

**Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
Department of Consumer Affairs**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2463
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.01.2018**

WASTAGE OF FOOD IN CEREMONIES

2463. SHRI CHHEDI PASWAN:
(OIH)

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to take any measures to stop wastage of food in ceremonies like a festival, celebration, marriage etc.; and
(b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण राज्य मंत्री
(श्री सी. आर. चौधरी)**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SHRI C. R. CHAUDHARY)**

(a) & (b): Government carries out publicity campaign through print and electronic media to sensitize people against Food Wastage from time to time. In addition, States/UTs were advised by Central Government to include chapter on prevention of food wastage in the school syllabi to inculcate awareness among young students sensitize them against food wastage at the growing age itself.
