

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 369
ANSWERED ON 30/11/2021

WAGE PAYMENTS UNDER MGNREGS

369. SHRI GAURAV GOGOI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) is facing a negative net balance, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of the pending liabilities till date as part of the MGNREGS, with separate lists of the wage and material components, State-wise;
- (c) the number of person-days of work demanded and number of person-days of work generated in 2019-20 and thus far in 2020-21;
- (d) whether the Government has instructed that wage payments under MGNREGS be split according to caste categories; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor along with the reasons for retracting such order?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)

(a) & (b) Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme is a demand driven scheme. There are enough funds with the scheme to fulfill all the liabilities of the scheme for the States which have met the entire conditions for release of second tranche of funds. The Ministry has already sought additional resources for the Scheme.

State/UT-wise details of pending liabilities for wage component under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS as on 25.11.2021 is given at **Annexure-I**.

State/UT-wise details of pending liabilities for material component under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS as on 25.11.2021 are given at **Annexure-II**.

(c) Under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS, the employment demanded by persons, employment offered to persons and employment provided to persons in the financial year 2019-20 and FY 2020-21 is given below:

2019-20 (in lakhs)			2020-21 (in Lakhs)		
Employment demanded by persons	Employment offered to persons	Employment availed by persons	Employment demanded by persons	Employment offered to persons	Employment availed by persons
933.95	930.50	788.45	1332.58	1329.8	1118.78

In the financial year 2019-20, a total number of 265.35 crore persondays have been generated and in FY 2020-21, a total number of 389.17 crore persondays have been generated under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS.

(d) & (e) The category wise (SC, ST and Others) wage payment system, as made applicable from this current financial year, has been introduced to accurately reflect on ground flow of funds to various population groups. Its further streamlining is being undertaken.

Annexure-I referred in reply to part (a) & (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.369 due for answer on 30.11.2021

State/UT-wise details of pending liabilities for wage component under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS as on 25.11.2021		
Sl No.	States/UTs	Wage liability (Rs. in Lakh)
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	36990.81
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	6759.12
3	ASSAM	0.00
4	BIHAR	29618.61
5	CHHATTISGARH	2195.34
6	GOA	0.00
7	GUJARAT	0.00
8	HARYANA	1500.34
9	HIMACHAL PRADESH	15670.17
10	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	10934.93
11	JHARKHAND	20693.82
12	KARNATAKA	50888.40
13	KERALA	0.00
14	LADAKH	54.23
15	MADHYA PRADESH	38258.58
16	MAHARASHTRA	10689.04
17	MANIPUR	0.00
18	MEGHALAYA	3395.59
19	MIZORAM	6923.41
20	NAGALAND	2277.99
21	ODISHA	0.00
22	PUNJAB	11112.44
23	RAJASTHAN	5765.71
24	SIKKIM	0.00
25	TAMIL NADU	13330.71
26	TELANGANA	4798.77
27	TRIPURA	0.00
28	UTTAR PRADESH	0.00
29	UTTARAKHAND	0.00
30	WEST BENGAL	124440.01
31	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR	0.00
32	LAKSHADWEEP	0.00
33	PUDUCHERRY	33.37
34	THE DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN AND DIU	0.00
	Total	396331.40

Annexure-II

Annexure-II referred in reply to part (a) & (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.369 due for answer on 30.11.2021

State/UT-wise details of pending liabilities for material component under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS as on 25-Nov-2021		
SI No.	States/UTs	Material liability (Rs. in Lakh)
1	2	3
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	134068.91
2	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	4519.9
3	ASSAM	6466.28
4	BIHAR	54832.56
5	CHHATTISGARH	26136.55
6	GOA	1.08
7	GUJARAT	11394.92
8	HARYANA	4594.65
9	HIMACHAL PRADESH	4043.94
10	JAMMU AND KASHMIR	4019.34
11	JHARKHAND	20886.94
12	KARNATAKA	50854.94
13	KERALA	11737.22
14	LADAKH	35.5
15	MADHYA PRADESH	86182.33
16	MAHARASHTRA	8882.39
17	MANIPUR	6857.13
18	MEGHALAYA	11037.27
19	MIZORAM	24.98
20	NAGALAND	1099.75
21	ODISHA	76585.8
22	PUNJAB	15905.06
23	RAJASTHAN	83214.15
24	SIKKIM	877.85
25	TAMIL NADU	38998.24
26	TELANGANA	26007.55
27	TRIPURA	1593.8
28	UTTAR PRADESH	14879.43
29	UTTARAKHAND	12028.09
30	WEST BENGAL	107689.32
31	ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR	10
32	LAKSHADWEEP	0
33	PUDUCHERRY	8.33
34	THE DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI AND DAMAN AND DIU	0
	Total	825474.2
