# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. †2619

### ANSWERED ON 09<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2019

#### FOOD PROCESSING UNITS IN ODISHA

#### †2619. SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA MAJHI:

Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of food processing units in Odisha as on date;
- (b) whether the Government has any proposal to set up food processing units in Nabarangpur and Malkangiri districts of Odisha; and
- (c) if so, the time by which these units are likely to be set up?

#### **ANSWER**

## THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

- (a): As per Annual Survey of Industries 2016-17, 1127 food processing units are registered in State of Odisha. Also, as per 73<sup>rd</sup> round Survey of NSSO, 2015-16, 77,781 Unincorporated Enterprises manufacturing Food and Beverages units are registered in State of Odisha.
- (b) & (c): Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI) promotes setting up of food processing units and does not set up food processing units on its own. The projects are selected through the proposals received against the Expression of Interest (EoI) invited by the Ministry from time to time for setting up of food processing units in the Country through eligible entrepreneurs/investors.

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