GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 676 TO BE ANSWERED ON 06th FEBRUARY, 2017

ASSISTANCE FOR COLD STORAGE FACILITY

676. SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is planning to strengthen cold storage and warehousing infrastructure facilities in the State of Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of amount of funds sanctioned for this purpose?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती निर्मला सीतारमण) (स्वतंत्र प्रभार)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

- (a) Yes, Madam.
- (b)& (c) In the State of Andhra Pradesh, two project proposals have been received from Central Warehousing Corporation seeking funding under the Central Component of Assistance to States for Developing Export Infrastructure and other Allied Activities (ASIDE) Scheme:
 - (i) "Establishing an export oriented anchor unit for cold storage at Spices Park, Guntur" for which Rs. 5.00 Cr was released to CWC on 29.12.2016.
 - (ii) "Establishing an export certified processing & cold storage infrastructure for promotion of aqua and marine exports located at Vishakhapatnam and Bhimavaram" for which Rs. 4.38 cr. was released ton CWC on 29.12.2016.
