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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION AND FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.690
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 19TH DECEMBER, 2017

IMPACT OF PER DROP MORE CROP SCHEME

690. SHRI BHARATHI MOHAN R.K.:
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE †ãðŠãäÓã एवं किसान कल्याण ½ãâ¨ããè
be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has conducted any study on the impact of “Per Drop More Crop” on Farmers in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the funds allocated by the Government during the last two years under the “Per Drop More Crop” scheme; and
- (d) the details of the funds allocated by the Government to Tamil Nadu under the Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY), National Mission on Oil Seeds and Oil Palm (NMOOP) and Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) during the last three years?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

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(a) & (b): ‘Per Drop More Crop’ component of Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) is assisting States/Union Territories to adopt Micro Irrigation. An impact evaluation study on Micro Irrigation was carried out in 2014, which concluded that:

- Irrigation cost is reduced by 20% to 50% with average of 32.3%.
- Electricity consumption is reduced by about 31%.
- Saving of fertilizers varies from 7% to 42%.
- Average productivity of fruits and vegetables increased by about 42.3% and 52.8%.
- Overall income enhancement of farmers in the range of 20% to 68% with an average of 48.5%

(c): Rs. 1550.00 crore and Rs. 1990.00 crore were allocated under the Per Drop More Crop component of PMKSY in the year 2015-16 and 2016-17 respectively.

(d): During the last three years, funds released under RKVY, NMOOP and PMKSY to Tamil Nadu are as under:

Scheme	Fund Release (<i>Rs. in Crore</i>)		
	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17
Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY)	298.95	259.74	204.87
National Mission on Oil Seeds and Oil Palm (NMOOP)	8.42	8.06	7.83
Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY)*			
a) PMKSY- Per Drop More Crop	-	129.78	143.50
b) PMKSY- Watershed Development	-	75.00	62.36
c) PMKSY- Har Khet Ko Pani	-	38.49	-
Sub Total PMKSY		243.27	205.86

* PMKSY scheme was launched in 2015-16.
