

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1167 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 27.07.2021

Village Fertilizer Shops

1167: SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:

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

- (a) the whether the Government has any proposal to start fertilizers shops at Village level during the current cropping season in the State of Maharashtra;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE AND CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
(SHRI MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)

(a) & (b): Question does not arise as the matter lies within the jurisdiction of the State Government and the commercial consideration of the fertilizer companies.

(c): There are 5274 wholesale dealers and 25802 retail dealers serving for fertilizer distribution through their widely spread network in the Maharashtra State, which are adequate at present.
