

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 386 TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.09.2020

Revival of Sick Units

386. SHRI KANUMURU RAGHU RAMA KRISHNA RAJU:

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state?

- (a) whether the Government is planning to revive the sick units of urea plants during the coming years' as part of its Aatmanirbhar Bharat initiative;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has received any request from fertilizer industry to review the urea subsidy system to make existing factories viable and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the response of the Government on such request?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS.

(D. V. SADANANDA GOWDA)

(a) to (d): No, Sir, No such request has been received. However, in the public sector, Madras Fertilizers Limited (MFL) the only urea producing sick Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSE) which is operational, has undertaken enhancement of its operating efficiencies through asset monetization and manpower rationalization.
