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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.576 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 19TH DECEMBER, 2017

FACILITIES TO WOMEN FOR ORGANIC FARMING

576. SHRIMATI RAKSHATAI KHADSE:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to propel the second green revolution by providing the women folk of the country the facilities and opportunities in agriculture field to promote organic farming;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether there is any scheme specially designed for promoting women in agricultural activities and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

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

(a) to (c): A dedicated fund of 30% is allocated for women farmers under all the agriculture schemes including organic farming schemes of Parampragat Krishi Vikas Yojana (PKVY) and Mission Organic Value Chain Development for North Eastern Region. Women friendly farm implements have also been developed for encouraging women farmers.
