

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 4029**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.12.2019**

**EMPLOYMENT IN MSME SECTOR**

4029. SHRI ADV. A.M. ARIFF:

Will the Minister of MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) and number of persons employed therein in various states including Kerala during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (b) the number of the proposals received and sanctioned during the said period and the financial assistance provided to them;
- (c) the number of proposals pending for approval of the Government and the reasons therefor;
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to grant immediate approval to the pending projects; and
- (e) the details and the number of posts lying vacant in each unit at present and the steps taken/being taken to fill those posts?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF MICRO, SMALL & MEDIUM ENTERPRISES  
(SHRI NITIN GADKARI)

(a) to (d): Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), a major credit-linked subsidy programme is aimed at generating self-employment opportunities through establishment of micro-enterprises in the non-agriculture sector by helping traditional artisans and unemployed youth. Under the PMEGP, the estimated employment generated (number of persons) in micro enterprises during the years 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20 (as on 31.10.2019) has been 4.08 lakh, 3.87 lakh, 5.87 lakh and 2.11 lakh respectively. Employment generated state-wise including Kerala under PMEGP for the last three year and current year (up to 31.10.2019) is given at Annexure.

Details of margin money subsidy disbursed and number of projects assisted under PMEGP during 2016-17 to 2019-20 (as on 31.10.2019) are given below:

S. No.	Year	Margin money subsidy utilized (Rs. in lakh)	Number of projects assisted
1	2016-17	1,28,093.86	52,912
2	2017-18	1,31,240.07	48,398
3	2018-19	2,07,000.54	73,424
4	2019-20 (as on 31.10.2019)	82,436.58	26,480

(e): As per rules, vacant posts are filled on regular basis.

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Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 4029 for answer on 12.12.2019.

State-wise position of PMEGP during 2016-17 to 2019-20 (As on 31.10.2019)

S. No.	State/UT	Estimated employment generated (No. of persons)			
		2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20 (As on 31.10.2019)
1	Jammu& Kashmir	11691	30024	1832	216
2	Himachal Pradesh	6916	7088	17760	8200
3	Punjab	9858	12160	2240	896
4	UT Chandigarh	376	360	29896	7216
5	Uttarakhand	9890	12904	26424	6224
6	Haryana	11016	13744	24752	8432
7	Delhi	952	920	1056	368
8	Rajasthan	13408	12614	624	312
9	Uttar Pradesh	36315	43456	28000	19032
10	Bihar	25872	18456	17320	6752
11	Sikkim	201	296	11192	5456
12	Arunachal Pradesh	1984	1672	60232	17488
13	Nagaland	7783	7440	14376	3856
14	Manipur	8419	4800	29256	13800
15	Mizoram	3400	1992	19888	8064
16	Tripura	17961	8928	0	0
17	Meghalaya	2632	600	20208	5552
18	Assam	31498	18256	45136	16992
19	West Bengal	26604	10928	10328	2680
20	Jharkhand	10400	8888	3120	1072
21	Odisha	20392	19192	8984	2144
22	Chhattisgarh	12856	11704	9664	1992
23	Madhya Pradesh	15520	14432	24560	6688
24	Gujarat	11629	15008	608	264
25	Maharashtra	17799	26632	14408	6488
26	Andhra Pradesh	14148	12216	18872	8632
27	Telangana	6445	9520	440	256
28	Karnataka	30286	16920	41480	17192
29	Goa	660	400	16408	7776
30	Lakshadweep	0	0	9432	1712
31	Kerala	13068	10776	224	72
32	Tamilnadu	25764	32760	41944	12656
33	Puducherry	699	352	17448	5136
34	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1398	1744	19304	8224
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