Government of India Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region

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Question

NERAMAC

3630: KUNWAR BHARATENDRA:

Will the Minister of DEVELOPMENT OF NORTH EASTERN be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government intends to revive North Eastern Regional Agricultural Marketing Corporation Limited (NERAMAC);
- (b) if so, the details of the measures being undertaken and expected timeline for its operationalisation; and
- (c) the State-wise data on any new food processing units being set up in the region to promote export?

ANSWER

The Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region [Dr. Jitendra Singh]

- (a) and (b) Yes, Madam. A Techno-Economic Viability Study for revival of North Eastern Regional Agricultural Marketing Corporation Limited (NERAMAC) has been conducted by North Eastern Development Finance Corporation (NEDFi). The report of NEDFi was sent to IIM Shillong for validation, which has examined the report and submitted its observations.
- (c) Data on new food processing unit being set up exclusively to promote exports is not maintained in the Ministry. However, the number of units sanctioned by the Ministry of Food Processing Industries since the last 2 years under their demand driven schemes is 6 in Nagaland, 3 in Manipur, 2 each in Arunachal Pradesh and Assam and 1 in Tripura.
