### GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3800 TO BE ANSWERED ON 16.07.2019

#### ANNAPURNA SCHEME

#### 3800. SHRI RAMESH CHANDRA MAJHI:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has released the Central allocation of rice and funds under Annapurna Scheme to Odisha for the Financial year 2017-18 which have already been distributed to the beneficiaries by the State Government out of the State pool and if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) if not, whether the Government will release the Central allocation of rice and funds to the State of Odisha under Annapurna Scheme for the Financial Year-2017-18?

# ANSWER MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) & (b): Government has allocated 7243.285 tons of rice to the State of Odisha under Annapurna Scheme for the financial year 2017-18. Further, an amount of Rs. 552.61 lakh has been approved for release to the State of Odisha for financial year 2017-18 under Annapurna Scheme.

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