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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3859
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22ND DECEMBER, 2015

COMPUTERISATION IN PDS

3859. **SHRIMATI RAMA DEVI:**
SHRI RAM TAHAL CHOUDHARY:

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

(a) whether the use of computer and other new techniques have been introduced in the schemes formulated to provide foodgrains to poor people, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the names of States which have not yet started the use of the said techniques therein; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to promote use of computer and other modern techniques in the Public Distribution System across the country so far along with the success achieved therein?

A N S W E R
MINISTER OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN)

(a) With a view to modernize the Targeted Pubic Distribution System (TPDS), the Government has initiated a Plan scheme on End-to-End Computerization of TPDS operations on cost sharing basis with States/UTs which would facilitate digitalization of ration cards/beneficiaries database, computerization of supply chain management, setting up of transparency portal and grievance redressal mechanism. The scheme will enable removal of bogus ration cards and better targeting of food subsidy, facilitate availability of foodgrains to intended beneficiaries at Fair Price Shops (FPS), check leakages and diversions etc.

(b)&(c): Constant monitoring through Meetings, Video Conferences, visits, letters, advisories etc is done regularly with States/UTs to review their progress, problems faced etc.   As per the reports received from States/UTs and NIC, status of computerization is enclosed as Annexure.

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ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (b) & (c) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3859 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 22.12.2015 IN THE LOK SABHA

Status of End-to-End Computerization of TPDS Operations

(As on 15.12.2015)

S. No.	States/UTs	Ration Card Data Digitization	RC Data Availability on Portal	Online Allocation	Supply-Chain Management	Online Grievance/ Toll Free Number	Transparency Portal
1	Andhra Pradesh	100	Yes	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes
2	Andaman & Nicobar	100	Yes	In S.Andaman	-	Yes	Yes
3	Arunachal Pradesh	100	Partially	Partially	-	Yes	Yes
4	Assam	100	Yes	Implemented	-	Yes	Yes
5	Bihar	100	Partially	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes
6	Chandigarh	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
7	Chhattisgarh	100	Yes	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	100	Partially	-	-	Yes	Yes
9	Daman & Diu	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
10	Delhi	100	Yes	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes
11	Goa	100	Yes	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes
12	Gujarat	100	Yes	Implemented	-	Yes	Yes
13	Haryana	100	Yes	In 4 Blocks	-	Yes	Yes
14	Himachal Pradesh	64	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
15	Jammu and Kashmir	100	Partially	-	-	Yes	Yes
16	Jharkhand	100	Yes	In 3 Districts	-	Yes	-
17	Karnataka	100	Yes	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes
18	Kerala	100	Partially	-	-	Yes	Yes
19	Lakshadweep	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	-
20	Madhya Pradesh	100	Yes	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes
21	Maharashtra	100	Partially	Implemented	2 districts	Yes	Yes
22	Manipur	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
23	Meghalaya	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
24	Mizoram	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
25	Nagaland	99	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
26	Odisha	100	Yes	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes
27	Puducherry	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
28	Punjab	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	-
29	Rajasthan	100	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes
30	Sikkim	100	Yes	Implemented	-	Yes	Yes
31	Tamil Nadu	100		Implemented	Implemented	Yes	-
32	Telangana	100	Yes	Implemented	-	Yes	Yes
33	Tripura	100	Yes	Implemented	-	Yes	Yes
34	Uttar Pradesh	100	Yes	Implemented	-	Yes	Yes
35	Uttarakhand	100	Partially	-	-	Yes	Yes
36	West Bengal	87	Partially	Implemented	-	Yes	Yes
	COMPLETION STATUS	*33*	*27*	*17*	*9*	*36*	*32*

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