

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:698
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SUGAR DEVELOPMENT FUND
Swamygowda Shri N Cheluvarya Swamy

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government of Karnataka has sent several proposals to the Union Government requesting for assistance from Sugar Development Fund for its various sugar mills;
- (b) if so, the details thereof indicating the number of requests received and approved;
- (c) whether the funds have not yet been released by the Union Government;
- (d) if so, the reasons for not releasing the said funds; and
- (e) the time by which the funds are likely to be released?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b)to(e): A statement is annexed.