GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3681 TO BE ANSWERED ON 19th MARCH,2018

IMPORT-EXPORT OF SUGAR

3681. SHRI GEORGE BAKER: SHRI ANIL SHIROLE: PROF. RICHARD HAY: SHRI PARBHUBHAI NAGARBHAI VASAVA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the percentage of import-export of sugar across the country, State/UTwise including West Bengal;
- (b) the details of the revenue/ expenditure incurred and foreign exchange earned therefrom during the last three years and the current year across the country;
- (c) whether the Government has received any proposals from some States to ease the import process of sugar within the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof, State/ UT-wise and the action taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सी. आर. चौधरी)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI C. R. CHAUDHARY)

(a) & (b) State/UT-wise data on exports/imports is not maintained. The details of export/ import of sugar during last three financial years and the current year up to January, 2018 are given as under:

	Export		Import	
FY	Quantity (in Tonnes)	Value (in Million USD)	Quantity (in Tonnes)	Value (in Million USD)
2014-15	1955191	871.41	1538635	601.17
2015-16	3844445	1490.52	1943125	612.24
2016-17	2544014	1290.71	2146153	1021.81
2017-18 (upto Jan-18)	1538365	720.96	2309466	903.50

(c) & (d) No, Madam. In the recent past no such proposal has been received from any state/UTs to ease the import process of sugar within the country.