

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3804
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17/03/2020

**UPGRADATION OF AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY
TO CENTRAL UNIVERSITY**

3804. SHRI LALLU SINGH:

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

- (a) whether the Government has received any indent letter or proposal with regard to upgradation of Acharya Narendra Deva University of Agriculture at Faizabad (Uttar Pradesh) to a Central University;
- (b) if so, whether the Government is considering to upgrade the said Agricultural University to a Central University; and
- (c) if so, the complete details thereof?

A N S W E R

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

(a) & (b): Yes, Sir. On the recommendation of Parliament Standing Committee, Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), has formulated guidelines for establishment of Central Agricultural University (CAU) in 2014. As per the guidelines, CAU is to be established de novo through an Act of Parliament.

(c) Question does not arise.
