

Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Financial Services

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NABARD Schemes

1362. SHRI AJAY NISHAD:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the National Bank Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) has formulated or proposes to formulate any scheme to provide financial assistance to the rural artisans of the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof State/UT-wise including Bihar;
- (c) the details of the financial assistance provided by NABARD in this regard during the last three years and the current year, scheme-wise and State-wise; and
- (d) the number of artisans benefitted through various schemes funded by NABARD during the said period, State/UT-wise?
- (e) the steps taken by the Government to provide more employment in PSUs to local people?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(DR. BHAGWAT KARAD)

(a) to (c): As apprised by NABARD, they support developmental programmes in the off-farm sector in areas such as skill development, entrepreneurship development, promotion of Off-Farm Producers' Organizations in the handloom and handicrafts sector, registration of Geographical Indication, etc., to enhance the skill sets and income of the rural people including unemployed youth, artisans, weavers, agri-labourers, etc

The details are provided in Annexure.

(d): As apprised by NABARD, cumulatively, NABARD has supported training of 9.58 lakh rural youth, through 35557 programmes, with grant assistance of ₹174.37 crore by gainfully engaging rural youth both in wage as well as self-employment. Similarly, 40 Off Farm Producer Organisations covering around 14043 artisans and weavers have been supported with grant assistance of ₹17.35 crore across 20 States. During 2021-22, 05 OFPOs with grant support of ₹ 3.67 Crore have been sanctioned.

NABARD has so far supported Geographical Indication (GI) registration of 88 products, including Black Pottery (Nizamabad), Wall hanging (Ghazipur), Soft Stone Jali work (Varanasi), Gulabi Minakari (Banaras), Handmade Dari (Mirzapur), etc., with grant assistance of ₹. 174.24 lakh. During 2021 – 22, ₹ 32.32 lakh grant assistance was sanctioned for registration of 18 GI products. During 2021 – 22, an amount of ₹.0.91 crore has been sanctioned for this purpose for registration of 15 products.

A project was also sanctioned for registration of 1000 artisans of 17 different GI crafts, skilling and training of 300 Artisans of 2 GI crafts i.e. Varanasi Glass Beads & Mirzapur Handmade Darito in Uttar Pradesh during 2021-22.

(e): Employment in Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) depends upon their requirement as per their expansion/investment plan. The action in respect of provision of jobs by public sector to local people, if any, is to be taken by the Board of the concerned CPSE and the responsibility for the same vests with respective Board of CPSE/its administrative Ministry/Department.

Annexure

Details of financial assistance (State-wise/UT wise including Bihar) provided by NABARD to the rural artisans of the country during the last three years and the current year

FINANCIAL YEAR 2018-2019

(Rs. In Lakh)

State	Capacity Building (including skill dev)	Exhibition/ Melas	Off Farm Producer Organisations	Others	Rural Haat	Rural Mart	Grand Total
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	10.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	0.0	20.5
ANDHRA PRADESH	69.6	49.5	51.8	0.0	40.0	19.7	230.5
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	5.2	15.2
ASSAM	6.6	16.1	24.7	0.0	60.0	0.0	107.3
BIHAR	32.4	22.8	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	56.2
CHHATTISGARH	9.9	1.8	0.0	3.2	45.7	6.0	66.5
GOA	2.0	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.7
GUJARAT	42.7	9.3	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	55.2
HARYANA	58.4	113.6	30.7	0.0	0.0	9.2	211.9
HIMACHAL PRADESH	6.7	22.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	31.8
JAMMU KASHMIR	10.7	0.0	24.9	0.0	0.0	9.3	44.9
JHARKHAND	46.8	6.0	2.3	0.0	6.8	1.0	62.9
KARNATAKA	23.8	19.4	0.0	0.6	47.4	7.6	98.8
KERALA	50.7	20.7	0.0	0.0	10.0	15.9	97.3
MADHYA PRADESH	87.6	23.4	83.8	0.0	38.9	10.0	243.6
MAHARASHTRA	40.1	70.1	21.0	10.5	20.0	2.6	164.2
MANIPUR	6.4	18.1	0.0	0.0	20.0	9.5	54.0
MEGHALAYA	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.0	4.6
MIZORAM	0.0	1.6	1.2	5.7	40.0	4.9	53.4
NAGALAND	7.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	20.0	0.0	27.6
ODISHA	41.6	26.6	78.1	12.1	27.0	13.9	199.3
PAN INDIA	325.5	75.5	0.0	32.2	0.0	0.0	433.2
PUDUCHERRY	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9
PUNJAB	11.7	32.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.7	54.8
RAJASTHAN	0.0	13.0	209.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	222.0
SIKKIM	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.5	3.5
TAMIL NADU	102.3	17.8	33.5	5.0	22.3	15.8	196.7
TELANGANA	27.1	49.1	25.0	3.2	30.0	11.0	145.4
TRIPURA	0.8	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2
UTTAR PRADESH	105.2	81.0	0.0	0.0	39.0	24.1	249.4
UTTARAKHAND	15.1	15.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.8	43.6
WEST BENGAL	37.3	38.5	25.3	0.0	10.0	11.9	122.9
Grand Total	1179.1	750.3	614.2	73.4	497.0	211.0	3324.9

