GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FINANCE LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the educated unemployed are facing problems in getting loans from banks under Pradhan Mantri Rozgar Yojana (PMRY);

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;

(c) the number of educated unemployed who applied for loan, the number of applications pending and the total number of beneficiaries during the last three years and as on date, State-wise alongwith the reasons for delay in sanctioning of this loans;

(d) the targets fixed and achievements made by the banks during the said period under the PMRY; and

(e) the steps taken by the Government to simplifying the loaning process under PMRY?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE(SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) & (b): The Prime Minister's Rozgar Yojana (PMRY) has been merged with Rural Employment Generation Programme (RFGP) with effect from 1st April, 2008 by Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) and a new scheme, namely, Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP) has been formulated.

PMEGP is monitored by Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVTC), Ministry of MSME.

(c) & (d) : As per information furnished by Ministry of MSME state-wise details of target fixed, number of applications received number of applications disbursed (number of beneficiaries) and number of applications pending with the implementing banks under PMRY for the year 2007-2008 are given in the Annexure.

(e): Does not arise in view of (a) & (b) above.