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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4348

TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 19TH AUGUST, 2025

UNTIMELY RAINFALL AFFECTING CROP YIELD

4348. SHRI RAJKUMAR CHAHAR:

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

- (a) whether the untimely rainfall is adversely affecting the crop yield in rain-fed agricultural areas; and
- (b) if so, the measures taken by the Government to address the challenges faced in such areas?

ANSWER

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

- (a): No Sir. As per the Progressive Crop Area Sown Report on 08 August, 2025, the area sown under Kharif crops is 995.63 lakh ha as compared to 957.15 lakh ha during the corresponding period of last year. About 90.1 percent of the normal area has been sown under the Kharif season crops.
- (b): Does not arise.
