

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

LOK SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1676
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.03.2020**

BENEFIT UNDER PRADHAN MANTRI SHRAM YOGI YOJANA

†1676. SHRI BASANTA KUMAR PANDA:

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of persons across the country who have received the benefit under Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Yojana after its commencement; and**
- (b) the total number and details of beneficiaries in Odisha including the Parliamentary constituency of Kalahandi?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
(SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)**

(a) & (b): Ministry of Labour & Employment has Introduced Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Maan-Dhan Yojana which is a voluntary and contributory pension scheme for providing monthly minimum assured pension of Rs.3,000/- on attaining the age of 60 years. The unorganised workers in the age group of 18-40 years whose monthly income is Rs.15,000/- or less, who is not an income tax payer and not a member of EPFO/ESIC/NPS(Govt. funded) can join the scheme. Under the scheme, 50% monthly contribution is payable by the beneficiary and equal matching contribution is paid by the Central Government. The total Number of beneficiaries enrolled across the country as on 25.02.2020 is 42,06,439.

The total number of beneficiaries enrolled in the State of Odisha as on 25.02.2020 is 1,55,222. Constituency-wise data is not maintained. The total number of beneficiaries enrolled in the Kalahandi district is 4448.
