

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4777
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FOODGRAINS TO BPL FAMILIES
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether quantity of foodgrains being provided to Bihar for the people living below poverty line is less in comparison to the requirement of the State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor,
- (c) whether any requests have been received by the Union Government for allotment of more foodgrains from Bihar;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI PRADEEP JAIN `ADITYA`)

- (a): There is no provision of foodgrains under any ongoing programmes of the Ministry of Rural Development.
- (b)to(d): Question do not arise.