

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1844
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12.02.2021

COTTON PROCUREMENT FROM ODISHA

1844. SHRIMATI APARAJITA SARANGI:

Will the Minister of TEXTILES वस्त्र मंत्री
be pleased to state :

- (a) whether the Government proposes to facilitate cotton procurement in various districts of Odisha particularly in Nuapada and Balangir;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

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ANSWER

वस्त्र मंत्री (श्रीमती स्मृति ज़ूबिन इरानी)

MINISTER OF TEXTILES
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a): The Cotton Corporation of India (CCI), under Ministry of Textiles, a nominated central nodal agency to undertake Minimum Support Price (MSP) operations, is already operating in the State of Odisha with its branch office in Rayagada and 14 procurement centres in nine districts including Nuapada and Balangir to facilitate procurement of cotton from maximum cotton farmers under MSP operations.

(b): Statement showing district-wise procurement of cotton in the state of Odisha is annexed.

Statement showing district-wise procurement of cotton in the state of Odisha

District	Procurement Center	Purchase under MSP operations as on 6.02.2021		Value/amount disbursed to farmers (Rs. in Lakh)	Farmers Benefitted
		Qty of kapas in Qntls	equivalent Bales		
Rayagada	Gunupur	183821.24	34798	10547.18	6354
	Rayagada	57855.14	10939	3280.39	1996
Balangir	Balangir	26874.41	5058	1544.93	923
	Jogimunda	395170.88	74286	22733.23	13565
	Kantabanji	169924.4	31487	9711.51	5833
Nuapada	KhariarRd	2922.31	551	168.48	100
Ganjam	Digapahand	993.6	186	56.68	34
Kalahandi	Karlapadu	53230.13	9863	2993.55	1827
	Kesinga	31324.69	5806	1763.58	1075
	Uchhala	46532.09	8810	2627.57	1597
Boudh	Manamunda	24646.48	4648	1411.79	846
Bargarh	Padampur	2902.54	555	166.16	100
Gajapati	Parlkmundi	15546.56	2955	887.61	535
Sonepur	Biramaharajpur	40088.34	7575	2307.3	1376
Total		1051832.81	197517	60199.96	36161
