

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES

LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO.†*285
TO BE ANSWERED ON 16TH MARCH, 2021

PMMSY IN BIHAR

†*285. SHRI DILESHWAR KAMAIT:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the State of Bihar has been benefited under the Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY); and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

(SHRI GIRIRAJ SINGH)

- (a) and (b): A Statement is placed on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to the Lok Sabha Starred Question No †*285 put in by Shri Dileshwar Kamait, Honourable Member of Parliament for answer on 16th March, 2021 regarding PMMSY in Bihar.

(a) and (b): Yes Sir. The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying is implementing a flagship scheme namely “Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY) - to bring about Blue Revolution through sustainable and responsible development of fisheries sector in India” with highest ever investment of Rs.20050 crore in fisheries sector in all the States/Union Territories including Bihar for a period of 5 years with effect from the financial year 2020-21. Under the PMMSY, an indicative investment of Rs.1390 crore has been envisaged for development of fisheries and aquaculture in Bihar during the period of five years. During the current financial year (2020-21), the Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying has accorded approval to the proposal of Government of Bihar at a total cost of Rs.183.32 crore under the PMMSY for development of fisheries in the State. The approved activities primarily include construction of hatcheries, rearing ponds, grow-out ponds with inputs, biofloc ponds with inputs, stocking of fingerlings in reservoirs and wetlands, ornamental fish culture, Re-circulatory Aquaculture System, installation of cages in reservoirs, ice plants, fish transport vehicles, fish markets, fish feed plants, mobile fish kiosks, Matsya Seva Kendra, brood bank, aquatic referral labs etc.
