

Leakages in PDS

1846. DR. BHALCHANDRA MUNGEKAR : Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) the quantity of rice and wheat distributed through PDS during the last five years, year-wise and grain-wise;
- (b) the amount of food subsidy during each of these five years; and
- (c) the estimates of all leakages in the PDS during each of the five years?

THE MINISTER OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI RAMVILAS PASWAN) : (a) The quantity of rice and wheat lifted by the States/ UTs (Union Territories) for distribution under Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS) is as under:-

(In lakh tons)

Year	Normal		Additional	
	Rice	Wheat	Rice	Wheat
2009-10	234.12	189.91	5.02	4.20
2010-11	248.41	188.80	38.75	24.88
2011-12	243.26	187.76	39.71	20.05
2012-13	252.27	196.49	37.25	18.02
2013-14	245.15	200.12	11.81	3.59

(b) The year-wise details of subsidy during last five years is as under:-

Year	Subsidy released (in crores)
2009-10	58242.45
2010-11	62929.56
2011-12	72370.90
2012-13	84554.00
2013-14	89740.02

(c) No such data is available/maintained in the Department of Food and Public Distribution.