

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

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-364**  
ANSWERED ON 09/12/2022

**DELAY IN RELEASE OF FUNDS UNDER NFSM FOR COMMERCIAL CROPS**

364. DR AMAR PATNAIK:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the funds sanctioned for Odisha under the National Food Security Mission (NFSM) for commercial crops, specifically cotton;
- (b) whether Government is following a stipulated timeline for enhancing allocation to Odisha under NFSM;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (d): Under the National Food Security Mission (NFSM)-Commercial Crops (Cotton), allocation (central share) to Odisha state has been enhanced from Rs. 79.80 lakhs in 2021-22 to Rs. 131.04 lakhs during 2022-23.

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