

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING AND FISHERIES  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2618  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 2<sup>ND</sup> AUGUST, 2016

**LOSSES IN SHRIMP FARMING**

2618: DR. GOKARAJU GANGA RAJU:

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware that shrimp/prawn farmers are facing huge losses/due to 'Whitegut' disease which is fast spreading in the country, if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) if so, the measures taken by the Government to control the 'Whitegut' disease?

**ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a) No such reports of shrimp/prawn farmers facing huge losses due to Whitegut disease have been received in the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries.

(b) Does not arise.

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