GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2590 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 12.08.2025

Acute shortage of Urea in Telangana

2590: SHRI K.R. SURESH REDDY:

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

- (a) the details of the quantity of urea (in metric tonnes) allocated and distributed to the State of Telangana during each of the last three years, month-wise;
- (b) whether Government is aware of reports regarding an acute shortage of urea faced by farmers in Telangana during the ongoing Kharif season;
- (c) if so, the reasons identified for the said shortage, including any supply chain disruptions or logistical constraints; and
- (d) the corrective measures taken or proposed to ensure timely availability of urea to farmers in Telangana and safeguard agricultural operations during the critical cropping season?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS

(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

- (a) to (c) The availability of Urea in the State of Telangana has remained adequate during the ongoing Kharif-2025 season. Further, the information regarding the month-wise requirement, availability and sales of Urea during the last three years, in Telangana is placed at **Annexure**.
- (d) Following steps are taken by the Government before every cropping season for ensuring timely and adequate availability of fertilizers across the States including Telangana:
- i. Before the commencement of each cropping season, Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (DA&FW), in consultation with all the State Governments, assesses the state-wise & month-wise requirement of fertilizers.
- ii. On the basis of requirement projected by DA&FW, D/o Fertilizers allocates adequate quantities of fertilizers to States by issuing monthly supply plan and continuously monitors the availability.
- iii. The movement of all major subsidized fertilizers is monitored throughout the country by an on-line web-based monitoring system called integrated Fertilizer Monitoring System (iFMS);
- iv. Regular Weekly Video Conference is conducted jointly by DA&FW and D/o Fertilizers with State Agriculture Officials and corrective actions are taken to dispatch fertilizers as indicated by the State Governments.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) to (c) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question 2590 to be answered on 12.08.2025

MONTH WISE REQUIREMENT, AVAILABILITY & SALES OF UREA FROM 2022-23 TO 2024-25

Fig. In MTs

MONTH	2022-23			2023-24			2024-25		
	REQUIREMENT	AVAILABILITY	SALES	REQUIREMENT	AVAILABILITY	SALES	REQUIREMENT	AVAILABILITY	SALES
APRIL	200,000	394,760	30,617	200,000	403,480	24,500	170,000	617,540	15,855
MAY	200,000	554,350	30,199	200,000	522,850	40,682	170,000	734,820	33,943
JUNE	175,000	669,690	95,393	164,000	652,130	89,201	180,000	841,870	129,001
JULY	175,000	753,340	209,856	150,000	733,280	195,494	170,000	829,320	248,014
AUGUST	175,000	731,000	275,396	100,000	668,000	341,824	180,000	706,080	327,802
SEPTEMBER	125,000	610,580	263,061	100,000	459,550	351,981	170,000	534,200	211,140
OCTOBER	150,000	445,470	96,454	170,000	279,120	74,349	170,000	394,020	79,053
NOVEMBER	150,000	476,200	47,382	170,000	401,000	37,129	170,000	447,240	61,091
DECEMBER	150,000	540,980	119,894	170,000	558,630	106,248	170,000	552,830	163,859
JANUARY	125,000	608,590	258,263	170,000	741,310	274,756	170,000	590,310	316,844
FEBRUARY	114,000	563,860	308,716	170,000	660,090	252,097	170,000	428,610	313,137
MARCH	100,000	419,910	147,991	130,000	588,460	114,683	130,000	315,450	108,627

^{1.} Primary Indicator of comfortable availability: Availability > Requirement

^{2.} econdary Indicator of comfortable availability: Availability > Sales

^{3.} Figures are as per ifms