

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3292
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 7TH AUGUST, 2018

AREA UNDER RABI CROPS

3292. SHRI KUNDARIYA MOHAN BHAI KALYANJI BHAI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the area under wheat, oilseeds and other Rabi crops has declined during the current year;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) the corrective steps being taken by the Government in this regard; and
- (d) the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to meet the shortfall, if any, in availability of these commodities?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

(a): The period of current agricultural year is from July 2018 to June 2019. The current Rabi season begins from the month of October 2018. Therefore, sowing of Rabi crops is yet to begin in current agricultural year.

(b) to (d): Does not arise.
