GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1794 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 19.12.2023

Implementation of PMKSK

1794: SHRI AJAY PRATAP SINGH: SHRI KAILASH SONI: SHRI NARHARI AMIN: SHRI BABURAM NISHAD: DR. ANIL SUKHDEORAO BONDE:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) the salient features of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samridhi Kendra (PMKSK);
- (b) the details of funds sanctioned, allocated and utilized for setting up such centres across the country;
- (c) the details of the number of States in which such centres have been set up; and
- (d) the details of facilities being provided to farmers by such centres?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS

(SHRI BHAGWANTH KHUBA)

(a), (b) & (d): Department of Fertilizers (DOF), vide notification dated 24th August, 2022, has decided to convert the existing village, block/sub district/ taluk and district level fertilizer retail shops into Model Fertilizer Retail Shops, namely Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samridhi Kendra (**PMKSK).** These PMKSKs act as a one-stop-shop for wide variety of needs of the farmers like provision of agri-inputs like seeds, fertilizers & pesticides; testing facilities for soil & seeds; information regarding market prices of agri-inputs & various government schemes; and ensure regular capacity building of retailers.

(c): The State-wise details of PMKSKs as on 14th December, 2023 is placed at **Annexure A.**

		ANNEXURE A
STATE WISE PMKSKs SETUP AS ON 14.12.2023		
S.No	State Name	Number of PMKSK Setup
1	Andhra Pradesh	5326
2	Arunachal Pradesh	3
3	Assam	2407
4	Bihar	13633
5	Chhattisgarh	3835
6	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	1
7	Delhi	63
8	Goa	34
9	Gujarat	7008
10	Haryana	6189
11	Himachal Pradesh	1050
12	Jammu and kashmir	3060
13	Jharkhand	3302
14	Karnataka	6121
15	Kerala	1897
16	Madhya Pradesh	9252
17	Maharashtra	19791
18	Manipur	15
19	Mizoram	12
20	Nagaland	2
21	Odisha	5867
22	Puducherry	56
23	Punjab	4696
24	Rajasthan	11150
25	Tamil Nadu	8634
26	Telangana	6020
27	Tripura	196
28	Uttarakhand	788
29	Uttar Pradesh	37202
30	West Bengal	11333
Total		168943

SOURCE: IFMS DASHBOARD