

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:256
ANSWERED ON:27.07.2010
SPECIAL QUOTA OF SUGAR
Pakkirappa Shri S.

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Karnataka has requested the Union Government for special quota of sugar to bring down the spiralling price of sugar in the open market; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto

Answer

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

(a) & (b): No, Madam. The Central Government has not received any request from Government of Karnataka in recent past for special quota of sugar to bring down the spiralling price of sugar in the open market.