

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1598
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SHORTAGE OF FOOD ITEMS
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a shortage of food items in Arunachal Pradesh particularly in East Siang and upper Siang district;
- (b) if so, whether the Government of Arunachal Pradesh has urged the Union Government to dispatch foodgrains etc., on priority basis to the State; and
- (c) if so, the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

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

(a): No Madam. Government has not received any such report of shortage of food items in Arunachal Pradesh particularly in East Siang and Upper Siang Districts.

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