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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2914 TO BE ANSWERED ON 13TH MARCH, 2018

PDS SCAMS IN ARUNACHAL PRADESH

2914. SHRI NINONG ERING:

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

- (a) whether frequent PDS scams ranging up to Rs. one thousand crore occurred in Arunachal Pradesh, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether any steps are being taken by the Government to overcome this problem and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has implemented IT in PDS, if so, the details thereof, States/UTs-wise; and
- (d) whether it is a fact that IT has not yet been implemented in PDS in Arunachal Pradesh, if so, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

- (a) to (b): The Government of Arunachal Pradesh has informed that the alleged Public Distribution System scams are said to have occurred during the years 2001 to 2004 and after that no such case have occurred in the State. The major reason for above scams was due to operation of Headload in most of the districts of State. After implementation of National Food Security Act, 2013 in the State, the Headload has been completely banned.
- (c) to (d): With an aim to bring reforms in the functioning of Public Distribution system (PDS), Government has implemented a scheme on 'Endto-End Computerization of PDS Operations' in collaboration with all States/UTs including Arunachal Pradesh. The scheme comprises digitization of ration cards/beneficiaries, computerization of supply-chain management, installation of e-PoS machine at Fair Price Shops, setting up of transparency portals and grievance redressal mechanisms[GRM] in all States/UTs. A State/UT wise statement including Arunachal Pradesh showing the status of implementation of End to End Computerisation of PDS operations as on 27/2/18 is annexed.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) & (d) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2914 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 13.03.2018 IN THE LOK SABHA.

Statement showing the State/UT wise status of implementation of End-to-End Computerization of PDS Operations

(as on 27.02.2018)

Padesh	SI.	States/UTs	Digitization of Ration Cards	Aadhaar Seeding in RCs	Online Allocation of Foodgrains	Computerization of Supply Chain Management	Transparency Portal	Online Grievance Redressal		Total No. of Fair Price Shops	No. of FPSs with Operational ePoS
No.	1		100%	100%	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes	Yes	28,663	28,663
Parkes 100% 0% 100%	2	A & N Islands	100%	100%	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes	Yes	482	373
Biblar 100% 83% Implemented Implemented Yes Yes Yes 14,1483 59	3		100%	45%	-	-	Yes	-	Yes	1,731	0
Social Chandigarh 100% 100% NA NA Yes Yes Yes 12,309 11,900	4	Assam	100%	0%	Implemented	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	38,238	109
Charlesgarh 100% 99% Implemented Implemented Yes Yes Yes 12,309 11,900	5	Bihar	100%	83%	Implemented	Implemented	Yes	Yes	Yes	41,483	59
	6	Chandigarh	100%	100%	NA	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	0	0
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