

नरेन्द्र देव कृषि और प्रौद्योगिकी विश्व-विद्यालय द्वारा धान की नई किस्म का विकास

7513. श्री रामावतार शास्त्री : क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि उत्तर प्रदेश में नरेन्द्र देव कृषि और प्रौद्योगिकी विश्वविद्यालय के 'प्लान्ट ब्रीडिंग' विभाग ने धान की एक नई किस्म विकसित की है ; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है ?

कृषि तथा ग्रामीण विकास मंत्रालयों में राज्य मंत्री (श्री आर० वी० स्वामीनाथन) : (क) और (ख) सूचना एकत्रित की जा रही है तथा सभा के पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।

International Agreement on Limitation of Prices of Farms Outputs

7514. SHRI K. MALLANNA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have approached the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) for an international agreement on limitations of prices of strategic farms outputs;

(b) whether Government have also pursued the matter with some other foreign countries in this regard; and

(c) if so, the reaction of Food and Agriculture Organisation as well as other foreign countries in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRIES OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN): (a) and (b). No.

(c) Does not arise.

Shortage of Nitrogenous Fertilizers

7515. SHRI ANANTHA RAMULU MALLU: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that despite large scale imports being arranged by Government there is an acute shortage of nitrogenous fertilizers;

(b) if so, the reasons for this shortage in the country; and the steps Government have taken to meet this shortage; and

(c) the quantum of actual shortage as ascertained by Government, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRIES OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c). Question do not arise.

Forest Research Training Programme

7516. SHRIMATI JAYANTI PATNAIK: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have a proposal to undertake extensive forest research training programme at Forest Research Training Institute, Dehradun;

(b) whether Government have ordered a computer controlled stress grading machine from Britain for the above Forest Research Training College of Dehra Dun;

(c) if so, the cost of that machine; and

(d) when it is expected to reach in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRIES OF AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN): (a) to (d) Information is being collected, and will be placed on the table of the Sabha.