

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:323

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IMPACT OF ELECTRO MAGNETIC RADIATION ON CROPS

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**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has conducted any study regarding the ill effects of electro-magnetic radiation emitted from cell phone towers on the crops;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the outcome thereon;
- (c) the details of the Agricultural University/Research Centres which has conducted such study; and
- (d) the corrective measures taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

THE 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): No Madam, to our knowledge, no study with respect to damage to the growth of agricultural crops and plants due to electromagnetic radiation emitted from cell phone towers has been conducted.
- (b) to (d): Question does not arise.