

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1097
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FRUIT AND VEGETABLES OUTLETS OF N.D.D.B.
AMBATI BRAHMANAIAH

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the quality of fruit and vegetables at Mother Dairy outlets has deteriorated;
- (b) if so, whether the National Dairy Development Borad (NDDB) is aware of this declining quality;
- (c) the steps the NDDB propose to enhance the quality of their products;
- (d) whether NDDB is not able to supervise its large network;
- (e) if so, whether there are plans to give contract of selling vegetablea and fruit outlets to certain agencies; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a) to (c) No, Sir. The quality of fruit and vegetables at Mother Dairy outlets is as per the standards laiddown by the Company which aims at total consumer satisfaction.
- (d) No, Sir. National Dairy Development Borad (NDDB) through its subsidiaries such as the Mother Dairy Foods Processing Limited is able to supervise itslarge network.
- (e) & (f) Question does not arise in view of (d) above.