GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.†5456 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.04.2022

IMPLEMENTATION OF PMAGY

†5456. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH: SHRI BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Pradhan Mantri Adarsh Gram Yojana (PMAGY) along with the details of its budget, objectives, targets and eligibility under the scheme;
- (b) the number of villages adopted under PMAGY for integrated development in Odisha;
- (c) the number of villages declared as Adarsh village with the targets achieved along with the details of targets achieved in such villages;
- (d) the funds sanctioned/released and utilized by the Government in Odisha during each of the last three years and the current year; and
- (e) the number of allotments made under PMAGY houses to all eligible families in Odisha during the last five years; district wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI A. NARAYANASWAMY)

(a): The centrally sponsored scheme of Pradhan Mantri Adarsh Gram Yojana(PMAGY) is being implemented since 2009-10 for integrated development of Scheduled Castes(SCs) majority villages. Since 2018-19, the scheme implementation guidelines were comprehensively revised. During 2021-22, this scheme has been merged with two other existing schemes of this Department to be known as Pradhan Mantri Anusuchit Jaati Abhyuday Yojana(PM-AJAY), for which an amount of Rs.1800.00 cr. has been allocated for the financial year 2021-22.

The principal objective of the 'Adarsh Gram' component of the merged scheme of PM-AJAY is integrated development of SC majority villages:

1. Primarily through convergent implementation of the relevant Central and State Schemes; and,

2. To take up identified activities, which do not get covered under the existing Central and State Government Schemes, through 'Gap-filling' funds provided as Central Assistance to the extent of Rs.20.00 lakh per village.

The scheme was started on pilot basis wherein 1000 such villages were selected. In 2014-15, the scheme was further expanded to 1500 more villages. Since 2018-19, 19080 villages have been selected so far under the scheme. Till 2017-18, all such villages having more than 50% SC population were eligible for selection under the scheme. Since 2018-19 onwards, villages having total population 500 or more with more than 50% SC population are eligible for selection under the scheme at present.

- (b): In Odisha, a total of 175 villages were selected in 2014-15 out of which 169 were found eligible. Since 2018-19, 946 villages have been selected of which 904 have been found eligible till date.
- (c): Till date 2487 villages have so far been declared as 'Adarsh Gram' on achieving the desired parameters, out of which 83 villages are from Odisha.
- (d): The funds released by the Department to the State Government of Odisha and utilized by them during each of the last three years and the current year are as under:

(Rs. in lakh)

Year	Funds released	Funds utilized
2018-19	2818.00	2591.70
2019-20	1787.60	0.00
2020-21	0.00	0.00
2021-22	8172.34	0.00

(e): In 2018-19, the existing scheme guidelines of PMAGY were revised wherein provision has been made to saturate all the eligible households of the selected villages under the scheme of Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Gramin(PMAY-G). As per the position uploaded by the State Government of Odisha on the portal for PMAGY, as on date, out of a total of 61,554 households found eligible for houses under PMAY-G, in the PMAGY villages of Odisha, 73 households have been allotted houses under PMAY-G. The district-wise details are **annexed**.

Annexure referred to in reply to Part (e) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.5456 asked by Shri Sunil Kumar Singh and Shri Bhartruhari Mahtab, Hon'ble Members of Parliament regarding 'Implementation of PMAGY' to be answered on 05.04.2022.

District-wise details of allotments made under PMAY-G to households in PMAGY Villages of Odisha

Sl.	District	No. of Households found eligible for	No. of Households provided Awa
No.		houses under PMAY-G in PMAGY	under PMAY-G (as on 31.3.2022)
		villages of Odisha	,
1.	Anugul	1766	(
2.	Balangir	1506	
3.	Balasore	6837	
4.	Bargarh	993	The state of the s
5.	Bhadrak	6378	
6.	Boudh	484	
7.	Cuttack	3825	
8.	Deogarh	614	
9.	Dhenkanal	2491	
10.	Gajapati	241	
11.	Ganjam	1108	The state of the s
12.	Jagatsinghapur	315	
13.	Jajapur	3159	
14.	Jharsuguda	558	
15.	Kalahandi	2234	
16.	Kandhamal	1705	
17.	Kendrapara	4379	
18.	Kendujhar	3114	
19.	Khordha	1152	
20.	Koraput	884	(
21.	Malkangiri	2843	
22.	Mayurbhanj	1287	(
23.	Nabarangpur	345	(
24.	Nayagarh	799	
25.	Nuapada	903	(
26.	Puri	6851	(
27.	Rayagada	2561	C
28.	Sambalpur	436	
29.	Sonepur	1724	
30.	Sundargarh	62	C
Tota			73
