

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3379
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Government has taken decision to partially recompense the farmers for the additional expenditure incurred in re-sowing or purchasing appropriate varieties of oilseeds, the ceiling of seeds subsidy has been enhanced by the Government for Kharif- 2015 drought notified/deficit rainfall districts of the States; and

(b) if so, the details of the subsidy given/ proposed to be given by the Government to various States including Andhra Pradesh?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MOHANBHAI KUNDARIA)

(a): Government has not taken any decision to enhance subsidy on seeds of oilseeds for kharif-2015.

(b): Does not arise.