

Statement

Sl. No. Name of the Company

1. M/s. Leo Sea Foods Pvt. Ltd.,
New Delhi.
2. M/s. Ocean Products & Shipping
Pvt. Ltd., Visakhapatnam;
3. M/s. Kanchanaganga Sea Foods
(P) Ltd, Vijayawada.
4. M/s. Ganga Kaveri Sea Foods
(P) Ltd. New Delhi.
5. M/s. Orissa Maritime & Chilka
Area Development Corporation,
Bhubaneshwar.
6. M/s. Gujarat Fisheries Development
Corporation, Ahmedabad.
7. M/s. Four Season Fisheries (P)
Ltd., Visakhapatnam.
8. M/s. Star Marine Foods (P) Ltd.,
Visakhapatnam.
9. M/s. Srinivasa Sea Foods Ltd.,
Visakhapatnam.
10. M/s. Matsyika Exports (P) Ltd.,
New Delhi.
11. M/s. High Sea Foods (P) Ltd.,
New Delhi.
12. M/s. Young Fisheries (P) Ltd.,
New Delhi.
13. M/s. Bali Cold Storage (P) Ltd.,
Madras.
14. M/s. Coastal Trawlers Ltd.,
Kakinada.

Distribution of spurious seeds to
farmers in Orissa

1143. SHRI SOMNATH RATH : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are aware that spurious paddy seeds were distributed to the cultivators by Agriculture Department in 1985-86 and the cultivators were put to heavy losses during the kharif season in Orissa State; and

(b) if so, the action taken by Government in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) No, Sir. The Government of Orissa have reported that no spurious paddy seeds were distributed to the farmers by the Department of Agriculture during 1985-86.

(b) Question does not arise.

Estimation production of Foodgrains
in 1986

1144. SHRI MAHENDRA SINGH :
DR. CHANDRA SHEKHAR
TRIPATHI :

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the estimated production of wheat, rice and other foodgrains in the country during the year 1986; and

(b) how it compares with the targets of production fixed for this year and the actual production during the last year ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) and (b). Final estimates of production of wheat, rice and other foodgrains have not yet been received from all the States. In fact, they have not fallen due for some of the crops. As for wheat and other Rabi crops, even the harvesting is yet to take place in most of the States. It is, therefore, not possible to attempt a comparison of current year's production levels with the targets for 1985-86 or the previous year's actuals. However, according to the current assessment, production of foodgrains in 1985 kharif season is likely to have been affected