

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 59
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STREET VENDORS REGISTERED IN MADHYA PRADESH

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Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of street vendors registered under the Street Vendors (Protection of Livelihood and Regulation of Street Vending) Act, 2014 in Madhya Pradesh during the last three years; and
- (b) the key steps being taken to protect their livelihoods while ensuring proper urban order?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI TOKHAN SAHU)**

- (a): As reported by Government of Madhya Pradesh, 1,93,480 Street Vendors have been registered during the last three years.
- (b): The Street Vendors (Protection of Livelihood and Regulation of Street Vending) Act, 2014 is being implemented by respective States/Union Territories by framing their respective Rules, Schemes, Bye-laws and Plan for Street Vending. The Town Vending Committee (TVC) conducts survey of street vendors, within the area under its jurisdiction as per “Scheme for Street Vendors” as notified by States/UTs. Also, Street Vendors identified in surveys, are provided with Certificate of Vending and Identity Cards.

Further, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs launched Prime Minister Street Vendors Atma Nirbhar Nidhi (PM SVANidhi), a Central Sector Scheme, on 1st June, 2020 with the objective to provide affordable working capital loan upto ₹ 10,000/- to the street vendors with enhanced loan of ₹20,000 and ₹50,000 in the second and third tranches respectively, on repayments of earlier loans.

In addition, for their socio-economic upliftment, Ministry has launched ‘SVANidhi se Samriddhi’ component under the PM SVANidhi Scheme, to build safety net for the beneficiaries’ families for improving their living conditions. It aims to link the beneficiaries’ families to existing eight welfare schemes of the Government of India, targeting their holistic development and socio- economic upliftment. These schemes are PM Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana, PM Suraksha Bima Yojana, PM Jan Dhan Yojana, One Nation One Ration Card, PM Shram Yogi Maandhan Yojana, Registration under Building and other Construction Workers (BoCW), Janani Suraksha Yojana and PM Matru Vandana Yojana.
