

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1403
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14/03/2022

UDYAM PORTAL

1403. SHRI SUBHAS CHANDRA BOSE PILLI:

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

- (a) details of the total number of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) registered on the UDYAM portal as of October 2021;
- (b) whether Government is aware that for most MSMEs, compliance costs exceed the post-registration;
- (c) benefits of registering on the UDYAM portal and the details thereof;
- (d) whether Government has provided any incentives to increase registration of MSMEs on the portal;
- (e) if so, the details thereof and, if not, the reasons therefor;
- (f) whether Government has taken any measures to create awareness about the portal; and
- (g) if so, the details thereof and, if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES
(SHRI BHANU PRATAP SINGH VERMA)

(a): The total number of MSMEs which had registered on the Udyam Registration (UR) portal as on 31.10.2021 and had been classified as micro, small and medium enterprises was 54,97,869. Out of this, 51,79,964 were micro; 2,85,540 were small and 32,365 were medium.

(b): Udyam Registration is free of cost, transparent, online, hassle free and is based on self-declaration. It does not require any documents to be uploaded and has an automatic integration with the databases of IT and GSTN and has no compliance cost associated with it.

(c) to (e): Benefits of Registration on UR portal are as under:

- (i) UR is a permanent registration and a basic identification number for an enterprise.
- (ii) UR is paperless and based on self-declaration.
- (iii) There is no need for renewal of UR.
- (iv) Any number of activities including manufacturing or service or both may be specified or added in one Registration.
- (v) Along with the Udyam Registration, enterprises may register themselves on GeM (Government e-Market place, a portal for G to B) & SAMADHAAN Portal (a portal to address issues relating to delay in payments) and simultaneously MSMEs themselves can also onboard on TReDS Platform.
- (vi) The Udyam Registration may also help MSMEs in availing the benefits of Schemes of Ministry of MSMEs.
- (vii) UR Registered MSMEs become eligible for priority sector lending from Banks.

(f) & (g): The Government has created awareness about the UR portal through advertisement in print and electronic media, special campaigns and interaction with stakeholders and Industry Associations.
