GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION AND FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4563

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 23^{RD} MARCH, 2021

INCLUSION OF FARMERS IN PM-KISAN SCHEME SURVEY

4563. SHRI CHUNNI LAL SAHU:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by the Government to include entitled farmers and villagers left unintentionally in the survey conducted by the State Government under Pradhan Manatri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) Yojana;

(b) if so, the details of Chattisgarh State including Lakhagah village of Mahasamund district;

(c) whether the Government of Chhattisgarh has listed entitled farmers of Lakhagah village and the number of farmers to whom PM-KISAN Samman Nidhi funds have been disbursed;

(d) the details of farmers benefitted so far, district-wise/area-wise; and

(e) the reasons for not taking appropriate action in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a): Generally, for enrollment under the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) Scheme, the farmer is required to approach the local patwari / revenue officer / Nodal Officer (PM-Kisan) nominated by the State Government. However, the following additional steps have been taken by the Government to include more and more eligible farmers under the Scheme.

- (i) The States were advised to organize awareness campaigns and registration camps to bring the eligible beneficiaries into the ambit of the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) Scheme.
- (ii) A special feature, namely, "farmers corner" is available in the PM-KISAN portal, through which the farmers can also do their self-registration.
- (iii) Farmers can also edit their names in PM-Kisan database as per their Aadhaar database/ card through the Farmers Corner in the portal.
- (iv) Farmers can also know the status of their payment through the Farmers Corner in the portal. Village-wise details of beneficiaries are also available on the Farmers Corner.
- (v) Farmers can approach Village Level Entrepreneur (VLEs) of CSCs to get enrolled themselves under PM-KISAN Scheme. The facilities available at farmers corner can also be availed through VLEs of CSC.
- (vi) Mobile app has been launched which also provides the facilities available at farmers corner on PM-KISAN portal.

(b) to (d): 43 beneficiaries of Lakhagah village of Mahasamund district have been given benefits under PM-KISAN Scheme. The district-wise details of farmers benefitted under PM-KISAN Scheme in the State of Chattisgarh is given at **Annexure-I**.

(e): Does not arise, in view of the above.

Annexure-I

Details of Farmers benefitted under PM-KISAN in Chhattisgarh district-wise

District Name	Total Beneficiary
BALOD	1,35,482
BALODA BAZAR	1,76,513
BALRAMPUR	71,508
BASTAR	61,234
BEMETARA	1,72,341
BIJAPUR	15,909
BILASPUR	1,34,132
DANTEWADA	19,006
DHAMTARI	1,08,611
DURG	88,253
GARIYABAND	1,47,768
JANJGIR-CHAMPA	4,32,454
JASHPUR	84,647
KABIRDHAM	1,36,372
KANKER	95,324
KONDAGAON	63,882
KORBA	1,14,175
KOREA	57,012
MAHASAMUND	1,57,842
MUNGELI	82,657
NARAYANPUR	9,491
RAIGARH	2,16,744
RAIPUR	1,01,953
RAJNANDGAON	2,42,665
SUKMA	22,536
SURAJPUR	1,07,063
SURGUJA	82,972
Total	31,38,546
