

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:214
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Promotion of Skill Building among Farmers
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the schemes under implementation to promote skill-building among farmers in agriculture and allied sectors;
- (b) the funds earmarked and expenditure incurred under these schemes during each of the last three years and the current year, scheme-wise; and
- (c) the new initiatives being planned to enhance the capacity-building of farmers?

Answer

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE
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- (a) to (c): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 214 DUE FOR REPLY ON 4TH AUGUST, 2015.

(a) to (c) : A number of ongoing schemes and programmes of Government of India such as National Food Security Mission, National Mission on Oilseed and Oil Palm; National Mission on Sustainable Agriculture; National Mission on Agricultural Extension & Technology; Mission on Integrated Development of Horticulture; Integrated Scheme for Agricultural Marketing; Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs), Farmers' FIRST and Attracting and Retaining Youth in Agriculture (ARYA) under ICAR, National Livestock Mission with 'Sub-Mission on Skill Development Technology Transfer & Extension' in the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries(DAHD&F) have an in-built component of skill building and training of farmers in the field of agriculture and allied sectors. Brief of schemes and their components under implementation to promote skill-building among farmers in agriculture & allied sectors is enclosed as Annexure-I.

Details about the Funds Earmarked and Expenditure incurred scheme-wise and year-wise for the last three years and the current year is enclosed at Annexure II.