

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1758  
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DISTRICT COOPERATIVE BANKS  
Ahir Shri Hansraj Gangaram

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

- (a) whether a demand has been made for providing Central grant to District Cooperative Banks in Maharashtra State to overcome their bad financial condition;
- (b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons for bad financial condition of these banks;
- (c) the amount of loss incurred by these banks d~e to waiving of loans;
- (d) the number of District Cooperative Banks which are in bad financial condition due to losses; and
- (e) the steps being taken by Union GovernmenHn this regard?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM)

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