GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2907 ANSWERED ON:08.12.2009 SCHEME FOR FISHERY SECTOR Lagadapati Shri Rajagopal;Reddy Shri Anantha Venkatarami

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government of Andhra Pradesh has submitted several proposals for the development of the fishery sector;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the proposals are likely to be finalised?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

(a)&(b) The government of Andhra Pradesh has submitted two proposals to the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries and four proposals to the National Fisheries Development Board (NFDB) relating to the Fisheries Sector.

The proposals relate to development of freshwater aquaculture, extension and training, modernization of fish market, reservoir stocking, ornamental fisheries and renovation offish seed hatcheries and seed rearing farms.

(c) Since the progress of implementation of funds sanctioned earlier under Centrally Sponsored Schemes have not been reported by the State Government, the two proposals submitted to the Department have not sanctioned. NFDB has sanctioned two of the four proposals. The other two proposals have been referred back to the State Government for certain clarifications.