

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY
(DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1817
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06th MARCH, 2020

PROBLEMS OF CASHEW GROWERS

1817. SHRI T. G. VENKATESH:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the All India Cashew Growers Association (AICGA) has sought help of Government for fixing the MSP of ₹ 150 per kilogram on cashew nuts, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the details of the other demands made by the AICGA to Government; and
- (c) whether Government has taken any soft view on their problems to consider their demands, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a): The Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare has informed that no representation from the All India Cashew Growers Association (AICGA) has been received regarding fixing up of Minimum Support Price (MSP).

(b) & (c): Does not arise in view of (a) above.
