

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO RAJASTHAN
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Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal from the Government of Rajasthan for setting up of FPIs in the State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the financial assistance provided in this regard during the last three years including current year, scheme-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAI)

(a): Yes, Sir;

(b): During the 10th Five Year Plan period (2002-03 to 2006-07 upto 4.12.2006), 129 project proposals have been received from Rajasthan for financial assistance under the Scheme for Technology Upgradation/ Modernization/ Establishment of Food Processing Industries. Financial assistance provided to food processing units under the above scheme in the State during the above period is Rs.531.13 Lakhs.

(c): Details of scheme-wise financial assistance provided in the State of Rajasthan during the last three years including current year is given below:

(Rs. In Lakh)

Name of the Scheme 2003-04 2004-05 2005-06 2006-07

Scheme for Nil Nil Nil 100.00
infrastructure
Development

Scheme for 117.39 291.91 86.00 35.83
technology
Upgradation/establi
shment &
modernization of
food processing
industries.

Scheme for backward Nil Nil Nil 2.34
and forward
integration & other
promotional
activities.

Scheme for Human 50.00 Nil 8.00 4.67
Resource
Development

Scheme for Nil Nil 6.00 Nil
strengthening of

institutions.