

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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FUNDING UNDER AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the funds allocated and spent for new agricultural development plans announced in the budget, 2011, State-wise;
- (b) whether any nodal officer has been appointed at the Central level for implementation of these programmes; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a): Five new agriculture development Schemes- Special Programme on Oil Palm Area Expansion (Oil Palm), Vegetable Initiative for Urban Clusters (Vegetable Clusters), Initiative for Nutritional Security through Intensive Millets Promotion (Nutri- cereals), National Mission for Protein Supplements (Protein Supplements) and Accelerated Fodder Development Programme (AFDP) were announced in the budget 2011-12 to be implemented as part of Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY). 60000 Pulses Villages Scheme was announced to be modified in the same budget. State-wise allocation and release of funds for these six sub-schemes are given in Annexure.

(b) & (c): These six schemes have been entrusted to divisions under charge of concerned Joint Secretaries except for Protein Supplements Scheme which is with Animal Husbandry Department for implementation as under:

S.No. Name of Schemes Division

1. Oil Palm Technology Mission on Oilseeds Pulses & Maize
2. Vegetable Clusters Horticulture Division
3. Nutri-cereals Drought Management Division
4. Protein Supplements Department of Animal Husbandry Dairying & Fisheries
5. AFDP Rainfed Farming System and Watershed Development
6. 60,000 Pulses Villages Crops Division