

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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ATTACK OF PINK BOLL- WORM ON CROP
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether six cotton crop growing States including Haryana have been affected by the attack of pink boll-worm;
- (b) if so, the States which have been seriously affected by this attack; and
- (c) the total loss suffered as a result thereof, State-wise and the assistance provided by the Government to help them to overcome the losses?

Answer

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

- (a): Trace to low incidence of pink bollworm has been reported in Haryana, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh, which was timely managed by adopting suitable control measures.
- (b) & (c): Do not arise.