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21.	BVFC- Namrup II	11965	680	12645
SUB TOTAL:		10977	377	11355

Feed-Stock: Naphtha (Pre 1992)

1.	MCFL-Mangalore	35094	1201	36295
2.	MFL-Madras	40112	1619	41731
3.	SPIC-Tuticorin	39228	1650	40878
4.	ZACL-Goa	31458	2808	34266
5.	GNFC-Bharuch	18791	2048	20839
6.	NFL-Nangal	32784	481	33265
7.	NFL-Bhatinda	33237	487	33724
8.	NFL-Panipat	30620	518	31138
TOTAL-Naphtha/FO/LSHS		32318	1351	33669
GRAND TOTAL:		15265	573	15838

Allocation of fertilizers to Assam

2993. SHRIMATI NAZNIN FARUQUE: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) the quantum of fertilizers allocated and released to Assam during last three years and the current year;

(b) whether Government had received any request from the State Government for increasing its quota;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the steps being taken by Government to ensure that the quota is released to the State to fulfil its requirement?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI SRIKANT JENA): (a) The requirement and availability of major fertilizers like Urea, DAP and MOP in Assam during the last three years *i.e.* 2009-10 to 2011-12 and estimated availability during the current year 2012-13 (April, 12 to August, 12) are as under:—

(Figures in LMT)

Year	Urea		DAP		MOP	
	Requirement	Availability	Requirement	Availability	Requirement	Availability
2009-10	2.60	2.56	0.35	0.22	1.26	0.97
2010-11	2.60	2.50	0.60	0.29	1.30	0.96
2011-12	3.00	2.68	0.60	0.37	1.40	0.94
2012-13	1.26	1.12	0.21	0.14	0.52	0.24

As can be seen from the table above, the availability of Urea, DAP and MOP is almost at the same level over the years.

(b) to (d) No, Sir. No such request has been received from the State Government.

Shortage of fertilizers

2994. SHRI P. RAJEEVE: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the country is facing shortage of fertilizers;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the steps taken by Government to address this issue; and
- (d) the details of quota of fertilizers decided and allocated to States?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI SRIKANT JENA): (a) to (d) The State-wise Requirement and estimated availability of major fertilizers namely Urea, MOP and Phosphatic fertilizers (DAP+NPK) in the country during the current year 2012-13 (April, 12 to August, 12) is given in Statement (*See* below). As can be seen from the annexure, the availability of Urea during the current year 2012-13 (April, 12 to August, 12) was comfortable. There were some instances of local shortage of urea in Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Bihar, Odisha etc. because of lower off-take in the beginning of the season due to less rainfall. However, the supplies of urea and other fertilizers have been speeded up now with the better rainfall in the 2nd week of August, 2012. The availability of Phosphatic fertilizers (DAP & NPK) together with pre-positioning stock was also adequate. In addition, the regular weekly *video* Conference are being