

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

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DEMAND AND SUPPLY OF NON WHEAT CEREALS  
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**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether there is considerable demand in cities/towns for non-wheat cereals like maize, bajra, jawar etc. in the form of flour;
- (b) if so, whether these products are not readily available at fair prices;
- (c) whether the Government will ensure that these are made available in Government and semi- Government supported outlets in Delhi and elsewhere in order to encourage agro-rural industries of small-scale; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

- (a) to (d): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.