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FINANCIAL YEAR 2019-2020

(Rs. In Lakh)

State	Capacity Building (including skill dev)	Exhibition/ Melas	Off Farm Producer Organisations	Others	Rural Haat	Rural Mart	Grand Total
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	13.4	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	16.5
ANDHRA PRADESH	91.3	54.8	24.6	0.0	40.0	12.9	223.6
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	2.0	4.2	22.7	0.0	20.0	9.3	58.2
ASSAM	15.3	7.1	0.0	0.0	48.8	10.6	81.8
BIHAR	141.7	15.8	0.0	0.0	24.8	5.9	188.2
CHHATTISGARH	3.9	7.9	0.0	0.0	39.0	6.9	57.7
DELHI	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
GOA	0.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.0
GUJARAT	56.5	8.5	95.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	160.7
HARYANA	255.2	115.1	1.4	0.0	0.0	8.5	380.2
HIMACHAL PRADESH	4.3	7.3	0.0	24.7	20.0	9.0	65.3
JAMMU KASHMIR	3.5	20.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	23.6
JHARKHAND	58.5	11.4	97.9	0.0	30.0	19.2	217.1
KARNATAKA	25.7	63.1	171.3	0.0	69.9	32.7	362.8
KERALA	46.2	28.0	0.0	0.0	30.0	20.4	124.7
MADHYA PRADESH	216.9	23.0	26.4	17.5	40.0	26.3	350.1
MAHARASHTRA	16.2	28.2	1.6	0.0	19.9	20.0	85.9
MANIPUR	3.4	23.7	0.0	13.5	20.2	1.7	62.4
MEGHALAYA	1.9	1.6	0.0	0.0	30.0	0.0	33.5
MIZORAM	0.1	4.6	0.0	0.0	39.9	2.4	47.1
NAGALAND	3.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	20.0	8.2	31.9
ODISHA	43.1	26.4	26.9	0.0	18.9	18.6	133.8
PAN INDIA	664.8	215.7	0.0	507.0	0.0	0.0	1387.5
PUDUCHERRY	9.1	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.6
PUNJAB	22.1	25.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.4	55.6
RAJASTHAN	16.4	19.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	38.4
SIKKIM	4.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0	6.9	20.9
TAMIL NADU	112.4	40.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	22.2	175.2
TELANGANA	32.0	71.4	2.0	0.0	49.8	13.8	169.1
TRIPURA	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	3.3
UTTAR PRADESH	96.0	83.7	15.2	0.0	40.0	23.1	258.0
UTTARAKHAND	22.2	11.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.6	36.0
WEST BENGAL	65.6	65.3	3.6	2.4	30.0	16.3	183.1
Grand Total	2047.7	989.7	489.1	565.0	641.2	312.8	5045.6

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FINANCIAL YEAR 2020-2021

(Rs. In Lakh)

