

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4877 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 31.03.2023

Increase in demand for high-efficiency liquid fertilizers

**4877. SHRI RANJEETSINGH NAIK NIMBALKAR:
SHRI DILIP SAIKIA:
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SHRI DEVJI M. PATEL:**

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a huge increase in demand for High Efficiency Liquid Fertilizer in the country for quality farming and agriculture process;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefore: and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to increase the production of high efficiency liquid fertilizers in the country?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS

(SHRI BHAGWANT KHUBA)

(a) to (c): Under the NBS Policy the Govt. notifies a fixed rate of subsidy in Rs./kg on each nutrient N,P,K and S which is converted into per tonne subsidy on various subsidized P&K fertilizers, which is 25 grades at present and does not include the liquid fertilizers. In order to promote the use of liquid fertilizers, 12 liquid fertilizers (Grade wise) have been included in the Fertilizer (Control) Order between 2020 and 2022 by Government of India and the sector is market driven.
