GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1630 TO BE ANSWERED ON 6TH AUGUST, 2024

PROCUREMENT OF FOOD GRAINS FROM FARMERS

1630 # SHRI BABURAM NISHAD:

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

- (a) the increase in the quantity of food grains procured from farmers since 2019; and
- (b) the increase in the price at which food grains are procured from farmers?

A N S W E R MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRIMATI NIMUBEN JAYANTIBHAI BAMBHANIYA)

(a): The quantity of foodgrains procured from the farmers from 2019-20 to 2024-25 in the country is as under:

Marketing Season		Quantity	Quantity Procured (in LMT)			
	Wheat	Paddy	Coarse grain	Pulses	Pulses	
				{Under Price Support Scheme (PSS)}	{Under Price Stabilisation Fund (PSF)}	
2019-20	341.32	770.93	4.32	28.54	1.18	
2020-21	389.92	895.66	12.08	8.17	0.65	
2021-22	433.44	857.30	6.30	30.31	1.41	

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2022-23	187.92	846.45	7.37	28.31	0.16
2023-24	262.02	778.60*	11.85**	6.87#	1.24
2024-25	266.05				0.18**

^{*} as on 28.07.2024

(b): Government of India revises MSP for every Kharif and Rabi crop on which procurement of foodgrains is carried out by Government Procuring Agencies. MSP of food grains has increased every year since 2019. The MSP for Wheat, Rice, Coarse grains and Pulses from 2019-20 to 2024-25 is at **Annexure-I.**

[#] as on 29.07.2024

^{**} as on 31.07.2024

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1630 FOR ANSWER ON 06.08.2024 IN THE RAJYA SABHA.

Crop year-wise MSP of wheat, paddy, coarsegrains and pulses

(Rs per quintal)

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SI. No.	Commodity	Variety	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25		
	KHARIF CROPS									
1	PADDY	Common	1815	1868	1940	2040	2183	2300		
		Grade 'A'	1835	1888	1960	2060	2203	2320		
2	JOWAR	Hybrid	2550	2620	2738	2970	3180	3371		
		Maldandi	2570	2640	2758	2990	3225	3421		
3	BAJRA		2000	2150	2250	2350	2500	2625		
4	RAGI		3150	3295	3377	3578	3846	4290		
5	MAIZE		1760	1850	1870	1962	2090	2225		
6	TUR(ARHAR)		5800	6000	6300	6600	7000	7550		
7	MOONG		7050	7196	7275	7755	8558	8682		
8	URAD		5700	6000	6300	6600	6950	7400		
	RABI CROPS									
9	WHEAT		1925	1975	2015	2125	2275			
10	BARLEY		1525	1600	1635	1735	1850			
11	GRAM		4875	5100	5230	5335	5440			
12	MASUR (LENTIL)		4800	5100	5500	6000	6425			
