GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:792 ANSWERED ON:02.03.2010 MONITORING NATIONAL LEVEL PROGRAMMES Thakur Shri Anurag Singh

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is lack of proper monitoring of programmes/schemes sponsored by the Government at the national level in the agricultural sector leading to a huge loss to the exchequer;
- (b) if so, the details of the irregularities detected in the implementation of such programmes/schemes alongwith the number and names of the Non- Governmental Organisations which have been found to be involved in misappropriation of funds released under the said programmes/schemes; and
- (c) the details of the action taken by the Government in this regard including steps taken to recover the misappropriated funds alongwith the steps taken to check such irregularities in future?

Answer

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

(a): No, Madam.

(b)&(c): No major irregularity has come to the notice of the Department in the implementation of programmes/schemes through Non-Governmental Organisations.