GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3770 ANSWERED ON:22.12.2015 Testing of Hybrid Paddy Seeds in Chhattisgarh Marabi Shri Kamalbhan Singh

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has constituted any committee for testing the quality of hybrid paddy seeds in Chhattisgarh;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has also constituted any committee for regulating the rise in prices of hybrid paddy seeds; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the deficiencies identified therein?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(a) & (b): The State Government of Chhattisgarh has reported that no such Committee has been constituted for testing the quality of hybrid paddy seeds in Chhattisgarh. However, the facility for testing the hybrid paddy seeds is available at Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Raipur.

(c) & (d): At present, the issue of regulating the price of hybrid paddy seeds is not under consideration of this Department.
