

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2096
TO BE ANSWERED ON 2ND AUGUST, 2023

FOODGRAINS DISTRIBUTED UNDER ATMANIRBHAR
BHARAT ABHIYAAN

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

- (a) the State-wise details of the foodgrains allocated free of cost to the States for distribution under the Public Distribution System for migrant workers under the Atmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan;
- (b) whether any survey has been conducted related to the foodgrains allocated to the States and the quantity thereof distributed by the States;
- (c) if so, the details thereof State-wise; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

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MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)

(a) As part of the Economic Measures (Atma Nirbhar Bharat), Government of India had allocated about 8 Lakh MT free foodgrain for the migrants, who are not covered under National Food Security Act (NFSA) or State Scheme PDS Cards, @ 5 kg per person per month free of cost for two months (May & June, 2020) to benefit approximately 8 crore stranded migrants, to help mitigate their plight during this precarious COVID-19 situation and to ensure availability of foodgrain to them.

Statement showing State-Wise Allocation Foodgrains (Wheat & Rice) under the Atma Nirbhar Bharat scheme is placed at Annexure.

(b) to (d): As part of the concurrent evaluation of implementation of National Food Security Act (NFSA), monitoring Institutions engaged by Department of Food and Public Distribution, Government of India have submitted general findings w.r.t. few states regarding Atma Nirbhar Bharat Scheme (ANBS). These findings state that beneficiaries expressed satisfaction regarding the foodgrains received under ANBS.

Annexure

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2096 FOR ANSWER ON 02.08.2023 IN THE LOK SABHA

Statement showing State-Wise Allocation Foodgrains (Wheat & Rice) under the Atma Nirbhar Bharat scheme is as below:

Sl. No.	States/ UTs	Two Month's (May-June'20) Allocation (In MT)		
		Wheat	Rice	Total
1	A&N	0	61	61
2	Andhra Pradesh	0	26823	26823
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0	820	820
4	Assam	0	25153	25153
5	Bihar	0	86450	86450
6	Chandigarh	275	0	275
7	Chattisgarh	0	20077	20077
8	Dadra Nagar Haveli	0	209	209
9	Daman & Diu	0	76	76
10	Delhi	5819	1455	7273
11	Goa	0	532	532
12	Gujarat	26778	11476	38254
13	Haryana	12649	0	12649
14	Himachal Pradesh	0	2864	2864
15	J & K	0	7241	7241
16	Jharkhand	0	26370	26370
17	Karnataka	0	40193	40193
18	Kerala	0	15480	15480
19	Ladakh	0	144	144
20	Lakshadweep	0	22	22
21	Madhya Pradesh	54642	0	54642
22	Maharashtra	0	70017	70017
23	Manipur	0	2457	2457
24	Meghalaya	0	2146	2146
25	Mizoram	0	668	668
26	Nagaland	0	1405	1405
27	Odisha	0	32360	32360

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28	Puduchery	0	628	628
29	Punjab	14145	0	14145
30	Rajasthan	44662	0	44662
31	Sikkim	0	379	379
32	Tamil Nadu	0	35734	35734
33	Telangana	0	19162	19162
34	Tripura	0	2483	2483
35	Uttar Pradesh	85220	56813	142033
36	Uttarakhand	0	6196	6196
37	West Bengal	0	60184	60184
Total		244189	556076	800265
