

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 249
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30TH NOVEMBER, 2021

Fish Production in Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh

**249. SHRI KANAKMAL KATARA:
SHRIMATI KESHARI DEVI PATEL:**

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of schemes being implemented to augment the fish production and to increase the income of fishermen in the States of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan including Banswara-Dungarpur of Rajasthan;
- (b) the details of the steps taken by the Government to provide training and financial assistance to fishermen under 'Atmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan';
- (c) the number of camps organised in the States of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan including Banswara-Dungarpur of Rajasthan and the number of people provided with training and the number amongst them joined trade of aquaculture/fish production, the details thereof, district-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to accord the status of agriculture to fisheries, if so, by when;
- (e) the district-wise details of the funds issued for fisheries during the last five years in the States of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan including Banswara - Dungarpur of Rajasthan; and
- (f) the capacity of fish production in the States of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan including Banswara Dungarpur of Rajasthan during the last five years, details thereof, district-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

(SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

(a): The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying is implementing a flagship scheme namely "Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY) with highest ever investment of Rs. 20,050 crore for a period of 5 years with effect from the financial year 2020-21 to 2024-25 in all States/Union Territories including Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan as a part of Aatma Nirbhar Bharat Package. Besides, a dedicated fund namely, 'Fisheries and Aquaculture Infrastructure Development Fund' (FIDF) with a total fund size of Rs.7,522.48 crore has been set up for providing concessional finance for creation and strengthening of fisheries infrastructure facilities. These schemes implemented in all the States/UTs including Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan *inter-alia* aiming towards augmentation of fish production, productivity, enhance the income of fish farmers, generate employment opportunities in fisheries and aquaculture sector.

(b): During the last financial year 2020-21 and in 2021-22, central fund to the tune of Rs.1223.96 crore has been released under the PMMSY to various States/UTs and other organizations including the State of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan for development of fisheries and for providing financial assistance to eligible fishermen. Besides sustainable development of fisheries and aquaculture, PMMSY inter-alia lays special focus on training, skill development, skill up-gradation and capacity building through trainings, awareness building programmes and exposure visits to stakeholders especially fishers, fish farmers, fish workers, fish vendors, entrepreneurs, officials, fisheries Cooperatives and members of Fish Farmer Producer Organizations. An amount of Rs. 100 crore is earmarked in PMMSY for Training, Awareness, Exposure and Capacity Building and is being utilised to impart training through National Fisheries Development Board, ICAR institutes, Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs), other organisations and State Departments. A total of 3774 outreach events covering about 20.78 lakh beneficiaries have been completed so far.

(c): The Government of Uttar Pradesh has reported that a total 55 number of training camps were organized in which 2360 persons were imparted training. It is further reported that most of the trainees are engaged in fish production activities. Similarly, the Government of Rajasthan has reported that 5 training-cum- awareness camps were organised to benefit 528 fishers including in the district of Banswara-Dungarpur. The Government of Rajasthan has further reported that a total of 135 trained beneficiaries have jointed trade of aquaculture and fish production.

(d) : The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying has no such proposal to accord the status of agriculture to fisheries.

(e) and (f): Year-wise district-wise funds released as reported by the Government of Uttar Pradesh and Government of Rajasthan are furnished at Annexure-I and Annexure-II respectively. Details of fish production reported during the last five years in the State of Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan are furnished below:

Sl No	Year	Fish production reported (quantity in lakh tonne)	
		Uttar Pradesh	Rajasthan
(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)
1	2016-17	6.18	0.50
2	2017-18	6.29	0.54
3	2018-19	6.62	0.55
4	2019-20	6.99	1.16
5	2020-21	7.46	0.60

Statement referred to in reply to part (e) and (f) of the Lok Sabha unstarred Question No. No.249 for reply on 30th November, 2021 - District-wise allotment of funds during the last five years in Uttar Pradesh as reported by the Government of Uttar Pradesh for fisheries

Sl. No	District	Funds released during the last years (2016-17 to 2020-21) (Rs. in lakhs)
(i)	(ii)	(iii)
1	Agra	191.05
2	Firozabad	185.25
3	Mainpuri	66.22
4	Mathura	564.11
5	Hathras	199.99
6	Kasganj	148.82
7	Aligarh	141.64
8	Etah	112.39
9	Azamgarh	158.14
10	Mau	237.76
11	Balliya	97.95
12	Kaushambi	104.31
13	Prayagraj	152.9
14	Pratapgarh	76.42
15	Fatehpur	67.92
16	Kannauj	93.25
17	Etawah	142.63
18	Kanpur Dehat	130.35
19	Farrukhabad	54.41
20	Auraiya	121.91
21	Kanpur Nagar	88.57
22	Gorakhpur	224.88
23	Deoria	273.72
24	Maharajganj	182.2
25	Kushinagar	280.03
26	Chitrakoot	98.27
27	Banda	135.48
28	Mahoba	111.71
29	Hamirpur	86.48
30	Jhansi	242.96
31	Jalaun	79.69
32	Lalitpur	144.79
33	Gonda	187.52
34	Bahraich	348.31
35	Balrampur	165.28
36	Shravasti	82.6

Sl. No	District	Funds released during the last years (2016-17 to 2020-21) (Rs. in lakhs)
(i)	(ii)	(iii)
37	Ayodhya	113.59
38	Ambedkar Nagar	156.25
39	Sultanpur	149.37
40	Amethi	119.88
41	Barabanki	682.56
42	Basti	89.67
43	Sant Kabir Nagar	80.24
44	Siddhartha Nagar	160.48
45	Bareilly	136.36
46	Pilibhit	114.78
47	Shahjahanpur	93.76
48	Badaun	64.65
49	Meerut	241.39
50	Gaziabad	53.88
51	Bulandsahar	282.71
52	Hapur	57.55
53	Bagpat	107.36
54	G B Nagar	53.85
55	Moradabad	87.81
56	Amroha	84.84
57	Rampur	157.48
58	Sambhal	78.78
59	Bijnor	167.24
60	Mirzapur	245.82
61	Sonbhadra	239.79
62	Bhadohi	59.68
63	Lucknow	179.25
64	Lakhimpur Kheeri	140.36
65	Hardoi	220.39
66	Raebareli	126.01
67	Sitapur	159.64
68	Unnao	148.47
69	Varansi	170.54
70	Gajipur	149.68
71	Chandauli	133.45
72	Jaunpur	137.45
73	Mujaffarnagar	116.62
74	Shamli	47.49
75	Saharanpur	94.72
	Total	11483.75

Annexure-II

Statement referred to in reply to part (e) and (f) of the Lok Sabha unstarred Question No. No.249 for reply on 30th November, 2021 - District-wise allotment of funds during the last five years in Rajasthan as reported by the Government of Rajasthan

Sl. No.	District	Funds released during last five years (2016-17 to 2020-21) (Rs. in lakhs)
(i)	(ii)	(iii)
1	Banswara	139.02
2	Baran	36.00
3	Bhilwara	36.00
4	Bundi	40.50
5	Chittorgarh	256.89
6	Dungarpur	8.50
7	Hanumangarh	18.00
8	Jaipur/Directorate level	315.90
9	Jhalawar	68.28
10	Pali	6.76
11	S.Madhopur	4.32
12	Tonk	33.02
13	Udaipur	32.52
	Total	995.71
