

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5447  
ANSWERED ON:06.09.2011  
IRREGULARITIES IN PROCUREMENT  
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**Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether complaints of irregularities in the procurement of wheat from farmers through cooperatives have been received by the Government;
- (b) if so, the number of such cases reported during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to make changes/improvements in the cooperative chain; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

- (a): No, Madam. No complaints of irregularities in the procurement of wheat from farmers through cooperatives have been received.
- (b): Does not arise.
- (c): No, Madam.
- (d): Does not arise