

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1555
ANSWERED ON 28/07/2026**

SVEP CLUSTERS IN ANDHRA PRADESH

1555. Shri Tangella Uday Srinivas:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of proposals received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh for establishment of Start-up Village Entrepreneurship Programme (SVEP) clusters in the State, district-wise;**
- (b) the number of such proposals currently pending with the Ministry, including any from Kakinada district;**
- (c) the current status of appraisal of these proposals and the reasons for pendency, if any;**
- (d) the details of funds allocated, released and utilised under SVEP in Andhra Pradesh, along with the details of enterprises supported/beneficiaries covered and their performance, year and district-wise; and**
- (e) the time by which a decision is proposed to be taken on the pending proposals?**

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(DR. CHANDRA SEKHAR PEMMASANI)**

(a): Under the Cluster Development component of the Start-up Village Entrepreneurship Programme (SVEP), three proposals have been received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh for establishment of enterprise clusters in the State. The district-wise details of proposals are attached as Annexure-I.

(b): All three proposals received from the Government of Andhra Pradesh are currently under consideration by the Ministry. No proposal has been received from Kakinada district under the SVEP Cluster Development component.

(c) & (e): The proposals are presently under technical appraisal and evaluation. The Ministry is holding consultations with Andhra Pradesh and the concerned Technical Support Agency (TSA) to assess the technical feasibility, financial viability, implementation strategy, and other operational aspects. A decision will be taken after completion of the appraisal process, as per the programme guidelines.

(d): Year-wise Central share released under SVEP in Andhra Pradesh since its launch is given at Annexure-II. SVEP is a demand driven programme, hence allocations are not being made. States submit proposals through supplementary Annual Action Plans (AAPs). These proposals are evaluated, and approvals are given by the Government based on the demand and project feasibility. The details of enterprises supported/beneficiaries covered and their performance year and district-wise are attached as Annexure-III(A) and Annexure-III(B).

ANNEXURE-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY OF PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1555 ANSWERED ON 28.07.2026 REGARDING “SVEP Clusters in Andhra Pradesh”.

Details of Proposals received from Government of Andhra Pradesh		
Districts	Clusters	No. of Proposal/s
Guntur	Pickle	1
Chirala	Handloom	1
Yemmiganur	Handloom	1

ANNEXURE-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY OF PART (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1555 ANSWERED ON 28.07.2026 REGARDING “SVEP Clusters in Andhra Pradesh”.

Sl. No.	Andhra Pradesh (FY)	Central share released under SVEP (in Rs. lakhs)
1	2015-16	120.00
2	2016-17	913.89
3	2017-18	198.85
4	2018-19	781.10
5	2019-20	275.72
6	2020-21	261.32
7	2021-22	0.00
8	2022-23	0.00
9	2023-24	0.00
10	2024-25	400.00
11	2025-26	865.60
Total		3816.48

ANNEXURE-III(A)

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY OF PART (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1555 ANSWERED ON 28.07.2026 REGARDING “SVEP Clusters in Andhra Pradesh”.

Financial Year	No. of Enterprises Supported in Andhra Pradesh
2017-18	3,084
2018-19	1,783
2019-20	4,324
2020-21	5,586
2021-22	2,700
2022-23	18
2023-24	10,131
2024-25	66
2025-2026	0

ANNEXURE-III(B)

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY OF PART (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1555 ANSWERED ON 28.07.2026 REGARDING “SVEP Clusters in Andhra Pradesh”.

Sl. No.	District	No. of enterprises supported under SVEP
1.	Chittoor	14,850
2.	Prakasam	2,173
3.	Srikakulam	4,063
4.	Vizianagaram	4,801
5.	West Godavari	1,805
