

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 249
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15th SEPTEMBER, 2020**

SPECIAL GRANT FOR DOOR DELIVERY PROGRAMME

**249. SHRI SRIDHAR KOTAGIRI:
SHRI KURUVA GORANTLA MADHAV:
SHRI TALARI RANGAIAH:
SHRI M.V.V. SATYANARAYANA:
SHRI POCHA BRAHMANANDA REDDY:**

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government plans to take a decision regarding special grant of Rs. 1,409 crores to implement door delivery program in Andhra Pradesh;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether the Government will adopt this as a national program in the light of COVID-19 pandemic for door to door delivery of essential food items to ration card holders in the light of the success of this pilot program of the Andhra Pradesh State Government; and**
- (d) if so, the details thereof?**

**A N S W E R
MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD &
PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SHRI DANVE RAOSAHEB DADARAO)**

(a): No proposal regarding special grant of Rs.1409 crores to implement door delivery program in Andhra Pradesh is under consideration of the Government.

(b)&(d): Does not arise.
