

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4870
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 23RD JULY, 2019

MSP FOR COFFEE CULTIVATORS

4870. SHRI L.S. TEJASVI SURYA:

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

- (a) whether the Government intends to extend Minimum Support Price to coffee growers across the country; and
- (b) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) & (b): There is no proposal under consideration of the Government to extend Minimum Support Price (MSP) to coffee growers. Coffee being an export oriented commodity, the domestic procurement prices of coffee are dependent and aligned to the international prices. As nearly, 75% of Indian Coffee is exported, the Indian coffee exporters announce their purchase price based on international market price only.
