

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4587
ANSWERED ON 23RD MARCH, 2021

EMPLOYMENT UNDER PMKSY

4587. SHRI HEMANT TUKARAM GODSE:

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

- (a) whether Pradhan Mantri Kisan Sampada Yojana (PMKSY) envisages creation of direct and indirect employment and if so, the period of implementation of the PMKSY and the total outlay for the Yojana along with the details of Schemes being implemented under PMKSY;
- (b) the steps/measures and policy initiatives taken by the Government to promote overall growth of food processing sector and generate employment opportunities;
- (c) whether a Special Fund has been created with the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) to provide affordable credit to food processing projects/units, if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether the Government has received any proposal from the State Government of Karnataka to set up projects under PMKSY, if so, the details thereof, including the major projects sanctioned during the last one year?

ANSWER

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

(a): The Ministry of Food Processing industries (MoFPI) has been implementing Central Sector umbrella scheme Pradhan Mantri Kisan SAMPADA Yojana (PMKSY) for overall growth and development of food processing sector with an outlay of Rs. 6000 Crore for the period 2016-17 to 2019-20. The period has since been extended to FY 2020-21. PMKSY is expected to generate 5,30,500 direct/ indirect employments in the country. An additional new scheme "Operation Greens (OG)" was introduced in PMKSY in November, 2018 with an outlay of Rs 500 Crores. The component schemes of PMKSY are – (i) Mega Food Park; (ii) Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure; (iii) Creation /Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities; (iv) Infrastructure for Agro-Processing Clusters; (v) Creation of Backward & Forward linkages; (vi) Food Safety and Quality Assurance Infrastructure; (vii) Human Resource and Institutions; and (viii) Operation Greens.

(b) & (c): Some of the steps / policy measures to promote overall growth of food processing sector and generate employment opportunities are as follows

- i. A Special Food Processing Fund of Rs. 2000 crore was set up with NABARD in November 2014 to provide affordable credit for investments in setting up Mega Food Parks as well as processing units in the MFPs. In 2019, the coverage of the fund was extended to setting up of Agro Processing Clusters and individual manufacturing units

within them. Total term loan sanctioned from the Fund as on 28.02.2021 amounts to Rs 689.32 Crores.

- ii. As part of the Aatmanirbhar Bharat Initiative, MoFPI is implementing a Centrally Sponsored Scheme-PM Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises Scheme for providing financial, technical and business support for setting up/upgradation of 2 lakh micro food processing enterprises through credit linked subsidy during five years from 2020-21 to 2024-25 with an outlay of Rs.10,000 cr.
 - iii. Food & agro-based processing units and cold chain has been included as agricultural activity under Priority Sector Lending norms in April 2015.
 - iv. 100% Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) under the automatic route has been permitted. Subsequently, 100% FDI was permitted under government approved route for retail trading, including through e-commerce, in respect of food products manufactured/ produced in India in 2016-17.
 - v. Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) has allowed ingredient and additive based approvals in place of product-by-product approval.
- (d): Under the component schemes of PMKSY, MoFPI provides mostly credit linked financial assistance (capital subsidy) in the form of grants-in-aid to entrepreneurs for setting up of food processing / preservation industries. The details of projects approved in Karnataka during 2019-20 and 2020-21 are enclosed at **Annexure**.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN PART (d) OF REPLY TO THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4587 FOR ANSWER ON 23RD MARCH, 2021 REGARDING 'EMPLOYMENT UNDER PMKSY'.

Details of Projects sanctioned in Karnataka during 2019-20 and 2020-21:

1. Infrastructure for Agro Processing Clusters Scheme:

(Rs. In Crore)

Sl. No.	Name of the Project Execution Agency (PEA)	Date of approval	Project cost	Grant approved	Status
1	M/s Hiriya Food Park Private Limited Chitradurga District, Karnataka	04.01.2021	22.6	4.27	Under Implementation
2	M/s GEM Food Park LLP Distt. Davanagere, Karnataka	15.03.2019	36.16	9.77	Under Implementation
3	M/s Mathias Properties Mangalore Taluk, Dakshina Kannada	01.07.2019	32.67	8.4482	Under Implementation
4	M/s Agro Cluster Vijayapur, Karnataka	09.01.2020	21.57	10	Under Implementation

2. Creation / Expansion of Food Processing & Preservation Capacities Scheme:

(Rs. in Crore)

Sr. No.	Name of the Project	District	Date of Approval	Project Cost	Approved Grant	Status
1	M/s Hitayu Dairy Private Limited	Mandya	22.12.2020	19.64	5.00	Under Implementation
2	M/s Sunrise Food Products	Mandya	22.12.2020	20.28	5.00	Under Implementation
3	M/s Sproutlife Foods Pvt. Limited	Tumkur	22.12.2020	15.83	5.00	Under Implementation
4	M/s Ashwarooda Enrich Foods	Mandya	09.07.2019	5.07	1.06	Under Implementation
5	M/s Sri Venkateshwara Industries	Mysuru	09.07.2019	7.56	2.40	Under Implementation
6	Sri Balaji Industries	Mysuru	09.07.2019	6.86	2.25	Under Implementation
7	M/s Avantnature Foods Private Limited	Tumkur	02.12.2019	9.33	2.45	Under Implementation
8	M/s Anutham Enterprises	Vijaypur	02.12.2019	10.68	5.00	Under Implementation

9	M/s Maxvita Foods (India) Private Limited	Mandya	16.03.2020	18.91	4.86	Under Implementation
10	M/s Beri Agro Foods	Mandya	16.03.2020	19.42	5.00	Under Implementation
11	M/s Agro Cluster (Unit-II)	Vijaypur	08.12.2020	10.48	5.00	Under Implementation
12	M/s. Agro Cluster (Unit-I)	Vijaypur	09.06.2020	10.58	5.00	Under Implementation

3. Creation of Backward and forward linkages Scheme :

(Rs. In crore)

Si No	Name of project	Sector	District	Approval Letter Date	Project Cost	Approved Grant	Released Amount	Status
1	Gem Sales	Horticulture	Bijapur	21-022019	10.12	4.31	3.54	Completed

4. Food Testing Laboratories Scheme :

(Rs. in Cr)

S. No.	Name of the Project	Date of Approval	Project cost	Grant Sanctioned	Current status
1	Eureka Analytical, Bangalore	24.09.2020	10.79	3.15	On going