

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3292  
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SUICIDE BY COTTON GROWERS  
A. VENKATESH NAIK;BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB

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

- (a) whether cotton growers of various States including Gujarat are not getting remunerative price for their crops and a large number of farmers are reported to have committed suicide;
- (b) if so, the number of such cases recorded during the last two years, State-wise; and
- (c) the remedial action taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (c): No State Government including Gujarat has reported suicide by farmers due to not getting remunerative price for their crops, during last two years.