

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3808
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COTTON FARMING
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has taken any steps to promote cultivation of Bt. Cotton in rainfed areas;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of assistance extended for the purpose, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

(a): No, Madam.

(b) & (c): In view of (a) above, does not arise