

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS  
LOK SABHA**

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FINANCIAL LOSS TO FERTILIZER UNITS  
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**Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether some of the fertilizer producing units are suffering from financial loss since long time due to existing Urea Pricing Policy, NPS-III;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the current status of new Pricing Policy for urea sector;
- (d) whether the Government intends to announce New Pricing Policy for four fertilizer producers of urea sector;
- (e) if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) the time by which the new Urea Pricing Policy is likely to be announced by the Government?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (f): Keeping in view the grievances and the financial losses caused to fertilizer units as a result of implementation of Stage-III of NPS policy, formulation of policy for existing urea units beyond Stage-III of New Pricing Scheme(NPS) is under consideration of the Government of India and is expected to be finalised shortly.