

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the funding pattern of the Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY);
- (b) the budgetary allocation made for RKVY and the funds released and utilized by the State Governments during each of the last three years and current year, Statewise;
- (c) whether the Government has any provision for providing special package to enhance production of pulses and oilseeds including in drought affected areas under RKVY;
- (d) if so, the details thereof during the said period, State-wise;
- (e) whether the Government has reviewed the performance of RKVY;
- (f) if so, the outcome thereof;
- (g) the details of the districts covered under RKVY; and
- (h) the steps taken by the Government to enhance the scope of RKVY in order to cover more areas/districts?

Answer

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

- (a): RKVY is a State Plan Scheme that provides 100% Additional Central Assistance to the States. Allocation under the scheme is based on three parameters of un-irrigated area, growth potential and additional allocation to agriculture and allied sectors in State Plan expenditure with respective weightage of 20%, 30% and 50%.
- (b): The budgetary allocation under RKVY and the funds allocated and utilized by the State Governments during each of the last three years is given in Annexure-I. The allocation & release under RKVY for the current year 2010-11 is in Annexure-H.
- (c) & (d): In the budget 2010-11, an amount of Rs.300 crores has been provided under RKVY sub-scheme for special Initiative for Pulses & Oilseeds in Dryland Areas by organizing 60,000 pulses and oilseed villages in rainfed areas during 2010-11 to provide integrated intervention of water harvesting, water management and soil health, to enhance productivity in dryland farming areas. The funds are being provided to seven major oilseeds and pulses growing States of Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh and allocation of funds is in proportion to the total area under pulses and oilseeds in these States. The allocation and releases under this sub-scheme is in Annexure-II (columns 4 & 8 respectively).
- (e) & (f): Funds utilization and projects implementation are reviewed from time to time. Most of RKVY projects have achieved their objectives.
- (g): All districts are covered under RKVY.
- (h): Does not arise