

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH & EDUCATION

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1880**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14/03/2017

**SETTING UP OF INDIAN AGRICULTURAL  
RESEARCH INSTITUTES**

1880. SHRI ANTO ANTONY:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE  
कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is considering to establish an Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI) in Kerala or proposes to upgrade any of the agricultural institute in the State to IARI;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, location-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has received any representation from the State Government of Kerala in this regard;
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the response of the Government thereto;  
and
- (e) the time by which the Institute is likely to be set up?

**A N S W E R**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE  
कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री  
**(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)**

(a) There is no such proposal with the Government for considering to establish an Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI) like institute in Kerala or to upgrade any of the agricultural institute in the state to IARI, as of now.

**(b) to (e):** Question does not arise.

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