GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3654 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 10.12.2019

Import of Fertilizers

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Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of various fertilizers being imported into the country through its various ports during the last three years;

(b) the agencies involved in importing fertilizers from various countries through various ports of the country during the said period;

(c) the rationale behind selecting the ports and foreign supply for import of the fertilizers in the country; and

(d) the rationale and planning of supply of fertilizers in the country by fertilizer companies along with the justification on logistic advantage of these supply plans of the fertilizer companies?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS

(D.V. SADANANDA GOWDA)

(a): Sir, the quantum of fertilizers imported by Government during the last three years is as under:

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<td>54.81</td>
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*Based on the information received from various companies
Supplies through timely placement of indents.

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