

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COOPERATION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1706
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10th FEBRUARY, 2026**

Computerization of Primary Cooperative Societies

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Will the Minister of COOPERATION (सहकारिता मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has implemented any scheme for the computerization of primary cooperative societies;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the funds allocated and utilized during the last three years;
- (c) the number of primary cooperative societies computerized along with those which are yet to be computerized so far, State-wise;
- (d) the detailed number of regular employees of these societies trained alongwith the number of employees appointed through outsourcing for the same; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government towards capacity building, infrastructure development and digital literacy training to strengthen primary cooperative societies through computerization?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF COOPERATION
सहकारिता मंत्री (SHRI AMIT SHAH)**

- (a) To enhance the efficiency of PACS operations, strengthen governance and transparency, resulting in faster loan disbursal, reduced transaction costs, minimized payment imbalances, and seamless accounting with DCCBs and StCBs, project of Computerization of functional Primary Agriculture Credit Societies (PACS) has been implemented with a total financial outlay of ₹2,516 Crore which has now been increased upto 2925.39 Crore. It entails bringing all the functional PACS onto an ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning) based common national software, linking them with NABARD through State Cooperative Banks (StCBs) and District Central Cooperative Banks (DCCBs). This common ERP software is provided to all the PACS in the project, across the country, to capture data on all functionalities of PACS, both credit and non-credit. This software is customizable for state-specific needs.

(b) The details of funds sanctioned to States/UTs during last 3 years under the PACS Computerisation Project is at **Annexure- 'A'**.

(c) There are 1.06 lakh functional PACS in the country out of which 79,630 functional PACS have been included in the Computerisation of PACS Project, which constitutes 75% of all functional PACS. The details of number of primary cooperative societies computerized along with those which are yet to be computerized so far, are at **Annexure- 'B'**.

(d)& (e) For capacity building and digital literacy training of PACS officials, the project provides for training of PACS personnel. Accordingly, 59,030 PACS officials have been trained so far through 2 days ERP training programmes. (Refresher training has also been imparted to 18969 PACS and 2 weeks handholding has been given to 41,244 PACS). Further, 306 Support Centres have been set up to handhold the PACS with regard to daily operations.

For outsourcing, the project has provided for the services of one or more System Integrators (SIs) for each State which under contract with the States Governments/StCBs deploy its manpower for execution of digitisation and support & handholding' responsibilities. At present there are 18 SIs deployed in the 31 States/UTs under the project. Accordingly, SI personnels are responsible for digitisation till handing over to the PACS after digitisation, migration /reconciliation etc. All SIs have setup a support system by setting up one support centre on an average at cluster of around 200 PACS/ District Level. This entire support system will be under the overall supervision and control of the State Governments and will be operated by the concerned SI. Thereafter, PACS are responsible for daily data entry, vouchering, daily reconciliation and day end.

For hardware, an allocation of Rs 1,22,158/- has been made per PACS for providing Monitor with Web camera, Printer, VPN device and CPU. So far this infrastructure has been delivered in 65,153 PACS across 31 States/UT.

Annexure-‘A’

S No.	States/UTs	Amount released in FY 2023-24	Amount released in FY 2024-25	Amount released in FY 2025-26
1	Chhattisgarh	-	10,20,71,627	3,28,49,970
2	Madhya Pradesh	25,42,25,000	-	7,77,79,015
3	Andhra Pradesh	3,74,47,271	14,53,67,195	4,19,88,192
4	Punjab	-	-	7,42,17,848
5	West Bengal	-	-	15,25,13,088
6	Jharkhand	-	15,10,05,236	8,20,75,591
7	Manipur	-	-	59,38,461
8	Rajasthan	43,29,86,131	11,00,00,000	6,75,63,030
9	Uttar Pradesh	42,30,41,650	-	13,51,48,883
10	Arunachal Pradesh	12,00,000	9,07,704	86,15,396
11	Maharashtra	33,64,50,000	-	9,13,70,528
12	Tripura	1,12,50,000	3,03,30,709	1,09,90,658
13	Himachal Pradesh	7,32,00,000	3,09,00,132	8,28,12,789
14	Sikkim	90,00,000	78,56,659	41,17,730
15	Karnataka	15,39,00,000	-	12,19,00,000
16	Goa	12,50,000	43,73,086	31,03,388
17	Meghalaya	-	-	1,11,45,163
18	Mizoram	-	44,36,418	55,76,489
19	Assam	2,45,25,000	6,39,01,601	1,76,35,359
20	Bihar	-	14,65,77,881	4,15,16,464
21	Nagaland	2,45,68,555	1,59,98,098	1,11,449
22	Haryana	2,44,16,000	-	1,50,00,000
23	Tamil Nadu	12,48,20,000	-	6,04,95,261
24	Gujarat	58,30,00,000	22,18,73,654	13,48,44,609
25	Odisha*	-	-	18,07,47,384
26	Uttarakhand	3,68,74,057	-	2,00,00,000
27	Andaman & Nicobar	68,81,462	-	-
28	Ladakh	12,00,000	-	-
29	Jammu & Kashmir	1,51,78,040	1,85,36,744	1,75,21,819
30	DNH & DD	-	12,36,272	
31	Puducherry	16,75,000	-	5,78,181
Sub-Total		2,57,70,88,166	1,05,53,73,016	1,49,81,56,745
NABARD		40,92,18,538	25,00,00,000	-
Total		2,98,63,06,704	1,30,53,73,016	1,49,81,56,745

* Odisha has recently joined this project.

Annexure-‘B’

The No. of PACS Computerised and yet to be computerised				
S. No	State/UTs	Total Sanctioned PACS	ERP Onboarded	Onboarding on ERP is under process
1	Maharashtra	12178	12028	150
2	Bihar	4495	4478	17
3	Gujarat	6216	5705	511
4	Andhra Pradesh	2037	2021	16
5	Chhattisgarh	2028	2028	0
6	Rajasthan	8525	6157	2368
7	Jharkhand	2797	1479	1318
8	Punjab	3482	3172	310
9	Madhya Pradesh	5455	4532	923
10	J&K	708	537	171
11	Himachal Pradesh	1885	1376	509
12	Haryana	710	624	86
13	Uttar Pradesh	6257	3061	3196
14	Karnataka	5894	4337	1557
15	Assam	850	577	273
16	Tripura	475	267	208
17	Sikkim	131	107	24
18	Goa	86	51	35
19	Puducherry	45	45	0
20	ANI	46	46	0
21	Mizoram	99	25	74
22	Ladakh	10	10	0
23	Nagaland	231	102	129
24	DNH & DD	9	4	5
25	Arunachal Pradesh	139	13	126
26	Uttarakhand	1216	669	547
27	Manipur	308	199	109
28	Meghalaya	330	11	319
29	Tamil Nadu	4561	4509	52
30	West Bengal	4187	3308	879
31	Odisha*	4240	-	4240
Grand Total		79630	61478	18152

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