GOVERNMENT OF INDIA CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1408 ANSWERED ON:22.03.2012 DOMESTIC COST OF UREA PRODUCTION Sugumar Shri K.

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

(a) whether the domestic cost of urea production is determined based on the cost of imported urea;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the minimum and the maximum cost of production varies for Greenfield and Brownfield projects; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

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): No, Madam.

(b): In view of (a) above question does not arise.

(c): Cost of production will be different for Greenfield and Brownfield projects primarily due to difference in their initial capital investment.

(d): Details are not available as no new indigenous investment during the last 14 years have come up in Greenfield and Brownfield projects.