

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5884  
ANSWERED ON:03.05.2000  
PRODUCTION OF BASMATI RICE  
ANANDRAO ADSUL

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

- (a) whether the Maharashtra Government have requested the Union Government to set up technology mission for increasing the production of Basmati rice;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action being taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

(SHRI SBPBK SATYANARAYANA RAO)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) & (c) do not arise.