

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS
DEPARTMENT OF FERTILIZERS

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 453+
TO BE ANSWERED ON : 26.04.2016

Storage of Fertilizers

453+ SHRI SHARAD TRIPATHI:

Will the Minister of **CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether lack of proper storage facilities is creating hindrance in fulfilling demand of fertilizers in backward and remote areas;
- (b) whether the supply of fertilizers is obstructed due to poor condition of roads during monsoon and rainy season; and
- (c) if so, the steps taken by the Government to tackle this situation?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & FERTILIZERS

(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a): There is no report of unfulfilment of demand of fertilizers due to lack of proper storage facilities from any part of the country.

(b)& (c): Maximum quantity of fertilizer is moved through railways and states and all others involved in the fertilizer supply chain are encouraged for prepositioning of fertilizers before the onset of monsoon by providing adequate supply in time. Therefore, there is no report of shortage of fertilizers in monsoon and rainy season.
