

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 211
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.01.2026

MSEs PROCUREMENT TARGETS

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Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Union Ministries and Departments significantly exceeded the Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) procurement targets in Financial Year 2025-26, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the total value of procurement made from MSEs against the set target and the percentage of over-achievement thereof;
- (c) the name of the Ministries which were top performers in terms of procurement value and percentage;
- (d) whether any Ministries or departments fell short of their MSE procurement targets, if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps being taken to further enhance procurement from MSEs, especially among underperforming departments?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES
(SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)

(a) and (b): As per the MSME Sambandh Portal till 27.01.2026, the Union Ministries and Departments including enterprises under their administrative control have done procurement of Rs. 76,106.85 crore (47.38%) from Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) during the financial year 2025-26 surpassing the prescribed target of 25% as per the Public Procurement Policy for MSEs Order, 2012 (as amended).

(c): As per MSME Sambandh Portal, details of the top three performers in terms of procurement value and percentage for financial year 2025-26 are given below:

Sr. No.	Name of the Ministry	Procurement from MSEs (Rs in crore)	% of total procurement
1.	Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas	22618.12	49.65
2	Ministry of Defence	11152.08	38.28
3	Ministry of Power	10120.16	63.74

(d): The year-wise procurement details of Ministries/Departments including the Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) are available on the portal in public domain at: <https://sambandh.msme.gov.in>.

(e): For enhancement of procurement from MSEs, a number of steps have been taken by the Ministry of MSME, as outlined below:

- (i). The Ministry of MSME launched “MSME-SAMBANDH Portal” on 8th December, 2017. The Portal helps in actively monitoring the procurement by Central Government Ministries, Departments and Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs).
- (ii). The Ministry of MSME is actively engaged with Department of Public Enterprises, Ministry of Finance for better coordination with CPSEs for achieving the targets under the Policy. The Ministry of MSME also issues communications and clarifications on the Public Procurement Policy for MSEs, whenever required or asked for.
- (iii). Government e Marketplace (GeM), an online portal, is being used for procurement by Ministries/ Departments/ CPSEs. Follow up with GeM for supporting SC/ST and Women entrepreneurs is done on a regular basis.
- (iv). Vendor Development Programmes under the Procurement and Marketing Support Scheme serve as platform for MSEs, where MSEs can network with not only CPSEs but with also other stakeholders. Special Vendor Development Programmes/ Buyer-Seller Meets are being conducted by Departments/ CPSUs for SC/STs and Women owned MSEs.
- (v). Special Credit Linked Capital Subsidy Scheme (SCLCSS) under National SC-ST Hub Scheme promotes setting up of new enterprises by aspiring SC/ST entrepreneurs and their capacity building for enhanced participation in public procurement.
