GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †2343

ANSWERED ON 09TH MARCH, 2021

FOOD PROCESSING PROJECTS IN ASSAM

†2343. SHRI KRIPANATH MALLAH:

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

- (a) the details of the number of food processing/preservation and infrastructure projects sanctioned within Assam during the last one year;
- (b) whether the Government has sanctioned any funds for Assam during the last one year and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has set any target in this regard and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government has also included Mini Food Parks under these projects; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a) to (e) : Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) is implementing Central Sector Umbrella scheme - PRADHAN MANTRI KISAN SAMPADA YOJANA (PMKSY) for overall growth and development of food processing sector across the country. The components of PMKSY are demand driven, under which credit linked capital subsidy in the form of grants-in-aid is provided to the individuals, farmers, Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs), Entrepreneurs, Cooperatives, Societies, Self Help Groups (SHGs), Private Companies and Central/ State PSUs, etc. for creation of processing/preservation infrastructure and setting up of food processing industries/ units/ projects across the country (including in the State of Assam) and separate State-wise allocation is not made.

Ministry has so far approved 1 project under Mega Food Park Scheme, 2 projects under Cold Chain Infrastructure Scheme, 3 projects under Agro Processing Cluster (also called Mini Food Parks) Scheme, 1 project under Creation of Backward & Forward Linkages Scheme and 15 projects under Creation / Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities (CEFPPC) Scheme in the State of Assam under respective components of PMKSY i.e. a total of 22 projects Out of these, 9 projects under CEFPPC Scheme have been approved during FY 2020-21, details of which is placed at Annexure.

Also, as part of Aatmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan, MoFPI has launched an all India centrally sponsored "PM Formalization of Micro food processing Enterprises (PMFME) Scheme" for providing financial, technical and business support for upgradation of two lakh micro food processing enterprises in a period of five years from 2020-21 to 2024-25 with an outlay of Rs. 10,000 crores, out of which 12778 units have been allocated to the State of Assam with an outlay of 638.92 Crore for five years.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2343 FOR ANSWER ON 09TH MARCH, 2021 REGARDING FOOD PROCESSING PROJECTS IN ASSAM

<u>Creation / Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities Projects</u>

Approved During FY 2020-21 in Assam State

Sr. No.	Name of the applicant	District	Approval FY	Project Cost (Rs. in Cr.)	Approved Grant (Rs. in Cr.)	Released Amount (Rs. in Cr.)	Status
1	M/s Tirupati Foods	Guwahati	2020-21	13.62	5.00	2.50	Under implementation
2	M/s Swastik Roller Flour Mill	Kamrup	2020-21	18.22	5.00	0.00	Under implementation
3	M/s Subh Karan Food Park	Kamrup	2020-21	11.18	5.00	0.00	Under implementation
4	M/s Shyam Foods	Kamrup	2020-21	2.59	0.71	0.00	Under implementation
5	M/s Raja Food and Proteins	Sonitpur	2020-21	6.25	2.05	0.00	Under implementation
6	M/s Shanti Agrovet Industries	Sonitpur	2020-21	11.3	4.62	0.00	Under implementation
7	M/s Imperial Delicacies	Sonitpur	2020-21	13.28	5.00	0.00	Under implementation
8	M/s Subh Karan Food Park	Kamrup	2020-21	14.26	5.00	0.00	Under implementation
9	M/s HAR HAR Foods & Beverages	Nalbari	2020-21	10.93	4.97	0.00	Under implementation