GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:158 ANSWERED ON:26.07.2010 EXPORT OF MAIZE AND CORN Paranjpe Shri Anand Prakash

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

- (a) whether the export of products like maize and corn has declined;
- (b) if so, the details thereof during the last three years alongwith the reasons for this decline in exports;
- (c) whether the Government has received complaints on quality control by foreign countries; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the measures taken or being taken to increase the export of these products?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY(SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

(a)&(b): No, Madam. The details of export of maize (corn) are as under:

Year Quantity (Lakh MT) Value (Rs.Crore)

2006-07 6.37 498.86

2007-08 27.28 2443.44

2008-09 35.37 3374.99

2009-10 20.03 1923.97

(April-Dec 2009)

- (c) No, Madam.
- (d) Does not arise.