

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA**

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AGRICULTURE AND PROCESSED FOOD PRODUCTS EXPORTS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Agriculture and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) has assisted the exporters of Tamil Nadu in trading and exporting agro products from the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years; and

(c) the extent of its contribution in promoting agri-export from Tamil Nadu?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH)

a): Yes, Sir.

b) & c): Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.