## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2310

TO BE ANSWERED ON 10<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2024

## **ORGANIZING KRISHI MELAS**

2310. SHRI EATALA RAJENDER: SMT. D K ARUNA: SHRI SURESH KUMAR SHETKAR:

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

- (a) whether the Government has organised Krishi Melas for the benefit of farmers in the country particularly in the States of Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra, Assam and Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof during the last ten years and the benefits derived by farmers from such Melas along with funds sanctioned/spent therefor?

## **ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण राज्य मंत्री (SHRI RAM NATH THAKUR)

(a) & (b): Government of India organizes and supports Krishi Melas in the country to disseminate and creating awareness about the Department Schemes/Missions/New Initiatives and to promote agriculture technologies for the benefits of the farmers in the country including the States of Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra, Assam and Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir.

`The numbers of Krishi Melas organized in the said States and funds sanctioned/spent during the last 10 years are as under:

| SI.<br>No. | States          | Number of Krishi Melas organized |          | Funds sanctioned /spent (Rs. In crore) |          |
|------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|----------|--|----------|
|            |                 | DA&FW                            | ICAR/KVK | DA&FW                                  | ICAR/KVK |
| 1.         | Telangana       | 61                               | 132      | 12.24                                  | 53.90    |
| 2.         | Andhra Pradesh  | 361                              | 185      |  |          |
| 3.         | Maharashtra     | 788                              | 386      |  |          |
| 4.         | Assam           | 72                               | 98       |  |          |
| 5.         | Jammu & Kashmir | 846                              | 139      |  |          |

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