GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2811 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13TH MARCH, 2018

VILLAGE GRAIN BANKS

2811. SHRI BAHADUR SINGH KOLI:

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

(a) whether a number of Village Grain Banks have been established in the country including Rajasthan during each of the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof, year-wise;

(c) if not, whether the Government is considering to establish village Grain Banks; and

(d) the details of funds sanctioned and released for establishing such Grain Banks in the country including Rajasthan during the said period?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI C. R. CHAUDHARY)

(a) to (c): No Madam.

The Village Grain Banks Scheme was discontinued on 01.01.2014.

(d): In view of reply to part (a) to (c) above, question does not arise.
