

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4839
ANSWERED ON:07.08.2009
MOUS WITH INDIAN COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH
Bavalia Shri Kuvarjibhai Mohanbhai

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether his Ministry has signed a Memorandum of Understandings (MoUs) with Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) for ensuring proper planning of works under the National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (NREGS);
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any assistance has also been sought from the Ministry of agricultural and the Ministry of Environment and Forests for the development of wastelands in various States including Gujarat; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a): No, Sir
- (b): Does not arise
- (c): No, Sir.
- (d): Does not arise.