

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4287
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COOPERATIVE FARMING
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce cooperative farming as a new initiative in one or two villages in every district to achieve long term agricultural growth;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the funds earmarked and allocated for this purpose during the current Five Year Plan alongwith the role of farmers in this regard, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

- (a): No, Madam.
- (b) & (c): Do not arise.