

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY
(DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1275
ANSWERED ON 11/02/2025

FUNCTIONING OF COFFEE AND RUBBER BOARDS

1275. SHRI AMRA RAM:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the functioning of the Spices, Tea & Coffee and Rubber Board has been reviewed, if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the manner in which all the farmers produce can be shielded from the adverse impact of the export-import policy of the Government?

ANSWER

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THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
(SHRI JITIN PRASADA)

- (a) The evaluation studies of the Plantation Boards (Tea Board, Coffee Board, Rubber Board and Spices Board) were conducted by Development Monitoring and Evaluation Office (DMEO), NITI Aayog and the reports were submitted in 2023. The suggestions/recommendations given in these reports were duly considered at the time of finalization of the schemes of Plantation Boards for the period 2023-24 to 2025-26.
- (b) The Plantation Boards consult various stakeholders including growers while providing inputs for export import policy of the Government and no adverse impact of these policies has been reported in case of these crops.
