# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4228 TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.08.2016

### **PMRDF PROGRAMME**

#### 4228. SHRI NAGAR RODMAL:

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) the present status of the Prime Minister Rural Development Fellowship programme;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to continue the said programme; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

### ANSWER MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a) : Prime Minister's Rural Development Fellows scheme is being implemented in 18 states in the country. At present 113 fellows are deployed in districts.

(b) : Yes, Madam.

(c) : The Ministry has completed consultation with experts for revised parameters for the third batch.

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