GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE & FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FARMERS WELFARE

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO.274 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08th AUGUST. 2023

INTRODUCTION OF GENETICALLY MODIFIED CROPS

*274. SHRI KUNWAR PUSHPENDRA SINGH CHANDEL:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to introduce Genetically Modified (GM) crops in foodgrain crops also so as to increase the income of farmers by producing more crops in less acreage;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of potential foodgrain crops likely to be produced through GM technology?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (c): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.