GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2323 ANSWERED ON:08.12.2011 DECONTROLLING PRICES OF UREA Sidhu Shri Navjot Singh

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any representation from the fertilizer manufacturing companies to decontrol the prices of Urea etc.;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS.(SHRI SRIKANT KUMAR JENA)

(a)to (c): The Fertilizers Association of India has submitted a proposal for Nutrient Based Subsidy for urea which includes proposal for decontrol of urea prices. A pricing policy for existing urea units beyond New Pricing Scheme (NPS) Stage-III is under consideration of Government.