

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4842
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 23RD JULY, 2019

COLD STORAGE FOR TURMERIC

4842. SHRI KOMATI REDDY VENKAT REDDY:

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

- (a) whether the State Government of Telangana has sought the Union Government's help for establishment of cold storages for storage of turmeric, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has taken any decision on such a request, if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the stand of the Government on protection of turmeric farmers and establishment of necessary cold storages for storage of turmeric?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (c): State Government of Telangana has included one cold storage project for horticulture crops including turmeric in their Annual Action Plan (AAP) (2019-20) of Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH). During 2019-20, an amount of Rs. 46.66 crores has been allocated for various activities including establishment of cold storage in Telangana under MIDH. The Government of India is committed to support the projects of State Governments as per the scheme guidelines.
