

No: SFAC/43/Parl.Qus/2025-26
 Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium
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Dated: Signed date

To,
 Marketing Officer (Group-1)
 Department of Agriculture & Farmer Welfare,
 Shastri Bhawan
 New Delhi

Sub : **Lok Sabha admitted Starred Q. No. 53 due for answer on 03.02.2026-Financial Assistance to Odisha - reg.**

Sir,

Please refer to your email dated 28.01.2026 on the above subject. In this regard, point wise reply is furnished as below:

Sl. No.	Question	Reply
a)	the details of financial assistance released by the Union Government to the State of Odisha during the last three financial years and the current financial year, scheme wise and year wise;	Small Farmers' Agribusiness Consortium (SFAC) implements two schemes, namely- Formation and Promotion of 10,000 Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs) and e- National Agricultural Market (e-NAM). Under Formation and Promotion of 10,000 Farmer Producer Organisations ((FPOs) scheme, fund is released neither to State including Odisha nor to its agencies. Under eNAM scheme, fund in the form of grant @ Rs.75.00 lakh per mandi, including Rs. 40.00 lakh per mandi for cleaning, grading & packaging facility and Rs. 5.00 lakh for compost unit is released to State Agricultural Marketing Departments/ Boards, including Odisha State Agricultural Marketing Board.
b)	the number of beneficiaries covered under each scheme in the district of Bargarh and Jharsuguda during the said period scheme-wise and year-wise;	Since releases are made by Marketing Division of DoAFW, therefore, such data along with UCs thereof are maintained by Division.
c)	whether Utilisation Certificates (UCs) in respect of the funds released under these schemes have been submitted by the State Government of Odisha, if so, the details thereof, scheme-wise and year-wise; and	
d)	if not, the reasons for non-submission of Utilisation Certificates and the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Union Government in this regard?	

Yours faithfully,

Digitally signed by
 Sandeep Kumar
 Dy. Director (PDF)
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