GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6608 ANSWERED ON:07.05.2013 RELIEF TO BT. COTTON GROWERS Panda Shri Baijayant

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has provided relief to the Bt. cotton growing farmers who have suffered losses during each of the last three years;
- (b) if so, the details of the relief provided, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has recovered part of the relief amount from Bt. cotton seed companies; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

- (a) &(b): No, Madam.
- (c) & (d): Question does not arise.