

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1674

ANSWERED ON:14.03.2005

FUNDS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF HORTICULTURE CROPS IN M.P.

Moghe Shri Krishna Murari

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of amount sought in the revised proposal sent by the Government of Madhya Pradesh for the development of horticulture crops in the State under Horticulture Mission;
- (b) the action being taken by the Union Government thereon; and
- (c) by when the required amount is likely to be released?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTILAL BHURIA)

(a): The Government of Madhya Pradesh has submitted a proposal for development of horticulture at a total cost of Rs.499.14 crores under Horticulture Mission over a period of five year from 2005-06.

(b)&(c): The Government has proposed to launch a scheme on National Horticulture Mission during the tenth Plan. The Finance Minister in his Budget Speech for 2005-06, has announced the launching of the Mission by 1st April, 2005.