State	Capacity Building (including skill dev)	Exhibition/ Melas	Off Farm Producer Organisations	Others	Rural Haat	Rural Mart	Grand Total
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	10.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.6
ANDHRA PRADESH	70.3	27.8	10.0	0.0	14.9	60.2	183.2
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	7.5	0.0	5.0	0.0	9.9	12.6	35.0
ASSAM	58.6	12.6	0.0	0.8	19.6	15.4	107.0
BIHAR	98.6	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.1
CHHATTISGARH	9.5	1.2	0.0	0.0	45.6	6.7	62.9
GOA	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.9	0.0	14.5	24.4
GUJARAT	92.0	13.6	95.0	0.0	15.5	10.7	226.7
HARYANA	34.4	7.7	7.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	52.3
HIMACHAL PRADESH	54.8	21.6	0.7	0.0	0.0	20.4	97.4
JAMMU KASHMIR	12.7	22.3	5.0	0.0	0.0	10.5	50.5
JHARKHAND	20.7	12.4	0.0	0.0	40.0	9.9	83.1
KARNATAKA	125.6	36.4	105.0	0.0	74.0	56.8	397.9
KERALA	58.1	10.6	5.0	15.3	0.0	19.6	108.5
MADHYA PRADESH	89.1	60.5	31.5	0.0	71.9	64.2	317.1
MAHARASHTRA	26.9	13.4	10.0	0.0	15.5	19.4	85.2
MANIPUR	0.0	30.8	0.0	0.0	24.9	0.0	55.7
MEGHALAYA	10.9	0.0	0.0	5.3	15.0	9.2	40.3
MIZORAM	0.0	45.1	0.0	0.0	22.9	4.8	72.7
NAGALAND	7.6	0.0	1.4	0.0	20.0	2.6	31.5
ODISHA	68.3	0.5	20.0	0.0	16.3	17.8	122.9
PAN INDIA	879.4	24.5	0.0	228.0	0.0	0.0	1131.8
PUDUCHERRY	5.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.7
PUNJAB	36.7	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	44.2
RAJASTHAN	34.9	12.5	10.0	0.0	15.5	24.2	97.1
SIKKIM	8.5	0.1	3.0	0.0	0.0	5.0	16.6
TAMIL NADU	115.8	37.4	5.0	0.0	10.0	7.7	175.9
TELANGANA	59.3	25.5	74.2	0.0	0.0	32.6	191.6
TRIPURA	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5
UTTAR PRADESH	23.4	62.2	0.0	0.0	82.7	27.9	196.1
UTTARAKHAND	14.5	1.4	0.0	0.0	14.7	14.7	45.4
WEST BENGAL	87.9	22.0	18.0	0.0	28.9	6.3	163.1
Grand Total	2122.2	503.9	410.8	259.3	557.7	479.2	6149.8

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FINANCIAL YEAR 2021-2022 (up to 1st December 2021)

(Rs. In Lakh)

State	Capacity Building (including skill dev)	Exhibition/ Melas	OFPO	Others	Rural Haat	Rural Mart	Grand Total
ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	30.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	35.2
ANDHRA PRADESH	34.6	16.4	0.0	0.0	57.6	8.4	117.0
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	15.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	44.7	4.8	65.2
ASSAM	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60.0	3.9	63.9
BIHAR	6.6	4.5	1.0	0.0	15.0	5.0	32.1
CHHATTISGARH	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0
GOA	0.0	2.7	0.0	0.7	0.0	4.7	8.1
GUJARAT	42.4	10.0	0.0	25.5	0.0	9.8	87.6
HARYANA	28.6	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.0	4.7	34.4
HIMACHAL PRADESH	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
JAMMU KASHMIR	13.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.7	22.5
JHARKHAND	16.9	4.0	0.0	4.8	0.0	9.4	35.0
KARNATAKA	19.6	7.8	90.5	75.3	75.0	30.0	298.3
KERALA	32.0	4.6	0.0	5.7	0.0	23.8	66.0
MADHYA PRADESH	0.0	5.0	0.0	24.0	9.0	0.0	38.0
MAHARASHTRA	0.0	6.9	10.0	15.4	15.0	0.0	47.3
MANIPUR	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
MEGHALAYA	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7	43.4	0.0	46.0
MIZORAM	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	30.0	0.0	30.0
NAGALAND	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	15.0	0.0	16.4
ODISHA	17.9	0.3	107.2	20.2	0.0	42.7	188.2
PAN INDIA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PUDUCHERRY	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
PUNJAB	33.3	0.8	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	35.7
RAJASTHAN	12.0	5.0	0.0	29.8	26.7	14.9	88.5
SIKKIM	0.0	0.0	0.0	15.0	0.0	0.0	15.0
TAMIL NADU	25.7	1.0	5.0	23.3	14.4	19.2	88.5
TELANGANA	81.0	16.4	0.0	20.9	0.0	29.9	148.2
TRIPURA	15.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.2	18.2
UTTAR PRADESH	64.9	25.0	0.0	65.7	41.6	39.0	236.2
UTTARAKHAND	18.9	0.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	12.4	33.3
WEST BENGAL	5.6	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	4.2	10.4
Grand Total	514.6	115.7	213.7	335.1	447.3	283.3	1909.8
