GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No.1070TO BE ANSWERED ON 08TH FEBRUARY, 2022

CULTIVATION OF COARSE GRAINS

1070. SHRI SANJAY SETH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is running any scheme to promote the cultivation of coarse grains as these are an important source of nutrition for all;
- (b) whether any scheme has been launched to encourage the cultivation of coarse cereals during the last three years, if so, the details thereof and the details of the achievements made there under;
- (c) whether any steps have been taken by the Government to promote crop diversification, if so, the extent to which it has been effective till date and the benefits thereof, State-wise details thereof; and
- (d) the number of the farmers under Ranchi Lok Sabha Constituency, who were given funds under the Pradhan Mantri Kisan Kalyan Yojana during the last two years alongwith the amount disbursed thereof particularly the district-wise details with regard to Jharkhand?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. Government is implementing coarse cereals development programme under National Food Security Mission - Coarse Cereals to promote the cultivation of coarse grains like maize &barley. Maize development programme is being implemented in 237 districts of 26 states, 2 Union Territories, and barley in 39 districts of 4 states. In addition, the states have the flexibility to take up maize development programme under Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) in the area of 50-100 km around distilleries to use maize as feed stock for production of ethanol. The production of Coarse Cereals (maize &barley) during last 3 years is as under;

Crops	Production (Lakh tonne)			
Coarse Cereals	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21*	
Maize	277.15	287.66	315.14	
Barley	16.27	17.22	16.73	

^{*}As per 4th Advance Estimates 2020-21

- (c) The National Food Security Mission(NFSM), Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (*MIDH*)&Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) support crop development programmes of various agriculture and horticulturecrops. In addition, the Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare is implementing Crop Diversification Programme(CDP) in original green revolution States *viz*: Punjab, Haryana and Western Uttar Pradesh, as a sub scheme of RKVY, since 2013-14 to divert the area of water guzzling paddy crop to alternative crops like pulses, oilseeds, coarse cereals, nutri cereals, cotton, agro forestry etc. Crop Diversification Programme has been extended to 10 tobacco growing states of Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Gujarat, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Odisha, Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal to encourage tobacco growing farmers to shift to alternative crops/cropping system from 2015-16.
- (d) The district wise number of beneficiary farmers under Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN) Yojana during last 3 years in the state of Jharkhand including district Ranchi

Releases made under PM-KISAN during FY 2019-20 to 2021-22

West Sinhbhum

Total

District-wise details of farmers benefitted and total amount released in Jharkhand in FY 2019-20 to 2021-22 **Districts** 2019-20 2020-21 2021-22 **Unique Beneficiary** Total Amount **Unique Beneficiary** Total Amount Total Amount released(in Unique Count released (in Rs.) Count released(in Rs.) **Beneficiary Count** Rs.) 29,481 33,18,24,000 **Bokaro** 26,54,52,000 15,92,48,000 43,142 44,059 82,883 29,64,96,000 1,59,079 93,09,22,000 1,48,102 88,94,54,000 Chatra Deoghar 71,891 28,47,68,000 1,85,221 1,04,28,50,000 1,32,083 85,84,52,000 57,321 50,49,16,000 45,53,68,000 Dhanbad 71,112 72,828 15,49,72,000 Dumka 31,10,10,000 1,07,289 63,16,66,000 44,32,26,000 68,464 69,468 57,81,90,000 East Singhbum 94,058 80,428 29,77,24,000 97,863 65,56,98,000 Garhwa 80,321 31,60,12,000 2,16,490 1,20,00,66,000 1,25,121 75,08,08,000 Giridih 74.968 79,867 26,94,44,000 1,14,841 70,59,48,000 49,12,42,000 Godda 39,719 12,86,20,000 1,05,045 55,38,08,000 50,058 31,46,80,000 Gumla 70,221 30,10,90,000 78,112 54.48.04.000 79.062 49,28,30,000 Hazaribagh 77,424 30,22,72,000 1,84,844 96,73,84,000 76,548 48,71,16,000 **Jamtara** 48,793 21.49.70.000 93.272 54.36.04.000 53.581 32.43.90.000 Khunti 16,59,86,000 46,914 42,201 45,093 31,84,36,000 30,21,08,000 koderma 35,795 15,70,10,000 41.221 27,27,04,000 41.670 26,30,94,000 18,29,46,000 46,23,10,000 28,70,24,000 Latehar 74,189 46,555 43,632 Lohardaga 27,272 11,81,74,000 37,280 23,88,82,000 25.561 15,99,80,000 58,732 25,70,88,000 85,777 49,71,34,000 89,323 53,66,64,000 **Pakur Palamu** 40,58,64,000 1,05,32,06,000 1,14,072 72,47,86,000 1,08,434 1,67,160 21,931 8,35,26,000 46,564 25,14,94,000 45,799 27,76,24,000 Ramgarh Ranchi 84,425 37,19,06,000 1,52,115 89,12,66,000 92,227 59,88,32,000 36,840 36,35,08,000 31,82,50,000 47,067 Sahebgani 12,89,68,000 52,611 Saraikela Kharsawan 40,989 17,85,26,000 62,855 39,19,32,000 61,442 38,35,24,000 Simdga 19,78,92,000 26,451 16,66,82,000 22,653 7,03,58,000 26,011

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