

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
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DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3272**  
ANSWERED ON 16.03.2021

IMPLEMENTATION OF PMAY-G

3272. SHRI KESINENI SRINIVAS:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of houses completed under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana - Gramin (PMAY-G) in the FY 2020-21 in the country particularly in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the hurdles faced due to the pandemic and pandemic induced lock-down and the steps taken to address the same; and
- (c) the detailed breakup of the number of masons trained under the Rural Masons' Training programme from FY 2016-17 to FY 2020-21?

**ANSWER**  
**MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT**  
**(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)**

(a) The Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana-Gramin (PMAY-G) being implemented w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2016 aims to provide "Housing for All" through provision of pucca house with basic amenities to all houseless households living in kutcha and dilapidated house in rural areas by March, 2022. The overall target is to construct 2.95 crore houses by the year 2021-22. Under PMAY-G, a total of 28,45,268 houses have been completed in the country during the year 2020-21. Andhra Pradesh State had been allocated a target of 78,276 houses under PMAY-G, out of which 46,723 houses were completed during 2016-17 to 2018-19. No house has been constructed in 2019-20 and 2020-21 in Andhra Pradesh.

(b) During the period of Covid-19 pandemic induced nation-wide lockdown, all construction activities including construction of houses under PMAY-G had slowed down, retarding the pace of construction of PMAY-G houses. However, the construction activities have been resumed after the relaxation of Covid-19 guidelines. The States/UTs have been requested to expedite the completion of houses approved under PMAY-G. Other steps taken including timely allocation of targets to the States/UTs under PMAY-G, provision of adequate funds and promotion of eco-friendly and innovative technologies for house construction, provision of land to landless beneficiaries in rural areas, regular review of progress at the level of Secretary/Additional Secretary/Deputy DG, Ministry of Rural Development and separate review of States/UTs with high target, poor performing States/UTs and delayed houses in States/UTs.

c) The detailed break-up of the number of masons trained under the Rural Masons' Training Programme from FY 2016-17 to FY 2020-21 is given as under:

Enrolled	Assessed	Appeared	Passed/Certified
1,92,456	1,58,689	1,33,557	1,12,859

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