

FCI. As regards improving productivity to realize higher production, Government has been implementing National Food Security Mission (NFSM) for various field crops, National Mission on Oilseeds and Oil palm (NMOOP) for oilseeds and oil palm and Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH) for horticultural crops.

The Government has advised the State Governments to set up inter-ministerial/departmental committees at state and district levels with a mandate to achieve coordination and convergence among different activities relating to agriculture and also monitor welfare issues relating to farmers. The district level Committees have been asked to ensure coverage of all eligible framers under various welfare schemes like old age pension, Atal Pension Yojana, insurance schemes etc.

Textile and garment exports

*72. SHRI SHANKARBHAI N. VEGAD: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state whether Government has any data regarding increase in exports of textiles and garments in the last three years, if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI): Yes, Sir. As per the available data, the export of textiles and garments has shown a increase of 3.2% during the last three years. The details are as under:

Year	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	Compound Annual Growth Rate (CAGR)
Exports (In INR Cr.)	2,47,546	2,59,712	2,63,494	3.2%

Source: Director General of Commerce Intelligence and Statistics.

Releasing of rice and wheat to Uttar Pradesh

†*73. SHRI SURENDRA SINGH NAGAR: Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.