## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

#### **LOK SABHA**

#### **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1215**

## TO BE ANSWERED ON MONDAY THE 25<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER, 2019 AGRAHAYANA 4, 1941 (SAKA)

### **GST ON TAMARIND**

#### 1215. SHRI KOMATI REDDY VENKAT REDDY:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has taken a decision to waive off the collection of Goods and Services Tax (GST) on tamarind;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the time by which this will be coming into force?

#### <u>ANSWER</u>

# MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI ANURAG SINGH THAKUR)

(a), (b) and (c): The GST Council in its 37<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> September 2019 had recommended to exempt from GST to Tamarind with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2019. The notification to this effect has been issued.

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