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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2949
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 13TH MARCH, 2018

COMMITTEE FOR LOAN WAIVER OF FARMERS

2949. SHRI TARIQ ANWAR:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE (श्री गजेंद्रा सिंह एवं किसान कल्याण) be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has set up or plans to set up a committee for waiver of loans of farmers; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(श्री गजेंद्रा सिंह एवं किसान कल्याण) (SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

(a): No, Madam. The Government has not set up any committee for waiver of loans of farmers. The Government is not in favour of loan waiver, as it negatively impacts credit and recovery climate and has severe systemic consequences.

(b): Does not arise.
