

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3886
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THEFT OF PADDY
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether paddy worth crores of rupees stored by State procurement agencies is reportedly missing from rice mills;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor, State-wise including Andhra Pradesh; and
- (c) the corrective steps being taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

- (a): No, Madam. No such report has been received from any State.
- (b) & (c): In view of (a) above, does not arise.