

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
LOK SABHA**

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KISAN VIKAS PATRA  
Chavda Shri Vinod

**Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has received any complaints regarding the problems being faced by people particularly the farmers in obtaining Kisan Vikas Patra;
- (b) if so, the details thereof during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise, especially in regard to Gujarat; and
- (c) the steps taken to ensure that Kisan Vikas Patras are easily available in the country?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a) No Madam.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above. Further, Kisan Vikas Patras were discontinued on 01.12.2011 and reintroduced on 18.11.2014.

(c) From November, 2014 to March, 2015, total 1.54 crore Kisan Vikas Patras have been supplied to all Circle Stamp Depots in the country, for further distribution to Post Offices, for their easy availability.