

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

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MARKETING INTERVENTION SCHEME  
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**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

(a) whether there is any proposal with the Government to implement Market Intervention Scheme (MIS) for highly perishable commodities viz., fruits, vegetables, flowers etc., which are not covered under the Support Price System; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b): The Market Intervention Scheme (MIS) is implemented on the request of State Governments/ UT Administrations willing to share the loss with Central Government on 50:50 basis (25:75 in case of North-Eastern States) for procurement of agricultural commodities, which are generally perishable in nature and not covered under Price Support Scheme (PSS). The basic objective of MIS is to provide remunerative prices to the farmers in case of glut in production and fall in prices. At present, no proposal is pending for implementation of MIS.