

Statement*Average MRPs of major P&K fertilizers reported in the FMS*

Sl. No.	Fertilizer grade	Average price during 2013	Average price during 2014 (Upto Oct)	% increase/decrease
1.	DAP: 18-46-0-0	22088	23232	5.18
2.	MOP: 0-0-60-0	16877	16646	-1.37
3.	16-20-0-13	17257	17622	2.12
4.	20-20-0-13	17880	17762	-0.66
5.	10-26-26-0	21310	21449	0.65
6.	12-32-16	21509	21750	1.12
7.	14-35-14	22494	22771	1.23
8.	15-15-15	15212	16550	8.80
9.	AS: 20.6-0-0-23	14417	15763	9.34
10.	20-20-0-0	14727	15268	3.67
11.	17-17-17	20356	21502	5.63
12.	19-19-19	20915	20915	0.00
13.	SSP	7491	7606	1.54
Overall increase				2.86

Increasing profile of products sold at Jan Aushadhi Stores

3031. SHRI DEVENDER GOUD T.: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Jan Aushadhi Stores (JASs) are now selling only drugs to people;

(b) whether there are any plans to increase the profile of products at JASs such as surgical items, etc.; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI HANS RAJ GANGARAM AHIR): (a) Yes, Sir. In the New

Business Plan approved in August, 2013 a list of 361 items of drugs has been approved for being sold at Jan Aushadhi Stores (JASs).

(b) and (c) Presently, No such proposal is under consideration. However, depending on feedback and demand, if received from JASs, the matter would be examined.

Revival of Ramagundam unit of FCIL

3032. SHRI DEVENDER GOUD T.: Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Ramagundam unit of FCIL is going to be revived with the help of Engineers Indian Limited (EIL);

(b) if so, whether it is also a fact that the JV agreement and concession agreement between EIL and Ramagundam is in the process of finalisation;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) by when Ramagundam unit would become completely operational?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI HANS RAJ GANGARAM AHIR): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) and (c) As approved by the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs, Ramagundam Unit of Fertilizer Corporation of India Limited (FCIL) is being revived by M/s Engineers India Limited (EIL), M/s National Fertilizers Limited (NFL) and FCIL. Joint Venture (JV) and Concession Agreement are in the process of finalization. JV Agreement is likely to be finalized by end of January, 2015 and Concession Agreement by the end of March, 2015.

(d) The new Urea manufacturing Fertilizer Plant at Ramagundam Unit is likely to be commissioned by the last quarter of 2018.

Dependence on China for drugs related raw materials

3033. DR. V. MAITREYAN : Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether National Security Advisor has recently warned Government for too much dependence on China as it may someday lead to drugs shortage, if so, details thereof;