

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1120**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 08<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2022/ MAGHA 19, 1943 (SAKA)**

**DATA OF FARMERS SUICIDES BY NCRB**

**1120. SHRI THOMAS CHAZHIKADAN:**

**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

**(a) whether the National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) maintains information regarding farmers suicides;**

**(b) if so, the total number of such cases reported during the last three years; and**

**(c) if not, the reasons therefor?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**(SHRI AJAY KUMAR MISHRA)**

**(a) & (b): National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) compiles statistics on accidental deaths and suicides from the State/Union Territories and publishes the same annually as 'Accidental Deaths and Suicides in India' (ADSI) report.**

**The latest ADSI report is for the year 2020. As per ADSI reports, details of suicides by farmers/cultivators is as below:**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Total number of suicides by Farmers /Cultivators</b>
<b>2018</b>	<b>5763</b>
<b>2019</b>	<b>5957</b>
<b>2020</b>	<b>5579</b>

**(c) Does not arise in view of reply to part (a) & (b) above**

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