial assistance provided under scheme of Integrated Cold Chain and value Addition Infrastructure during the last two years is given below:

Year	Amount of financial assistance	
	(₹ crore)	
2017-18	195.86	
2018-19	244.74	

Apart from the assistance under PMKSY, measures like (i) bringing cold storage units/cold storage chains to store agriculture produce/products under priority sector lending, (ii) allowing 100% deduction for capital expenditure incurred on setting up and operating of cold chain facility, (iii) concessional import duty of 5% under project imports of cold storage, cold room, have been taken to promote cold storage and cold chain infrastructure with a view to address post-harvest losses of horticulture and non-horticulture produce in the country.