## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION AND FARMERS WELFARE

## $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{LOK SABHA} \\ \textbf{UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3810} \\ \textbf{TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9}^{\text{TH}} \ \ \textbf{AUGUST, 2016} \end{array}$

## NATIONAL HORTICULTURE MISSION

3810. SHRI RAM SWAROOP SHARMA:

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

- (a) the total number of States in the country which are included in the National Horticulture Mission (NHM) during the year 2015-16;
- (b) whether it is also fact that Himachal Pradesh has also been included in the Mission by the Government; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof along with the amount released by the Government to the State under NHM for the year, 2015-16?

## **ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

- (a) & (b): Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH), a Centrally Sponsored Scheme is being implemented for holistic growth of the horticulture sector from financial year 2014-15. MIDH has following sub-schemes and area of operation:
  - National Horticulture Mission (NHM)
  - Horticulture Mission for North East & Himalayan States (HMNEH)
  - National Agro forestry & Bamboo Mission (NABM)
  - National Horticulture Board (NHB)
  - Coconut Development Board (CDB)
  - And Central Institute for Horticulture (CIH), Nagaland

8 (eight) North Eastern and 3 (three) Himalayan states, including Himachal Pradesh are included in the Horticulture Mission for North East & Himalayan States (HMNEH). Remaining 18 (Eighteen) states are included in National Horticulture Mission (NHM).

(c): During the Financial Year 2015-16, Rs.2449.40 Lakh was released as central share to Himachal Pradesh for implementation of MIDH/HMNEH.

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