

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2915
ANSWERED ON 05.08.2026

PM-SGMBY IN WEST BENGAL

2915. SHRI RAJU BISTA

Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of households registered under the Pradhan Mantri-Surya Ghar Muft Bijli Yojana (PM-SGMBY) in the country, State and district-wise for West Bengal;
- (b) the number of households where solar panels have been installed under PM-SGMBY, district-wise for West Bengal particularly in Darjeeling, Kalimpong and Uttar Dinajpur districts;
- (c) the targeted number of households likely to be registered under this yojana in West Bengal, district-wise;
- (d) the quantum of electricity generated under this yojana; and
- (e) whether urban and rural areas with high electricity demand are being prioritized for the yojana and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND POWER

(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

(a) to (e) The PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana (PMSG: MBY) is a demand-driven scheme wherein all residential consumers in the country including urban and rural areas with high electricity demand, having a grid-connected electricity connection with the local DISCOM, can avail the benefits of the scheme, for installation of RTS systems by applying on the National Portal (www.pmsuryaghar.gov.in) of the scheme.

Under the scheme, since its launch in February 2024, a total of 76,81,382 applications have been received, 41,19,791 rooftop solar (RTS) systems have been installed, benefitting 49,62,050 households across the country, as on 31.07.2026. The state/UT-wise details are placed at **Annexure I**.

Similarly, Under the scheme, since its launch in February 2024, a total of 3403 RTS systems have been installed, benefitting 3818 households in the State of West Bengal, as on 31.07.2026. The District-wise details including for the Darjeeling, Kalimpong and Uttar Dinajpur districts are placed at **Annexure II**.

The state Government of West Bengal in the budget for 2026-27, has announced a target of 2 lakh RTS systems installation in the state under the PMSG: MBY.

Under the PMSG: MBY, it has been estimated that RTS installation in one crore households may produce renewable electricity of 1,000 billion units during the 25 years of lifetime of the RTS systems.

Annexure I referred to in reply of part (a) to (e) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2915 to be answered on 05.08.2026 regarding PM-SGMBY in West Bengal

The state/UT wise details of progress made under the PMSG: MBY across the country (As on 31.07.2026)

S No.	State/UT	Applications (Nos)	Installations (Nos.)	Households Covered (Nos.)
1	Gujarat	1171567	773369	1117773
2	Maharashtra	1450141	702461	1091035
3	Uttar Pradesh	1170693	715951	723615
4	Kerala	421734	310544	317390
5	Rajasthan	455535	277861	286975
6	Andhra Pradesh	904508	266417	270932
7	Madhya Pradesh	224600	158323	163708
8	Assam	441052	162688	163269
9	Odisha	299481	153684	154776
10	Haryana	193038	117135	127065
11	Tamil Nadu	105040	87039	103004
12	Uttarakhand	142028	97219	97583
13	Chhattisgarh	193312	84677	87171
14	Telangana	86897	55596	71367
15	Jammu and Kashmir	86287	39415	39568
16	Karnataka	56257	23185	35683
17	Bihar	90328	24774	25416
18	Punjab	26904	17487	17496
19	NCT of Delhi	53987	10748	15729
20	Himachal Pradesh	17352	11992	12025
21	Meghalaya	1008	61	9307
22	Puducherry	6532	4873	4950
23	Goa	4567	3386	4627
24	Tripura	7922	4519	4531
25	West Bengal	44524	3403	3818
26	Jharkhand	10376	3331	3561
27	Ladakh	2647	2050	2050
28	Manipur	3307	1571	1571
29	Chandigarh	1632	1386	1386
30	Mizoram	1509	1367	1370
31	Lakshadweep	1394	1199	1199
32	DNH & DD	3422	1156	1156
33	Nagaland	889	449	449
34	A&N Islands	677	415	435
35	Sikkim	158	59	59
36	Arunachal Pradesh	77	1	1
	Total	76,81,382	41,19,791	49,62,050

Annexure II referred to in reply of part (a) to (e) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2915 to be answered on 05.08.2026 regarding PM-SGMBY in West Bengal

The district wise details of progress made under the PMSG: MBY in the state of West Bengal
(As on 31.07.2026)

S No.	District	Application (Nos)	Installation (Nos.)	Households covered (Nos.)
1	Alipurduar	417	19	19
2	Bankura	2425	62	62
3	Birbhum	2677	127	127
4	Cooch Behar	413	43	43
5	Dakshin Dinajpur	406	40	40
6	Darjeeling	852	42	42
7	Hooghly	2502	329	329
8	Howrah	1520	114	114
9	Jalpaiguri	542	32	32
10	Jhargram	758	14	14
11	Kalimpong	43	0	0
12	Kolkata	3336	1044	1416
13	Malda	890	26	26
14	Murshidabad	4208	109	124
15	Nadia	2922	149	149
16	North 24 Parganas	3123	340	340
17	Paschim Bardhaman	1516	154	182
18	Paschim Medinipur	2559	158	158
19	Purba Bardhaman	3582	185	185
20	Purba Medinipur	6946	143	143
21	Purulia	299	16	16
22	South 24 Parganas	2026	131	131
23	Uttar Dinajpur	562	126	126
	Total	44524	3403	3818