GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5186 TO BE ANSWERED ON. 27.03.2018

Fertilizer Supply in Gujarat

5186 SHRI D.S. RATHOD:

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

- (a) the quantum of fertilizers supplied to Gujarat during the last two years, fertilizer-wise; and
- (b) the details of fertilizers likely to be supplied to the State during 2018-19?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS

(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a): A statement indicating the quantum of fertilizers supplied to Gujarat during the last two years is given below:

<Figures in '000 MT>

	Availability of fertilizers (quantum of fertilizers supplied) in the State of Gujarat	
Fertilizers	2015-16	2016-17
Urea	2131.06	2077.17
DAP	527.63	460.37
MOP	119.23	142.81
NPK	626.30	625.88

(b): Department of Agriculture Cooperation & Farmers Welfare (DAC&FW) in consultation with States/ UTs, assesses the requirement of all subsidized fertilizers before the start of each Season. Department of Fertilizers ensures availability of fertilizers at the State level and the distribution to the farmers within the State is the responsibility of the respective State Government. DAC&FW has assessed the requirement of fertilizers for Kharif 2018 season only (from April to September) and the assessed requirement of Urea, DAP, MOP & NPK for the State of Gujarat are 1100.00 TMT, 300.00 TMT, 75.00 TMT & 265.00 TMT respectively.
