

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5153+ TO BE ANSWERED ON: 27.03.2018

Fertilizer Production Capacity

5153+ SHRI ALOK SANJAR:

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to increase production capacity in the factories of National Fertilizers Limited in view of continuous and excessive shortage of fertilizers in the market;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR THE MINISTRY OF PLANING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERILIZERS

(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a) & (b): No Madam. The Government has no such plan to increase production capacity of the existing five urea plants of National Fertilizers Ltd.

(c): All the urea plants of National Fertilizer Ltd are consistently running for the previous three years at an annual Urea production of around 38 LMT which is ever higher than the revamped capacity of 35.68 LMT.
