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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2770 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.03.2018

IMPORT OF PULSES

2770. SHRI DEEPENDER SINGH HOODA:

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

- (a) whether the import of pulses has increased exorbitantly in the country during the last three years and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) the quantum of pulses imported during each of the last five years including the Financial year 2017-18, country-wise; and
- (c) the percentage share imported by MNCs, corporate entities and domestic processors, respectively out of the total imports during the above period?

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): The requisite details are at **Annexure**.

(c) : The data as per these categorization is not available.

STATEMENT REFERRED IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2770 FOR 13.03.2018 REGARDING IMPORT OF PULSES.

COUNTRY-WISE IMPORT OF PULSES FROM 2012-13 TO 2017-18 (APR TO JAN) in MT

COUNTRY	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18 (APR TO JAN)
	QTY(TON)	QTY(TON)	QTY(TON)	QTY(TON)	QTY(TON)	QTY(TON)
CANADA	1,107,455	1,504,718	2,195,557	2,510,911	2,402,422	1,679,780
AUSTRALIA	721,047	342,309	332,657	912,308	1,174,151	1,211,976
RUSSIA	324,858	215,620	236,892	503,492	392,274	605,708
MYANMAR	963,649	906,486	931,330	722,040	653,874	549,928
UKRAINE	48,534	20,315	62,068	89,248	157,317	384,121
ROMANIA		100			44,195	176,122
MOZAMBIQUE	77,108	78,905	97,069	78,867	197,936	119,440
FRANCE	127,498	23,275		120,780	216,364	90,795
USA	178,275	195,847	312,230	259,078	319,251	88,428
TANZANIA REP	146,207	181,496	179,994	136,204	297,803	83,191
BULGARIA	49			565	15,849	58,609
SUDAN	563		17,088	19,430	59,909	55,588
LITHUANIA				93,261	284,964	52,283
CHINA P RP	65,584	49,519	71,107	68,524	67,175	38,909
GERMANY					23,069	25,979
ARGENTINA	39,599	4,666	9,056	20,796	31,833	21,971
ETHIOPIA	29,736	17,355	31,027	51,121	34,137	20,230
MALAWI	65,745	22,428	46,016	61,093	46,612	12,369
UZBEKISTAN	12,955	10,892	12,473	15,183	23,436	10,633
AFGHANISTAN	12,938	12,447	4,355	15,974	12,718	10,207
Others	76,629	54,621	41,905	107,669	147,087	34,050
Grand Total	4,013,236	3,643,713	4,584,852	5,797,706	6,609,487	5,330,317

Note: Figures pertaining to the current financial year 2017-18 is Provisional and subject to changes.

Source:- Directorate General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics (DGCIS), M/o Commerce & Industry