GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4365 TO BE ANSWERED ON 19th August, 2025

BENEFITS OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT SCHEMES

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that farmers in Delhi are being deprived of the benefits of Central Government schemes related to agriculture, and if so, the reasons therefor;
- (b) the number of farmers in Delhi who have been affected by the non-implementation of above schemes in NCT of Delhi and the steps being taken by Government to address the issues:
- (c) the measures being taken by the Government to ensure that farmers in Delhi receive the benefits of Minimum Support Price (MSP) and the PM Fasal Bima Yojna and to prevent the sale of crops outside Delhi; and
- (d) the timeline for the implementation of the above schemes in Delhi?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण राज्य मंत्री (SHRI RAM NATH THAKUR)

(a) to (d): Agriculture is a state subject. Government of India supports State Governments through a range of central sector and centrally sponsored schemes. These schemes encompass entire spectrum of agriculture including credit, insurance, income support, infrastructure, crops including horticulture, seeds, mechanization, marketing, organic and natural farming, farmer collectives, irrigation, extension, procurement of crops from farmers at minimum support prices and digital agriculture. List of schemes implemented by Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (DA&FW) is given at **Annexure I**

Information on the number of farmers in Delhi who have been affected by the non-implementation of the schemes in NCT of Delhi is not centrally maintained.

The Government fixes Minimum Support Prices (MSPs) for 22 mandated agricultural crops for the country as a whole and not region or state-specific, based on the recommendations of Commission for Agricultural Costs & Prices (CACP), after considering the views of State Governments and Central Ministries/ Departments concerned. Procurement at MSP from farmers is yet to be initiated in Delhi.

Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) and weather index based Restructured Weather Based Crop Insurance Scheme (RWBCIS) have been introduced in the country from Kharif 2016 season with a view to provide financial support to farmers at the time of losses due to natural calamities. This scheme is voluntary for State/UTs and farmers as well. The UT of Delhi is not implementing the scheme.

Under Central Sector Schemes, 20 installments of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM - KISAN) have been disbursed till now. Total ₹51.68 crore have been disbursed to farmers in Delhi. ₹2.89 crore have been disbursed to 11,516 beneficiaries under 20th Installment of Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM - KISAN). 360 farmers, as on 30.06.2025, have been enrolled under Pradhan Mantri Kisan Maan Dhan Yojana (PM - KMY) since its inception. Under Agriculture Infrastructure Fund (AIF), as on 30.06.2025, ₹35 crore have been sanctioned for 14 projects. The total project cost for these sanctioned projects is ₹58 crore.

Under Centrally Sponsored Schemes from 2014-15 to 2024-25, ₹96.27 crore were allocated under all components of Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY). Under all components of Krishionnati Yojana (KY), allocation was ₹20.49 crore. In FY 2025-26 action plans of ₹5.77 crore and ₹1.10 crore have been approved by Government of India for implementation of projects under PM-RKVY and KY respectively based on the proposal received from Government of Delhi.

Major schemes implemented by the Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare

- 1. Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi (PM-KISAN)
- 2. Pradhan Mantri Kisan Maan Dhan Yojana (PM-KMY)
- 3. Pradhan Mantri Annadata Aay SanraksHan Abhiyan (PM-AASHA)
- 4. Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY)/ Restructured Weather Based Crop Insurance Scheme (RWBCIS)
- 5. Modified Interest Subvention Scheme (MISS)
- 6. Agriculture Infrastructure Fund (AIF)
- 7. Formation and Promotion of 10,000 new Farmer Producers Organizations (FPOs)
- 8. National Bee Keeping and Honey Mission (NBHM)
- 9. Namo Drone Didi
- 10. Agri Fund for Start-Ups & Rural Enterprises' (AgriSURE)
- 11. National Mission on Natural Farming (NMNF)
- 12. Rastriya Krishi Vikas Yojana- Detailed Project Report (RKVY-DPR)
- 13. Per Drop More Crop (PDMC)
- 14. Sub-Mission on Agriculture Mechanization (SMAM)
- 15. Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY)
- 16. Soil Health & Fertility (SH&F)
- 17. Rainfed Area Development (RAD)
- 18. Agroforestry
- 19. Crop Diversification Programme (CDP)
- 20. Sub-Mission on Agriculture Extension (SMAE)
- 21. National Food Security and Nutrition Mission (NFSNM)
- 22. Integrated Scheme for Agriculture Marketing (ISAM)
- 23. Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH)
- 24. National Mission on Edible Oils (NMEO)-Oil Palm
- 25. National Mission on Edible Oils (NMEO)-Oilseeds
- 26. Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region
- 27. Digital Agriculture Mission
- 28. National Bamboo Mission
