

MSP for Kharif crops

1779. SHRI DEVENDER GOUD T. : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government of Telangana has sent a Report to the Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices (CACP) about the MSP to be given to various crops for the coming Kharif season in Telangana and if so, the details thereof; and

(b) the action taken by Government on this Report?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJIBHAI KUNDARIYA) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Proposal to open new Krishi Vigyan Kendras

† 1780. DR. BHUSHAN LAL JANGDE : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a proposal to open new Krishi Vigyan Kendra at Bemetara, Balod, Kondegaon, Sukma, Sarguja, Raipur and Mungeli in Chhattisgarh has been sent to the Central Government;

(b) if so, by when approval to this proposal would be given; and

(c) whether there is a demand for dairy development project at Janjgir, Kanker, Bemetara, and Balod in Chhattisgarh, and by when amount for the same would be released?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN) : (a) and (b) The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) has already opened two Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs) in Sarguja district of Chhattisgarh. The ICAR has made provision for opening new KVKs in Bemetara, Balod, Kondegaon, Sukma, Raipur and Mungeli districts of Chhattisgarh during Twelfth Plan. The standard procedure for opening of new KVKs in these districts will be started after the approval of Cabinet Note.

(c) The Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries, Government

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