GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH & EDUCATION

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1984 TO BE ANSWERED ON 1st AUGUST, 2023

PROMOTING AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION IN BIHAR

1984. SHRI DULAL CHANDRA GOSWAMI:

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

- (a) whether the Government has allocated any funds to promote education in the Agriculture Universities located in Bihar to further promote the agricultural sector;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to set up any new Agriculture University in Bihar to further promote agricultural education; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- **(b)** The funds allocated by the Government to the Agricultural Universities located in Bihar during last 5 years are as under:

University	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	Total
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						crores)
Dr. Rajendra	137.58	197.19	144.18	194.49	221.27	894.71
Prasad Central						
Agricultural						
University						
(DRPCAU)						
Bihar Agricultural	9.71	7.36	1.01	1.11	0.93	20.12
University (BAU),						
Sabour						
Bihar Animal	0.15	0.34	0.16	2.79	0.79	4.23
Science University						
(BASU) Patna						
Total	147.44	204.89	145.35	198.39	222.99	919.06

(c) and (d): There is no such proposal under consideration.
