

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2967  
ANSWERED ON:27.08.2013  
NATIONAL DROUGHT RELIEF COMMISSION  
Devappa Anna Shri Shetti Raju Alias

**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government is considering to set up a National Drought Relief Commission on the lines of the National Water Commission;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which the Commission is likely to be set up?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (c): Ministry of Agriculture is not considering any proposal to set up a National Drought Relief Commission on the lines of the National Water Commission.