

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2034**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15/12/2021

**BENEFICIARIES UNDER ANNA PURNA SCHEME**

2034 DR. V. SIVADASAN:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is intends to include more people in the Annapurna scheme;
- (b) if so, whether Government will bring relaxations in the requirement criteria of Annapurna scheme; and
- (c) the details of the number of beneficiaries under Annapurna scheme, State-wise?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
(SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)

- (a) &(b): There is no proposal for inclusion of more people in the Annapurna scheme.
- (c) : State-wise number of beneficiaries under Annapurna scheme is at Annexure.

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Annexure referred to the reply of part (c) of RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.  
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State-wise number of beneficiaries under Annapurna Scheme

Sl. No.	States	Number of beneficiaries
1	Andhra Pradesh	54354
2	Bihar	166600
3	Chhattisgarh	24196
4	Goa	420
5	Gujarat	35377
6	Haryana	NIL
7	Himachal Pradesh	2644
8	Jharkhand	54939
9	Karnataka	NIL
10	Kerala	36904
11	Madhya Pradesh	NIL
12	Maharashtra	108000
13	Odisha	64800
14	Punjab	NIL
15	Rajasthan	47500
16	Tamilnadu	66388
17	Telangana	38846
18	Uttar Pradesh	NIL
19	Uttarakhand	NIL
20	West Bengal	65068
	Sub Total	766036

NE States

21	Arunachal Pradesh	1840
22	Assam	25308
23	Manipur	3320
24	Meghalaya	3580
25	Mizoram	1000
26	Nagaland	2600
27	Sikkim	960
28	Tripura	5740
	Sub Total	44348
	Grand Total	810384