## Government of India Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution Department of Consumer Affairs

## **RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No.1195** TO BE ANSWERED ON 27/07/2018

### **RELEASING OF CENTRAL SHARE FOR ODISHA**

### 1195. SHRI NARENDRA KUMAR SWAIN:

# Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the proposal of the Government of Odisha for release of Central Government's share of Rs.50.00 crore for State-level Price Stabilisation Fund (50:50 basis) is pending with the Ministry; and
- (b) whether the Central Government would allocate its share of Rs. 50.00 crore to the Government of Odisha to fulfil the mottos of Price Stabilisation Fund during this financial year?

### ANSWER

### THE MINISTER OF STATE

## CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI C.R.CHAUDHARY)

(a) : Government has approved the proposal received from the State Government of Odisha for setting up State Level Price Stabilization Fund with a corpus of ₹100 crore of which contribution of the Central and State Government is ₹50 crore each.

(b) : The Central Government has released 50% of its share of  $\gtrless$ 50 crore i.e.  $\gtrless$ 25 crore as first instalment for the State level Price Stabilization Fund of the Government of Odisha in June 2018.

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