

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4685
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HUNAR HUBS

4685. SHRI SANJAY KAKA PATIL:

Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Hunar Hubs established in the country during the last three years, State-wise;
- (b) whether any new hub has been sanctioned during the last financial year and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has received any proposal for setting up Hunar Hubs in Maharashtra;
- (d) if so, the number of projects sanctioned and completed; and
- (e) the details of the funds allocated for the same?

A N S W E R

THE MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS
(SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI)

(a) and (b) The Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK) is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme, which was restructured and implemented with effect from May, 2018, in 1300 identified Minority Concentration Areas (MCAs) of the Country with the objective to develop socio-economic infrastructure assets and basic amenities in these areas. The areas covered under PMJVK were increased from 90 Districts originally, to 308 Districts in 33 States/ UTs w.e.f. May, 2018. The MCAs included 870 Minority Concentration Blocks (MCBs), 321 Minority Concentration Towns (MCTs) and 109 Minority Concentration District Headquarters (MCD Hqrs) added for the first time. The scheme has now further been revised for implementation w.e.f from 2022-23 onwards in all Districts of the country including all the Aspirational Districts.

During the last three financial year i.e 2018-19 to 2020-21 a total of 9-Hunar Hubs worth Rs. 23.95 crore were approved in Andhra Pradesh (4 nos), Kerala (2 nos),

Maharashtra(1 no) and Meghalaya(1 no). Besides, 12-Skill Centres worth Rs. 26.55 crore were approved in Assam (6 nos), Karnataka (4 nos) and Kerala(2 nos) and 01 Hunar Hub worth Rs. 7.35 crore with Central share of Rs. 4.41 crore approved in the last financial year i.e. 2020-21 under PMJVK in the State of Gujarat.

Further, since the year 2014-15, the Ministry has sanctioned projects worth Rs.18257.89 crore with Central share of Rs. 12845.76 crore under PMJVK. During this period more than 49,000 major projects have been sanctioned which includes 38 Degree Colleges, 177 Residential Schools, 1,550 School Buildings, 23,094 Additional Class Rooms, 14,312 Teaching Aid & Smart Classrooms, 691 Hostels, 27 Working Women Hostels, 94 ITI Buildings and additional facilities in 17 ITIs, 14 Polytechnics, 31 Skill Centres, 2324 Health Projects, 01 Medical college, 01 Unani Medical College, 01 Nursing Hostel and upgradation of Hamidiya Hospital at Gandhi Medical College and linked hospitals in Bhopal, 01 Agriculture College, 01 Medical Hunar Hub project comprising of a 300 bedded hospital, a Nursing College, a Paramedical College and a Pharmacy College, a Skill Development Centre alongwith hostels with capacity of 2300 and also a 200 bedded Working Women Hostel, 413 Sadhbhav Mandaps, 01 Sadbhav Kendra, 170 Common Service Centres, 553 Market Sheds, 12 Hunar Hubs, 6742 Sanitation/Toilet projects, 91 Sports Facilities including Augmentation of Luwangpokpa Cricket Stadium in Manipur and Upgradation of P.A. Sangma Outdoor Stadium in Meghalaya, etc.

(c) to (e) The areas covered under PMJVK in Maharashtra were increased from 9 Districts originally, to 27 Districts covering 28 Blocks, 34 Towns and 10 District Headquarters in May 2018. The scheme after further revision for implementation w.e.f from 2022-23 will cover all the districts of Maharashtra. Since 2014-15 a total of 30531 projects amounting to Rs. 458.75 crore have been approved under PMJVK in the State of Maharashtra. The major projects approved in Maharashtra includes 7-School Buildings, 9-Hostels, 606-Additional Class Rooms (ACRs), 1480- Smart Classrooms, 206-Toilets, 5- Computer Labs, 11- Science Labs, 1- Study Centre, 05-Library, 4-ITIs, 8- Additional Facility in ITIs, 1-Polytechnic, 46- Health Projects, 134- Anganwadi Centers, 3-Common Service Centres (CSC), 4- Sadbhav Mandaps, 28000- Cybergrams etc. and also 1 Hunar Hub.
