

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:34
ANSWERED ON:09.11.2010
BLACK MARKETING OF FOODGRAINS
Pratap Narayanrao Shri Sonawane

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

(a) whether a consignment of Wheat for the Public Distribution System lying unclaimed/unattended was seized from the Agriculture Market Committee at Nandurbar in Maharashtra; and

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken against those held responsible?

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) : State Government of Maharashtra has reported that 81.55 Quintal of Wheat lying unclaimed was seized from Agriculture Market Committee, Nandurbar on 13.10.2010.

(b) : The seized 81.55 Quintal of wheat has been confiscated vide order dated 15.10.2010 and F.I.R. has been lodged on 15.10.2010 at City police station.