

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

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.440
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 15TH SEPTEMBER, 2020

INCENTIVES FOR PRODUCTION OF PADDY SEEDS

440. SHRI NATARAJAN P.R.:

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

- (a) whether the Government is giving any incentive for promoting the production of paddy seeds to farmers;
- (b) if so, the details of such incentives that have been paid to the farmers during the past three years including current year, category-wise/State-wise/yearwise;
- (c) whether the Government has taken any decision to decrease the rate of incentive paid to the farmers; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्री (SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (d): The Government of India is providing assistance for production of paddy seed under "Bringing Green Revolution to Eastern India (BGREI)"-a sub scheme of Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) through State Governments. The state-wise; years-wise details of assistance for last three years including targets of current year under BGREI are **annexed**.

There is no decrease in rate of assistance.