GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3867 ANSWERED ON 21/12/2021

DAY-NRLM IN ODISHA

3867. MS CHANDRANI MURMU:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is implementing nutrition sensitive agricultural practices under the Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana-National Rural Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM) programme, if so, the details thereof including the specific components of the programme and targets for the year 2021-22;
- (b) if so, the details of the districts in which the programme is being implemented including those in the State of Odisha; and
- (c) the details of component-wise quantum of funds allocated during the Financial Year 2021-22?

ANSWER

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

(a) Yes Sir. Under Deendayal Antyodaya Yojana- National Rural Livelihoods Mission (DAY-NRLM) farm livelihood interventions are designed towards diversifying income sources, reducing fluctuation in income and assuring sustainable income along with food and nutritional security at the household level. Farm livelihoods intervention is touching women in Self Help Groups (SHGs) through one or more of its programmatic pillars viz. Mahila Kisan Sashaktikaran Pariyojana (MKSP), Farm Livelihoods intervention under SRLM-Annual Action Plan, Farm Value Chain Interventions and Promotion of Organic Clusters.

Further, to address issue of nutritional security, Agri Nutri gardens are being established at SHG Households. So far, a total of 75.10 lakh Mahila Kisan households have been covered for promotion of Agri Nutri Gardens across the country. The Mission has adopted an innovative model by integrating livestock rearing along with Agri Nutri Garden to ensure supply of the required animal protein. Some of these have also been promoted through State level convergence with other schemes like Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme.

Furthermore, Community Based Organizations (Self Help Groups, Village Organisations and Cluster Level Federations etc.) promoted under DAY-NRLM participate in Poshan Maah/Pakhwada for creating awareness about importance of nutrition and thereby promoting Agri Nutri Gardens as source of 365 days family nutrition. For the Financial Year 2021-22, a target of promoting 24.77 lakh Agri Nutri Gardens has been set for Mahila Kisan households.

(b) Under DAY-NRLM, farm livelihoods interventions are being implemented in 614 districts across the country. Agri Nutri Garden is a part of these interventions. In Odisha, all

- 30 Districts have been covered under these interventions and the programme is being implemented through Odisha Livelihoods Mission (OLM). The Mission does not maintain the district wise data. However, the State wise available data is enclosed in **Annexure**.
- (c) DAY- NRLM is a demand driven programme. On the basis of the demand from the State, the funds are being released as per the approved Annual Action Plan. There is no separate fund allotted for Agri Nutri garden. Therefore, the question of fund allocation for Agri Nutri Garden component does not arise.

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3867 TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2021 REGARDING "DAY-NRLM IN ODISHA"

State/UT wise Agri Nutri Gardens

S.No.	State/UT	No. of Agri Nutri Garden (till Nov. 2021)
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0
2.	Andhra Pradesh	866370
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	3982
4.	Assam	598494
5.	Bihar	743880
6.	Chhattisgarh	548732
7.	Gujarat	302849
8.	Goa	0
9.	Haryana	22680
10.	Himachal Pradesh	31933
11.	Jammu and Kashmir	10798
12.	Jharkhand	128593
13.	Karnataka	58235
14.	Kerala	299146
15.	Maharashtra	524102
16.	Manipur	5218
17.	Meghalaya	22981
18.	Mizoram	11267
19.	Madhya Pradesh	1637540
20.	Nagaland	12921
21.	Odisha	514740
22.	Punjab	33261
23.	Rajasthan	255568
24.	Sikkim	16277
25.	Tamil Nadu	144035
26.	Telangana	54936
27.	Tripura	32041
28.	Uttar Pradesh	415689
29.	Uttarakhand	13544
30.	West Bengal	196036
31.	Puducherry	4459
	Total	75,10,307