

[*Translation*]**Import of Soyabean and Groundnut oil**

8161 SHRIKHELAN RAMJANGDE:
SHRI KASHIRAM RANA:

Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of soybean and groundnut oil imported during each of the last two years and the value thereof;

(b) the quantity proposed to be imported during the current year;

(c) whether the Government had duly taken into account the production of soybean in the country; and

(d) if so, the reasons for resorting to import of soyabean oil?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED) (a) Neither Soyabean oil nor Groundnut oil was imported in the last two years. However, a quantity of about 47,000 MTs of Crude soyabean oil was received as grant assistance under Title III PL 480 programme during financial year 1992-93.

(b) There is no proposal to import any edible oil, for the present.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

National Grid on Fruits and Vegetables

8162. SHRI NITISH KUMAR:
SHRI NAWAL KISHORE RAI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the National Dairy Development Board propose to launch National Grid on fruits and vegetables on the pattern of national Milk Grid;.

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the benefits likely to be accrued to fruits and vegetables growers from the said Grid?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM) (a): No, Sir.

(b) and (c): Question does not arise.

Sacred Brick

8163. SHRI MRUTYUNJAYA NAYAK:
SARI MOHAN SINGH
(FEROZEPUR);

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are contemplating to display the 2300 Years old sacred brick presented by the Srilankan President during the SAARC Summit held in Dhaka in April, 1993 in any of the national Museums of the Country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND CULTURE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA) (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The National Museum, New Delhi is making arrangements for the proper display of the sacred brick in this Buddhist Gallery. It will be Properly documented and scientifically analysed before its display.