

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 265
TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.02.2024

PROCUREMENT OF GOODS FROM SCs/STs AND WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS

265. SHRI NARAYANA KORAGAPPA:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that Central Ministries, Government departments, CPSEs, etc., surpassed 25 per cent mandatory requirement of procurement of goods and services from SC/ST and women-owned MSMEs;
- (b) if so, the details thereof during the last five years and the current year, year-wise and category-wise;
- (c) the details of total procurement in terms of money from SC/ST and women-owned MSMEs during the last five years and the current year, year-wise; and
- (d) the number of MSMEs benefited from this?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): In accordance with the Public Procurement Policy for Micro and Small Enterprises (MSEs) Order, 2012, an annual procurement of 25% has to be made by Central Ministries/ Government Departments/ Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) from MSEs, including a procurement of 4% from MSEs owned by Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes entrepreneurs and 3% from MSEs owned by Women entrepreneurs. In the F.Y. 2022-23, the procurement from MSEs was 37.14%. The details of annual procurement of goods and services from MSEs during the last five years and the current year are given below:

Financial Year	Total Procurement (Rs. in Crores)	Total Procurement from MSEs (Rs.in Crores)	Procurement from MSEs owned by SC/ST Entrepreneurs (Rs.in Crores)	Procurement MSEs owned by Women Entrepreneurs (Rs.in Crores)
2018-19 (166 CPSEs)	1,53,484.51	40,399.70	824.71	232.56
2019-20 (152 CPSEs)	1,31,460.68	39,037.13	691.43	393.51
2020-21 (161 CPSEs)	1,39,419.81	40,717.67	768.53	749.2
2021-22 (162 CPSEs)	1,65,383.04	53,778.58	1,302.50	1,713.27
2022-23 (165 CPSEs & 02 Deptt.)	1,74,252.39	64,724.98	1,545.30	2,315.61
2023-24 (117 CPSEs & 01 Deptt.) (upto 30 th January, 2024)	1,33,553.26	44,591.93	852.67	1,439.37

• Source: MSME SAMBANDH Portal (as on 30.01.2024)

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(d): The details of the total number of MSEs benefitted from Financial Year 2018-19 till 2023-24 are given as under:

Financial Year	Total Benefitted MSEs
2018-19	1,29,562
2019-20	1,61,436
2020-21	1,82,734
2021-22	2,38,432
2022-23	2,52,981
2023-24 (upto 30 th January, 2024)	1,74,639

- *Source: MSME SAMBANDH Portal (as on 30.01.2024)*
