

Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Economic Affairs
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.137
TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY 19th JULY, 2021
SUKANYA SAMRIDDHI YOJANA

No.137

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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:-

- (a) the number of accounts opened under the Sukanya Samriddhi Yojana (SSY) scheme during the last two years, State-wise and bank-wise;
- (b) whether it is true that there have been recorded instances of bank officials failing to provide essential information to the beneficiaries of the said Yojana;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether the Government has any plans to increase the awareness regarding the Yojana and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(**SHRI PANKAJ CHAUDHARY**)

- (a) The details of number of accounts (state-wise and bank-wise) opened under the Sukanya Samriddhi Account (SSA) scheme during the last two years is attached as annexure-I & II.
- (b) & (c) No such instances have been noticed in this Department.
- (d) Government is taking various measures to increase the awareness of the scheme through advertisements in print and electronic media from time to time.

Annexure-I			
Statement Showing State wise No of accounts opened under SSA scheme			
S.No.	NAME OF THE STATE	2020-21	2019-20
1	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS	514	-487
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	142,104	127,986
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1,535	1,750
4	ASSAM	100,945	112,324
5	BIHAR	301,182	188,555
6	CHANDIGARH	5,482	5,203
7	CHHATTISGARH	106,630	122,975
8	DELHI	87,540	103,185
9	GOA	4,640	4,976
10	GUJARAT	234,242	228,550
11	HARYANA	91,883	119,091
12	HIMACHAL PRADESH	39,364	47,084
13	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	16,903	13,703
14	JHARKHAND	42,645	45,607
15	KARNATAKA	392,319	214,856
16	KERALA	176,041	177,981
17	LADAKH	399	3,141
18	LAKSHADWEEP	55	-63
19	MADHYA PRADESH	238,554	362,821
20	MAHARASHTRA	327,543	374,575
21	MANIPUR	4,320	6,822
22	MEGHALAYA	2,156	387
23	MIZORAM	1,284	-959
24	NAGALAND	2,997	2,936
25	ODISHA	173,907	130,155
26	PUDUCHERRY	5,680	17,471
27	PUNJAB	87,128	106,024
28	RAJASTHAN	355,195	178,300
29	SIKKIM	1,257	-360
30	TAMIL NADU	330,633	292,348
31	TELANGANA	137,819	109,261
32	THE DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN AND DIU	2,121	1,195
33	TRIPURA	3,638	4,133
34	UTTAR PRADESH	415,818	415,946
35	UTTARAKHAND	47,388	59,772
36	WEST BENGAL	136,483	137,963
TOTAL		4,018,344	3,715,207

Annexure-II			
Statement Showing Bank wise No. of accounts opened under SSA scheme			
S.No.	Name of the Bank	2020-21	2019-20
1	Allahabad Bank	Merged into Indian Bank	51,052
2	Andhra Bank	Merged into Union Bank	2,700
3	Axis Bank	12,068	NA
4	Bank of Baroda	191,514	123,184
5	Bank of India	22,427	41,075
6	Bank of Maharashtra	9,193	16,182
7	Canara Bank	24,640	14,254
8	Central Bank of India	53,432	65,163
9	Corporation Bank	Merged into Union Bank	7,197
10	Dena Bank	Merged into Bank of Baroda	34,083
11	HDFC Bank	21,289	20,026
12	ICICI Bank	9,431	12,564
13	IDBI Bank	7,328	7,881
14	Indian Bank	16,153	12,059
15	Indian Overseas Bank	2,184	2,178
16	Oriental Bank Of Commerce	Merged into PNB	7,414
17	Punjab & Sindh Bank	14,367	NA
18	Punjab National Bank	67,515	78,537
19	State Bank of India	239,911	313,422
20	Syndicate Bank	Merged into Canara Bank	6,866
21	UCO Bank	21,033	21,086
22	Union Bank	35,965	36,610
24	United Bank of India	Merged into PNB	NA
25	Vijaya Bank	Merged into Bank of Baroda	8,406
TOTAL		748,450	881,939