

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6356  
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CONVERGENCE OF SCHEMES  
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**Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether Government proposes to converge various schemes for supply of subsidised foodgrains into a single integrated scheme;
- (b) if so, details thereof and reasons therefor; and
- (c) the benefits likely to accrue as a result of this convergence?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION ( DR. AKHILESH PRASAD SINGH )

(a), (b) & (c): No, Sir. There is no proposal presently to converge various schemes for supply of subsidized foodgrains into a single integrated scheme.