

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

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4174**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 28<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2017

**WORKING GROUP ON AGRICULTURE**

4174. SHRIMATI RAKSHATAI KHADSE:

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

- (a) the details of the issues raised by the Group of Secretaries working on Agriculture out of the 10 groups formed by the Government for agriculture, animal husbandry, fisheries, poultry, fertilizers, irrigation and rural development;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to rework and come up with effective solutions to address the problems plaguing the agriculture sector; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

(a) to (c): The Group of Secretaries- Agriculture has examined the challenges before the sector and suggested strategies on issues relating to agriculture and allied sectors viz. animal husbandry/fisheries/agricultural research and also related issues concerning water, fertilisers, consumer affairs, food processing, food and public distribution, panchayati raj, rural development and land resources and submitted its report to the Cabinet Secretariat.

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