

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

LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 113
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27/07/2021

COURSE ON CONTRACT FARMING

*113. SHRI HANUMAN BENIWAL:

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

- (a) whether any degree or diploma course is being offered on contract farming in Government-run agricultural colleges, universities, etc. in the country;
- (b) if so, the names of the institutes and the syllabus thereof; and
- (c) the number of degrees/diplomas awarded in this field so far?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री

(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) to (c): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT IN RESPECT OF PARTS (a) to (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED
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“COURSE ON CONTRACT FARMING”**

(a) No, Sir.

However, the Contract Farming is being offered in Under Graduate (UG) and Post-Graduate (PG) Programmes of Agriculture and Allied Sciences as a part of the following courses:

- (i) Entrepreneurship Development and Industrial Consultancy (UG)
- (ii) Fundamentals of Extension and Rural Development (UG)
- (iii) Agricultural Marketing & Price Analysis (PG)
- (iv) Market Led Extension Management (PG)

Under Post Graduate Diploma in Management (Agri Business Management) PGDM-ABM, a course titled “Contract Farming & Farmer Producer Organizations (PGDM 717)” has been offered since 2009 to students as an elective course in the second semester.

(b) As there is no degree or diploma course offered in Contract Farming, the question of syllabi of such course does not arise.

(c) Question does not arise.
