

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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DROUGHT AFFECTED STATES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the States which have been declared drought affected during the current year;
- (b) the remedial steps proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard; and
- (c) the assistance provided to drought affected States particularly to Rajasthan, to tackle the situation during the last three years, State-wise?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b): During the current year Governments of Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Rajasthan and Uttaranchal have declared certain parts thereof as drought affected. The details of assistance are in Annexure-I. For Uttaranchal a Central Team has just visited the State and is finalizing its recommendations.
- (c): The details are given at Annexure-II.

ANNEXURE-I

DROUGHT RELIEF ASSISTANCE DURING THE CURRENT YEAR

CENTRAL SHARE FOODGRAINS

STATE NCCF OF CRF (LAKH M.Ts.)

(RS. IN CRORES)

Andhra Pradesh	50.58	90.28	6.00
Karnataka	298.16	33.99	7.29
Kerala -	30.65	0.61	
Maharashtra	242.79	71.65	7.00
Tamil Nadu	173.35	46.78	3.04
Rajasthan -	94.36	-	

ANNEXURE-II

Details of Assistance provided to drought affected States from National Calamity contingency fund (NCCF) during the last three years 2001-2002 to 2003-2004

2001-2002 2002-03 2003-04

S.No. States NCCF Foodgrains NCCF Foodgrains NCCF Foodgrains

1. Andhra Pradesh - 21.50 123.51 20.00 50.58 18.20

2. Chhatisgarh 23.94 5.27 127.51 4.74

3. Gujarat 27.00 1.48 3.06

4. Haryana 0.25

5. Himachal Pradesh 18.98 0.12 14.35 0.10

6. J & K 23.20

7 Jharkhand 0.40

8. Karnataka 1.00 207.65 5.30 298.16 6.79

9. Kerala 0.05 0.52 0.61

10. Madhya Pradesh 22.72 3.13 171.66 7.60

11. Maharashtra 1.50 20.00 2.32 242.79 7.00

12. Orissa 14.62 4.50 5.29 4.22

13. Rajasthan 78.97 7.39 889.61 32.56

14. Tamil Nadu 332.06 5.00 3.04

15. Uttaranchal 0.50 173.35

16. Uttar Pradesh 310.06 2.00

NCCF - (Rs. in crores).

Foodgrains - (Lakh MTs)