

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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VOCATIONAL TRAINING TO FARMERS
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry, in coordination with the Ministry of Human Resource Development has recently launched an agricultural based vocational training programme for the benefit of farmers;
- (b) if so, the salient features of the programme;
- (c) the funds allocated for the purpose to various States/UTs during the current year;and
- (d) the measures taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to educate the farmers in adoption of the latest technology for increasing agricultural productivity?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI TARIQ ANWAR)

- (a) No, Madam.
- (b) Does not apply.
- (c) Does not apply.
- (d) The measures taken by the Ministry to educate the farmers in adoption of the latest technology for increasing agricultural productivity under the ongoing programmes of the Ministry of Agriculture are given at Annexure I.