

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1385  
ANSWERED ON:03.08.2010  
PROBLEMS OF FISHERMEN  
Kurup Shri N.Peethambara

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

- (a) whether the fisherfolk have been affected due to the introduction of motorized fishing vessels in the coastal area;
- (b) if so , the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government in the matter?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE, CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

(a): No Madam.

(b) and (c): Does not arise.