

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION AND FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2639
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9TH JULY, 2019

AGRICULTURE POLICY FOR HILLY REGIONS

2639. SHRI TIRATH SINGH RAWAT:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has formulated any separate agriculture policy/ action plan or proposes to formulate any such scheme for the hill districts of Uttarakhand which are geographically different from plain districts and do not have irrigation and farming facilities unlike Tarai region and where agriculture is totally dependent on nature;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the necessary steps taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (c): No, Sir. However, though agriculture is a State Subject, Government of India facilitates the State Governments through various Centrally Sponsored and Central Sector Schemes for improving agriculture and thereby farmers' welfare in the country including in Uttarakhand. Central assistance is provided in the sharing pattern between Centre and States at 90:10 for 8 North Eastern and 3 Himalayan States (including Uttarakhand) and 60:40 for the rest of the States. Central assistance for various schemes administered by the Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers' Welfare are demand driven and funds are released to the State Governments based on their Annual Action Plans and submission of utilization certificates and progress reports for previous releases. A list of schemes is annexed at Annexure.

Annexure**Statement indicating schemes implemented by Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare**

Sl. No	Name of the Scheme
1.	Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojna
2.	Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojna-Per Drop More Crop
3.	Promotion of Agricultural Mechanization for in-situ Management of Crops Residue
4.	Pradhan Mantri Annadata Aay Sanrakshan Abhiyan (PM-AASHA)
5.	PM-KISAN (Income Support Scheme)
6.	PM-KISAN - Pension
	GREEN REVOLUTION
7.	Rastriya Krishi Vikas Yojna- RAFTAAR
	KRISHONNATI YOJANA
8.	Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture
	National Mission for Sustainable Agriculture
9.	Soil Health Card and Soil Health Management
10.	Mission Organic Value Chain Development for NE Region
11.	Rainfed Area Development (RAD)
12.	Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojna
13.	Sub-Mission on Agro-Forestry
14.	Restructured National Bamboo Mission
	National Mission on Agricultural Extension & Technology
15.	National e-Governance Plan for Agriculture
16.	Sub-Mission Seeds & Planting Material
17.	Sub-Mission on Agricultural Mechanization
18.	Sub-Mission on Plant Protection and Plant Quarantine
19.	Integrated Scheme on Agriculture Cooperation
20.	Integrated scheme on Agricultural Marketing
	National Food Security Mission
21.	National Food Security Mission - Oilseeds and Oil Palm
22.	Integrated Scheme on Agriculture Census and Statistics
23.	Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension (SMAE)
24.	National Agriculture Market
