

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

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4093**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 20<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2018

**SUB-MISSION ON AGRO-FORESTRY**

4093. SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE **‡ãðŠãäÓã** एवं किसान कल्याण ½ãâ``ããè be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the “Sub-Mission on Agro-forestry” is under implementation in Himachal Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the amount of funds earmarked for the State thereunder;
- (c) the types of tree-variations introduced under the scheme; and
- (d) the details of farmers covered thereunder?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

**‡ãðŠãäÓã** एवं किसान कल्याण ½ãâ``ããÈ¼ã ½ãñâ Àã•¾ã ½ãâ``ããè ( SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Sub-Mission on Agroforestry (SMAF) is being implemented in Himachal Pradesh from the year 2016-17. For the years 2016-17 & 2017-18 against an allocation of Rs.230.00 lakh & Rs.105.00 lakh, release of Rs.115.00 lakh and Rs.48.68 lakh, respectively has been made.

(c): All the locally available Agrofsoresstry tree species suitable to the agroclimatic zone including trees of medicinal value are introduced e.g. Amla, Behra, Arjun, Bael, Ritha, Daru, Kachnar, Toon, Jamun, Shisham, Chulli, Kainth, Walnut, etc.

(d): Annual Action Plan for an area of 610 ha for 2016-17 and 1223 ha for 2017-18 for the State of Himachal Pradesh has been approved.

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