GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1706 TO BE ANSWERED ON 27TH JULY, 2022

INCREASE IN SILO CAPACITY

1706. SHRI DIBYENDU ADHIKARI:

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the total quantum of food grains available in storages across the country as on date;
- (b) the details and the number of silo sites that are in development, including the current status of each site, respective estimated storage capacity, and estimated date of completion; and
- (c) the progress made as on date towards the goal of doubling India's silo capacity under public-private partnership by 2019-29 to 15 lakh tonnes?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)

(a): The total stock of foodgrains held in Central Pool with Food Corporation of India (FCI) as on 1st July 2022 is as given below:

(Figures in Lakh MT)

Wheat	Rice (including un-milled Paddy in terms of Rice)	Coarse Grains	Total
285.10	472.18	3.96	761.24

(b) & (c): In order to upgrade and modernize the storage facilities, Government of India has chalked out an Action Plan for construction of steel silos on Public Private Partnership (PPP) mode in the country. Till date Silos with capacity of 29.25 LMT at various locations throughout country have been awarded. Out of which a capacity of 12.25 LMT is complete and remaining is under various stages of development. In addition, a capacity of 5.5 LMT has been created under circuit based model in 2007. Further, silo capacity of 111.125 LMT in PPP mode is proposed in a phased manner under Hub & Spoke model, out of which capacity of 34.875 LMT has been tendered. The site-wise list of developing Silos across the country is Annexed.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) & (c) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1706 FOR ANSWER ON 27.07.20222 IN THE LOK SABHA.

STATUS OF RAILWAY SIDING SILOS UNDER IMPLEMENTATION

S. No.	Location	State	Agency (FCI/ State Govt)	Capacity (MTs)	Status	Likely date of completion
1.	Katihar	Bihar	FCI	50000	Completed	01.04.2021
2.	Ahmedabad	Gujarat	FCI	50000	Completed	06.05.2021
3.	Jind	Haryana	FCI	50000	Completed	13.04.2021
4.	Sonepat	Haryana	FCI	50000	Completed	13.04.2021
5.	Bhattu*	Haryana	FCI	50000	Completed	29.04.2021
6.	Panipat*	Haryana	FCI	50000	Completed	13.04.2022
7.	Harda	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
8.	Hoshangabad	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
9.	Dewas	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
10.	Satna	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
11.	Sehore	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
12.	Ujjain	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
13.	Vidisha	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
14.	Bhopal	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
15.	Indore	Madhya Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
16.	Patiala*	Punjab	FCI	50000	Completed	14.06.2019
17.	Sangrur*	Punjab	FCI	100000	Completed	14.06.2019
18.	Barnala	Punjab	FCI	50000	Completed	01.03.2020
19.	Kotkapura	Punjab	FCI	25000	Completed	30.09.2017
20.	Sunam	Punjab	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
21.	Malerkotla	Punjab	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
22.	Ahmedgarh	Punjab	State Govt	50000	Completed	2017-18
23.	Changsari	Assam	FCI	50000	Completed	18.09.2021

24.	Kannauj*	Uttar Pardesh	FCI	50000	Completed	31.03.2022
A	Total			1225000		
25.	Darbhanga	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Construction	05.05.2023
26.	Khagaria	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Construction	05.05.2023
27.	Kaimur	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Construction	30.10.2022
28.	Buxar	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Construction	30.10.2022
29.	Palanpur&Siddhpur	Gujarat	FCI	50000	Under Construction	30.06.2023
30.	Amreli	Gujarat	FCI	50000	Under Construction	06.12.2022
31.	Baroda	Gujarat	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.12.2022
32.	Rohtak	Haryana	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.08.2022
33.	Batala	Punjab	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.08.2022
34.	Chhehreata	Punjab	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.08.2022
35.	Jalalabad	Punjab	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.03.2023
36.	Sahnewal	Punjab	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.05.2023
37.	Basti	Uttar Pradesh	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.08.2022
38.	Deoria	Uttar Pradesh	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.12.2022
39.	Faizabad	Uttar Pradesh	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.12.2022
40.	Fatehpur	Uttar Pradesh	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.03.2023
41.	Gorakhpur	Uttar Pradesh	FCI	50000	Under Construction	30.06.2023
42.	Lucknow	Uttar Pradesh	FCI	50000	Under Construction	30.06.2023
43.	Dhamora	Uttar Pradesh	FCI	50000	Under Construction	30.06.2022
44.	Malda	West Bengal	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.03.2023
45.	Bhagalpur	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.03.2023
46.	Samasthipur	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Construction	31.07.2022
47.	Madhubani and Benipatti Sub-divisions	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Construction	30.10.2022
48.	Balurghat	West Bengal	FCI	50000	Under Construction	30.04.2024
49.	Hamirpur	Uttar Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Under Construction	30.04.2024

	Total (A+B)					
R	B Total			17,00,000		
58.	Harduaganj	Uttar pradsh	FCI	50000	Under implementation	LoA issued (30.06.2022)
57.	Dankuni	West Bengal	FCI	50000	Under Implementation	LoC not issued
56.	Durgapur	West Bengal	FCI	50000	Under Implementation	LoC not issued
55.	Murshidabad	West Bengal	FCI	50000	Under Implementation	LoC not issued
54.	Lalitpur	Uttar Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Under Implementation	LoC not issued
53.	Saran	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Implementation	LoC not issued
52.	Motihari	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Implementation	LoC not issued
51.	Madhepura	Bihar	FCI	50000	Under Implementation	LoC not issued
50.	Pilibhit	Uttar Pradesh	State Govt	50000	Under Construction	30.04.2024

^{*}Operationalization has commenced without railway siding
