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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1930 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 3RD MARCH, 2020

BAN ON EXPORT OF KP ONION

1930. SHRI Y.S. AVINASH REDDY:

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

- (a) whether the Consortium of Indian Farmers Association representatives have recently met the Minister and submitted a memorandum to lift the ban on export of KP Onions and if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) whether the Government has taken any decision on this request, if so, the details thereof and the response of the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

- (a): Yes, Sir. A meeting was held with the representatives of Consortium of Indian Farmers Association on 22.1.2020 wherein they submitted a representation to lift the ban on export of KP Onions.
- (b): Government vide notification dated 6th February, 2020 has allowed export of KP onion of 10,000 MT through Chennai Port for the period up to 31st March, 2020.
