

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 992
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.02.2026

INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT TO MSMEs

992. SHRI SUDAMA PRASAD;

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

(a) whether the Government has strengthened district-level MSME institutional support through District Industries Centres (DICs) and capacity-building initiatives under schemes such as Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance (RAMP) during the last five years, particularly in backward and aspirational districts including those in Bihar;

(b) if so, the details of such institutional support, including manpower, financial assistance and services provided through DICs, State/UT-wise; and

(c) whether the Government has implemented women-specific MSME schemes, including Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) and Trade Related Entrepreneurship Assistance and Development (TREAD), if so, the details thereof and the number of women beneficiaries, amount of subsidy/credit support provided and districts covered under these schemes during the last five years, State/UT-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES
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(a) and (b): The purpose of Raising and Accelerating MSME Performance" (RAMP) programme is to strengthening Institutions and governance at the Centre and State, improving Centre-State linkages and partnerships, improving access to market and credit, addressing issues of delayed payments to improve overall MSME ecosystem. In addition, RAMP program targeted to scale up implementation capacity and MSME coverage in the States, and enhancing outreach of existing schemes of the Ministry. An Important component of RAMP programme is promoting Centre-State collaboration through preparation of Strategic Investment Plans (SIPs), in which all States/UTs, are invited. All thirty-six States/UTs have signed Letters of Undertaking with the Ministry and submitted Strategic Investment Plans (SIPs) which contains a roadmap for promotion and development of MSMEs in the State. A total of 398 proposals accounting of Rs.3211.75 Cr has been approved under the Scheme. These States have prepared detailed Implementation Plans and have started the implementation. Since the funds under the RAMP is provided directly to the States/UTs, no financial assistance is provided through District Industries Centres (DICs).

(c): The Government has taken a number of initiatives to increase the participation of women entrepreneurs in the country. The details are given below:

- i. Ministry of MSME implements Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) which is a credit-linked subsidy programme aimed at generating self-employment opportunities through establishment of micro-enterprises in the non-farm sector by helping traditional artisans and rural/urban unemployed youth. Out of the total PMEGP beneficiaries, 39% are women and they are provided higher subsidy (35%) vis-a-vis general category of micro enterprises (upto 25%). The state wise details of women beneficiaries, amount of subsidy/credit support provided is given at **Annexure-I**.
- ii. To encourage entrepreneurship among women, Ministry of MSME implements 'Skill Upgradation and Mahila Coir Yojana' under Coir Vikas Yojana, which is an exclusive training programme aimed at skill development of women artisans engaged in the Coir sector.
- iii. Participation of women entrepreneurs in trade fairs under Procurement and Marketing Support Scheme is subsidized to the extent of 100% vis-a-vis 80% for other entrepreneurs.
- iv. Ministry of MSME has launched 'PM Vishwakarma' Scheme on 17.09.2023, to provide a number of benefits to the traditional artisans and craftspeople including women, engaged in 18 trades.
- v. The Ministry has launched awareness campaign 'Yashasvini' to create awareness about its schemes among existing and prospective women entrepreneurs to provide continuum of handholding and capacity building support.

Annexure-I

Details of number of women-led micro enterprises assisted and Margin Money (MM) subsidy disbursed under PMEGP for the last 5 years is given below:

(Rs. in Crore)

S. No	State	FY 2020-21		FY 2021-22		FY 2022-23		FY 2023-24		FY 2024-25	
		No. of enterprises Assisted	MM Subsidy	No. of enterprises Assisted	MM Subsidy	No. of enterprises Assisted	MM Subsidy	No. of enterprises Assisted	MM Subsidy	No. of enterprises Assisted	MM Subsidy
1	Andaman Nicobar	42	0.49	43	0.68	24	0.48	12	0.22	12	0.24
2	Andhra Pradesh	856	37.63	1320	56.57	1716	77.46	3457	99.77	1847	82.40
3	Arunachal Pradesh	38	0.94	84	3.44	70	3.01	78	8.46	78	4.26
4	Assam	951	14.38	1272	20.76	907	19.51	761	19.26	1081	32.18
5	Bihar	665	24.42	838	31.01	1335	40.36	2303	70.81	1703	55.11
6	Chandigarh	6	0.09	11	0.33	10	0.34	7	0.16	3	0.21
7	Chhattisgarh	753	20.07	848	23.03	703	25.03	662	26.19	540	23.18
8	Delhi	33	0.65	45	1.55	30	2.00	27	1.79	19	1.07
9	Goa	18	0.54	43	1.45	36	1.48	38	1.54	19	0.92
10	Gujarat**	1841	147.39	2630	204.76	1821	161.08	1821	219.20	1084	138.93
11	Haryana	622	22.21	692	28.34	626	32.15	638	40.22	368	25.84
12	Himachal Pradesh	431	13.25	472	14.11	352	13.10	344	14.39	257	10.40
13	Jammu & Kashmir	3320	62.65	8520	162.28	5035	90.50	7082	118.95	3773	84.14
14	Jharkhand	444	12.89	502	14.54	613	17.68	671	17.91	438	12.71
15	Karnataka	1492	39.32	1940	51.31	1888	54.59	1654	56.97	883	28.70
16	Kerala	953	18.44	1092	24.95	1257	28.05	1396	33.19	891	23.44
17	Ladakh	0	-	82	2.82	28	1.02	35	1.71	36	1.83
18	Lakshadweep	2	0.10	1	0.01	1	0.01	0	-	0	-
19	Madhya Pradesh	1435	47.00	2385	71.65	1813	66.54	1690	70.46	802	33.19
20	Maharashtra*	1179	36.48	1712	64.64	1523	66.79	1150	63.11	801	54.87
21	Manipur	725	27.45	552	17.35	244	6.99	153	3.24	291	7.54
22	Meghalaya	140	2.27	283	3.74	121	2.68	103	2.74	515	15.68
23	Mizoram	417	6.74	333	7.37	195	6.33	194	8.48	260	8.02
24	Nagaland	310	8.26	535	11.00	196	6.83	244	14.47	600	18.06
25	Odisha	1319	41.21	1874	54.61	1757	54.22	1430	46.88	742	24.50
26	Puducherry	13	0.28	24	0.40	13	0.38	16	0.47	14	0.36
27	Punjab	737	27.50	818	33.43	759	43.02	725	58.23	468	41.52
28	Rajasthan	663	25.65	670	26.67	596	42.18	567	51.74	293	27.88
29	Sikkim	24	0.67	33	0.76	22	0.41	68	2.36	133	4.58
30	Tamil Nadu	2663	57.77	2857	66.20	2856	75.49	3285	81.67	1786	49.67
31	Telangana	734	24.11	1111	38.53	953	39.78	967	46.18	764	36.04
32	Tripura	224	4.50	260	5.45	165	3.73	152	3.37	216	5.33
33	Uttar Pradesh	2777	112.00	3712	143.72	3549	142.10	3733	173.54	1851	84.57
34	Uttarakhand	551	12.86	489	11.84	484	14.48	377	14.75	213	7.10
35	West Bengal	907	36.51	1073	45.22	928	35.90	966	41.65	653	27.95
Total		27285	886.74	9156	1244.51	32626	1175.72	36806	1414.07	23434	972.42

*including Daman and Diu

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