

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2790  
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**Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:**

- (a) Whether the Government is providing concession to farmers for the use of Single Super Phosphate (SSP) in the country;
- (b) If so, the details thereof;
- (c) Whether the Government is extending/proposes to extend concession on Rock Phosphate;
- (d) If so, the details thereof; and
- (e) If not, the reasons therefor?

**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) & (b) Yes, Madam. Subsidy on Single Super Phosphate (SSP) is provided under Nutrient Based Subsidy (NBS) Scheme. The subsidy on SSP for 2012-13 is Rs 3673 per MT.
- (c) to (e) No, Madam. Presently, there is no proposal under consideration to provide subsidy on rock phosphate.