## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2259 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 21.03.2023

#### Disinvestment of PSUs in fertilizer sector

2259#: SHRI SANJAY SINGH:

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

- (a) the annual production of all the public sector undertaking engaged in production of fertilisers across the country, the details of profits registered by said undertaking, year-wise:
- (b) the disinvestment made/proposed to be made in respective fertilisers producing PSUs during the said period, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of closed down/newly set up PSUs during said period;
- (d) whether any scheme has been launched by Government to revive the PSUs having been closed down; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof, including the PSUs having been revived till date?

#### **ANSWER**

# MINISTER OF STATE FOR CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS (SHRI BHAGWANTH KHUBA)

- (a): The annual production of the all the Public Sector Undertaking engaged in production of fertilizers across the country under the Department of Fertilizers and the details of profit registered by said undertakings during last three years are enclosed at **Annexure-I & Annexure-II** respectively.
- (b): Department of Investment and Public Asset Management (DIPAM), Ministry of Finance, is the nodal Department for dealing with matters concerning disinvestment of CPSEs. As per New Public Sector Enterprise (PSE) Policy for Atmanirbhar Bharat, 'Fertilizer' Sector is a non-strategic sector. In Non-strategic sectors, Public Sector Enterprises shall be considered for privatization, where feasible, otherwise such enterprises shall be considered for closure.
- (c) to (e): No PSU has either been closed down or set up during the said period.

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# The annual fertilizers production in Public Sector Undertaking during last three years (in LMT)

Name of the Company	Name of the Fertilizers	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
National Fertilizers Ltd.	Urea	37.27	37.99	35.25
The Fertilsers and Chemicals Travencore Ltd.	Amm. Sulphate	2.27	2.46	1.37
	Complex Fertilizers	8.45	8.62	8.27
Rashtriya Chemicals & Fertilizers Ltd.	Urea	23.47	22.51	21.86
	Complex Fertilizers	5.71	5.39	5.72
Madras Fertilizers Ltd.	Urea	3.45	4.81	5.04
	Complex Fertilizers	0.65	0.54	0.24
Brahamputra Valley Fertilizers Corp. Ltd.	Urea	1.56	1.32	1.70

Annexure-II

Profit after tax (PAT) details of Public Sector Undertaking during last three years (in crores)

Name of the Company	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
National Fertilizers Ltd.	-171.00	250.00	108.00
The Fertilsers and Chemicals Travencore Ltd.	975.50	350.47	353.28
Rashtriya Chemicals & Fertilizers Ltd.	208.15	381.94	704.36
Madras Fertilizers Ltd.	-125.26	2.87	162.05
Brahamputra Valley Fertilizers Corp. Ltd.	-129.70	-137.75	-97.64

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