GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2486 TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.08.2023

REGISTERED BENEFICIARIES THROUGH E-SHRAM PORTAL

2486. # DR. KALPANA SAINI:

Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:

- (a) the expenditure incurred for the welfare of the registered beneficiaries through e-ShramPortal;
- (b) whether such beneficiaries are eligible for benefits under Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana also; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a) to (c): Ministry of Labour & Employment launched eShram portal (eshram.gov.in) on 26th August 2021 for creation of a comprehensive National Database of Unorganised Workers verified and seeded with Aadhaar. eShram portal is meant to register and support the unorganised workers by providing them a Universal Account Number (UAN). As on 3rd August, an expenditure of around Rs. 369.07 Crores have been incurred towards registration and Information, Education, Communication (IEC) activities.

During the data matching exercise carried out in February, 2023, it was observed that approximately 40% of the workers registered on e-Shram are already registered under Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana.
