GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3738 ANSWERED ON:17.08.2010 EVERGREEN REVOLUTION Adhi Sankar Shri

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up any Commission on Evergreen Revolution in the country; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and its terms of reference?

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) & (b): No, Madam. However, based on the recommendations of the National Commission on Farmers, the National Policy for Farmers stipulates use of frontier technologies like biotechnology, ICT, renewable energy technologies, space applications and nanotechnology for launching an "Evergreen Revolution" capable of improving productivity on a sustainable basis.