GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS LOK SABHA UN-STARRED QUESTION NO. 728 TO BE ANSWERED ON: 26.07.2024

ALLOCATION OF FERTILIZERS TO ASSAM

728: SHRI. KAMAKHYA PRASAD TASA

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

(a) whether the Union Government has allocated sufficient fertilizers to the State of Assam for the current season as per the demands/requests made by the State Government;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Union Government proposes to increase the allocation of fertilizers to the State of Assam; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS (SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)

(a) & (b): Before the commencement of each cropping season, Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare (DA&FW) assesses the state-wise & month-wise requirement of fertilizers. The State Government of Assam had requested for allocation of 1.63 LMT Urea, 0.36 LMT DAP, 0.19 LMT MOP and 0.20 LMT NPKS for Kharif 2024. Accordingly, the same was considered and approved by DA&FW.

Further, Department of Fertilizers is ensuring adequate supplies of fertilizers to State of Assam by issuing monthly supply plans.

(a) & (d): No such proposal for additional allocation of fertilizers has been received from the State Government of Assam.

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