

1	2	3
Jharkhand	2009	1
	2010	0
	2011	0
	2012	0
Karnataka	2009	0
	2010	1
	2011	0
	2012	1
West Bengal	2009	0
	2010	0
	2011	0
	2012	2
TOTAL:		40

### Supply of phosphatic fertilizers to Madhya Pradesh

†\*30. DR. CHANDAN MITRA: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that despite making arrangements for advance payment to the authorized companies of Central Government by Madhya Pradesh as per the instructions for supply of phosphatic fertilizers, Madhya Pradesh is not being supplied these fertilizers as per demand;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the concrete steps taken by Government to ensure adequate availability of DAP and other phosphatic fertilizers to Madhya Pradesh again, as per the earlier arrangement?

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI SRIKANT JENA): (a) to (c) The requirement of all fertilizers is assessed by Department of Agriculture and Cooperation (DAC) in consultation with State Government in the beginning of the season and conveyed to Department of Fertilizers. On the basis of demand assessed by DAC, Department of Fertilizers prepares a monthly supply plan indicated by importers and indigenous manufacturers of the fertilizers. Various States make supply arrangements with fertilizer companies for meeting their requirements. The movement plan is approved by the Government keeping in view the 'least cost method' for minimizing the cost of freight. The data on availability of phosphatic fertilizers in Madhya Pradesh as per table below would show that adequate quantity of phosphatic fertilizers was available in Madhya Pradesh.

The requirement and availability of phosphatic fertilizers (DAP+NPK) in Madhya Pradesh from April, 2012 to October, 2012 are as below:—

**Phosphatic Fertilizers (DAP + NPK)**

(Figures in 000'MTs)

Months	Requirement	Stock Pre-positioned during Feb-March, 2012	Opening Stock	Receipts	Availability
April-12	26.42	292.38	108.29	18.20	126.49
May-12	105.21	-	120.71	52.22	172.93
June-12	217.67	-	84.66	103.39	188.05
July-12	140.69	-	72.33	173.61	245.94
August-12	139.53	-	73.66	229.88	303.56
September-12	240.48	-	126.57	182.77	309.34
October-12	313.25	-	150.04	208.92	358.96

\*The stock pre-positioned during February to March, 2012 is over and above the month-wise availability.