

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 6342
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.04.2018

MAHILA KISAN SASHAKTIKARAN PARIYOJANA

**6342. SHRI PARBHUBHAI NAGARBHAI VASAVA:
SHRI GEORGE BAKER:
SHRI ANIL SHIROLE:**

Will the Minister of **RURAL DEVELOPMENT** be pleased to state:

- (a) the salient features of the Mahila Kisan Sashaktikaran Pariyojana (MKSP) along with its present status;
- (b) the details of the funds sanctioned, allocated and utilized under the said yojana during the last three years and the current year across the country, State/UT-wise including Gujarat, West Bengal and Maharashtra;
- (c) the details of the proposals received under the said yojana during the said period along with the number of proposals approved, State/UT-wise including Gujarat, West Bengal and Maharashtra;
- (d) the details of the targets set and achievements made thereunder so far;
- (e) whether the achievements made are upto the targets set and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (f) whether the Government proposes to expand its coverage areas and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a): Mahila Kisan Sashaktikaran Pariyojana (MKSP) is a sub-scheme under Deendayal Antodaya Yojana-National Rural Livelihood Mission (DAY-NRLM) which focuses on empowerment and livelihood enhancement of women farmers in rural areas through training in sustainable agricultural practices. Focus is on landless, small and marginal farmers.

Under MKSP there are 2 major components i.e. Sustainable Agriculture and Non Timber Forest production (NTFP). The key interventions promoted under the two components are as follows:

Sustainable Agriculture:

- Low cost sustainable practices such as National Pesticide Management (PM)/Integrated Pesticide Management (IPM)/ Integrated Nutrient Management
- Mitigation of risk of exposure to hazardous farm practices.
- Soil Health improvement.
- Soil & water conservation and ground water recharging.
- Bio-diversity enhancement, poly cropping, multi-layer farming etc.
- Resilience to climate change – Integrated Natural Farming.

- Promoting and enhancing food and nutritional security at Household and Community level.
- Drudgery reduction for women farmers.
- Custom Hiring Centre.

Non Timber Forest production (NTFP):

- Ensure a better control of the institutions of the poor women NTFP collectors over the NTFP value chain in a sustainable manner.
- Promote regeneration of NTFP species to improve the bio diversity and enhanced productivity.
- Build the capacity of the community in modern harvesting and post harvesting techniques to increase their income.
- Promote value addition of NTFP to ensure higher returns.
- Develop market linkages for NTFP.

(b): MKSP is implemented in a project mode and as such there is no specific state-wise allocation for each year. The state-wise details of the total amount of central grants released for MKSP projects till 31st March, 2018 are given in **Annexure-I**.

(c): The requisite information is given in **Annexure-II**.

(d): The requisite information is given in **Annexure-III**.

(e): Under MKSP 33 lakh Mahila Kisan have already been covered against the target of 32.87 lakh Mahila Kisan.

(f): The scheme is expanded as per the demand from the states.

Annexure-I

(amount in Crore)

S. N.	State	Total Budget Sanctioned	Total allocation of Central share	Total releases of Central Share upto 31 st Mar, 18
1	Andhra Pradesh	281.84	211.39	52.55
2	Assam	24.04	21.36	10.6
3	Bihar	119.7	87.08	30.96
4	Chhattisgarh	34.3	21.03	15.21
5	Gujarat	28.15	20.89	0.23
6	Himachal Pradesh	2.71	2.03	1.32
7	Haryana	11.69	7.01	1.75
8	Jammu and Kashmir	9.54	8.58	2.14
9	Jharkhand	112.7	72.19	44.78
10	Karnataka	24.46	18.34	0.96
11	Kerala	172.77	88.22	38.65
12	Maharashtra	72.79	44.56	30.66
13	Madhya Pradesh	50.59	28.11	3.27
14	Meghalaya	2.92	2.62	0.65
15	Mizoram	3.6	3.24	0.81
16	Odisha	49.67	35.92	21.68
17	Puducherry	2.29	2.29	0.58
18	Rajasthan	53.57	33.83	18.07
19	Telangana	8.06	6.04	3.02
20	Tamil Nadu	24.35	14.61	8.44
21	Uttar Pradesh	63.36	38.02	9.5
22	West Bengal	18.45	15.07	5.55
23	Mutli State project	52.19	39.11	19.57
	Total	1223.73	821.53	320.95

Annexure II

S. N.	State	Total no. of Proposal received during last three year and current year 2017-18	Total no. of Proposal approved during last three year and current year 2017-18
1	Assam	1	1
2	Chhattisgarh	1	1
3	Gujarat	1	1
4	Haryana	1	1
5	Jammu & Kashmir	1	1
6	Jharkhand	3	3
7	Kerala	1	1
8	Maharashtra	1	1
9	Meghalaya	1	1
10	Madhya Pradesh	1	1
11	Odisha	2	2
12	Puducherry	1	1
13	Rajasthan	1	1
14	Tamil Nadu	2	2
15	Uttar Pradesh	1	1
16	West Bengal	1	1
	Total	20	20

Annexure -III

S.N.	State	Mahila Kisan Beneficiaries	
		Target	Achievement
1	Andhra Pradesh	1069400	1301107
2	Bihar	125154	135012
3	Chhattisgarh	66255	26725
4	Gujarat	29320	24587
5	Haryana	12000	3382
6	Jharkhand	125130	66614
7	Karnataka	19000	19000
8	Kerala	228500	339288
9	Maharashtra	222581	108815
10	Madhya Pradesh	40000	37166
11	Odisha	52324	38620
12	Rajasthan	80340	59824
13	Tamil Nadu	16800	14800
14	Telangana	1022291	1022291
15	Uttar Pradesh	87500	31273
16	West Bengal	62000	60790
17	Assam	26500	14549
18	Himachal Pradesh	2500	2510
19	Mizoram	Project approved in 2017-18. Implementation has just begun.	
20	Meghalaya		
21	Puducherry		
22	Jammu & Kashmir		
	Total	3287595	3306353