

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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RASHTRIYA KRISHI VIKAS YOJANA

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has launched various projects under the Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government is providing financial assistance to the farmers/ State Governments under the scheme;
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the utilisation of such funds during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise; and
- (e) the details of the physical targets and achievements made for increasing agricultural production/productivity under this scheme during the said period?

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) & (b): Government has launched Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) in August 2007. Projects are taken up by the States, with the approval of the State Level Sanctioning Committee (SLSC) headed by the Chief Secretary of the respective State.
- (c) & (d): Allocation and release by Government to the States and expenditure reported by the States year-wise since 2007-08 is at Annexure-I.
- (e): RKVY contributes to the 4% growth target for agriculture and allied sectors fixed for Eleventh Plan. No specific physical targets for agriculture production/productivity is envisaged in the Scheme.