

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

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**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether there is a proposal to set up a Mango Research Institute in West Bengal; and
- (b) if so, the site identified for the purpose?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. DEBENDRA PRADHAN)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Land belonging to the District Seed Farm of the Department of Agriculture, Government of West Bengal at MALDA has been identified for establishment of a regional station of Central Institute for Sub-tropical Horticulture, Lucknow. The Government of West Bengal has agreed to relinquish the land in favour of the ICAR.