

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4016
ANSWERED ON:20.04.2010
DIVERSION OF WHEAT TO FLOUR MILLS
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the wheat meant for distribution under the Public Distribution System in various States has been illegally diverted to flour mills;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of the such cases detected during the last one year, State-wise; and
- (d) the details of persons booked, arrested alongwith the nature of action taken against them during the said period, State-wise?

Answer

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

(a)to(d): Information is being collected from all State/UT Governments.