

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
PLANNING  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1168  
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PER CAPITA AMOUNT ALLOCATED  
Khaire Shri Chandrakant Bhaurao

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

(a) the per capita amount allocated for agriculture and rural development during the last three years, especially for drought-prone areas of Maharashtra; and

(b) the amount demanded by the State and the amount sanctioned by the Planning Commission for the purpose?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI M.V. RAJASEKHARAN)

(a) to (b): No specific per capita amount has been allocated for agriculture and rural development sectors for drought prone areas of Maharashtra for the last three years. However, year-wise allocation and expenditure for these sectors both under State Plan as well as Centrally Sponsored Schemes (CSS) for the State of Maharashtra is placed at Annexure I. The funds allocated / released by Ministry of Rural Development for rural development sector including the specific allocation for drought prone areas for the State of Maharashtra for the last three years is at Annexure II.