

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3942
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INCREASE OF FUNDS UNDER PMRY
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Will the Minister of AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

- (a): whether the Government is contemplating to increase the funds provided under the pradhanmantri Rojgar Yojana;
- (b): if so, the details thereof;
- (c): whether any assessment has been made of the amount being provided to the unemployed youth; and
- (d): if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES & AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES (SHRI MAHABIR PRASAD)

(a) & (b): Under the Pradhan Mantri Roj gar Yoj ana (PMRY), allocation of funds is related to annual targets fixed under the Scheme. Funds for PMRY have been allocated, as detailed below, to enable achievement of the targets fixed for the three years ending 2005-06:

Sl.No.	Year	Target Self-employment units (lakh)	Allocation of funds (Rs. crare)
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1.	2003-04	2.20	169.00
2.	2004-05	2.50	218.90
3.	2005-06	2.50	218.50

(c) & (d): Amounts of subsidy and loan provided to unemployed youth by the Government and banks respectively in the first three years of the Tenth Plan under the PMRY are as follows:

(Amount Rs. crore)

Sl.No.	Year	Subsidy	Loan
1.	2002-03	152.55	1198.47
2.	2003-04	147.63	1361.43
3.	2004-05	190.48	1173.97#

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