

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

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

- (a) whether huge quantity of wheat was damaged by rains and other natural elements in various grain markets across the country including Narela in Delhi due to lack of proper sheds and negligence of officers;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;
- (c) the remedial action taken to check recurrence of such incidents; and
- (d) the action taken against the negligent officers?

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): During the current Rabi Marketing Season there was no report of FCI wheat stocks getting damaged due to rain and other natural elements in various grain markets under FCI across the country.
- (b), (c) & (d): Do not arise.