

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 190 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 19.07.2022

Commissioning of the Talcher Fertilizer plant in Odisha

190.: SHRI SASMIT PATRA:

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the progress in Talcher Fertilizer plant;
- (b) by when it would be commissioned; and
- (c) the benefits that India will receive due to the Talcher Fertilizer Plant in Odisha?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS

(SHRI BHAGWANTH KHUBA)

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- (a) The overall progress achieved in respect of Talcher fertilizer plant is 27.42 % as on 30th June 2022.
 - (b) The Talcher plant is expected to be commissioned by September, 2024.
 - (c) Upon operationalization of Talcher plant, it would add 12.7 LMT per annum of indigenous urea in the country leading to reduction in equivalent amount of import of urea. Further, Talcher plant would provide 450 direct and 1500 indirect employment opportunities, besides socio-economic development in the region.
