

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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RURAL GODOWNS SCHEME
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of godowns set up under the Rural Godowns Scheme during each of the last three years and the current year in various parts of the country, State-wise;
- (b) the capacity of such godowns, State-wise;
- (c) the budgetary allocation made under the scheme and the actual amount expended from 2006-07 to 2010-11;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to bring about any change in the subsidy pattern to speed up the progress; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

- (a) & (b): State-wise details of number of godowns alongwith their capacity set up under the Rural Godown Scheme during the last three financial years is given at Annexure-I. Details for current financial year are not available yet.
- (c): Details of budgetary allocation under the scheme and the actual amount expended from 2006-07 to 2010-11 are given at Annexure-II.
- (d) & (e): The scheme is reviewed from time to time as per requirement. The subsidy pattern was last revised on 26.6.2008.