## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1725 ANSWERED ON:01.12.2011 FERTILIZER BONDS Singh Shri Brij Bhushan Sharan

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

- (a) the total amount of bonds issued to the fertilizer companies by the Government;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to buy back fertilizer bonds;
- (c) if so, the reasons therefor alongwith the value of bonds proposed to be bought back by the Government; and
- (d) the instalment-wise value of bonds bought back so far?

## **Answer**

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

- (a): The total amount of Bonds, which were issued to the fertilizer companies, was Rs. 27,500 crore.
- (b) & (c): Government has already bought back fertilizer bonds due to the liquidity problems of the fertilizers Companies.
- (d): The instalment wise bonds bought back is as per table below:-

(Rs. in Crore)

Total Bonds sold Bonds bought Bonds bought Unsold bonds prior to back on back on fertilizer issued buy back 31.3.2011 26.7.2011 bonds

27500 13757.36 5762.98 6032.30 1947.37