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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1328 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 11TH FEBRUARY, 2025

AGITATING FARMERS

1328. SHRI ANAND BHADAURIA:

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

- (a) whether farmers in large numbers are agitating at Shambhu and Khanauri borders;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with their main demands;
- (c) whether delegates of Union Government has met leaders of protesting farmers; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and outcome thereof along with the response of the Government to their demands?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): Government of India had initiated discussions with farmers related to farmer agitation on 8th February, 2024. Subsequently, discussions were held on 12th, 15th, 18th February 2024 and 18th January, 2025.

The issues related to agitating farmers' and their demands are also sub-judice in the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and a committee has also been formed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

Next round of discussion with the farmers is scheduled on 14th February, 2025.
