GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, COOPERATION AND FARMERS WELFARE

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1306 TO BE ANSWERED ON 12/02/2021

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR PMFBY AND PMKSY

1306 Shri K. Somaprasad:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE & FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has noticed media report that the Ministry of Finance refused the demand to increase the agricultural budgetary allocation many times, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Ministry of Agriculture has demanded such increase, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the details of fund allocated to Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) and Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) during 2016-2020, year-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI NARENDRA SINGH TOMAR)

(a) & (b): Budgetary allocation for implementing various programmes/schemes of the Government are made on the basis of available resources and priorities with the approval of Parliament. There has been unprecedented increase in Budgetary allocation to this Department during the last few years are given below:-

(Rs. in crore)

Name of Department	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21
DAC&FW	46700.00	130485.21	134399.77

(c):

S.No	Year	Per Drop More Crop component of PMKSY (Rs crore)	Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana (PMFBY) (Rs crore)
1.	2016-17	2340.00	5501.15
2.	2017-18	3400.00	9000.75
3.	2018-19	4000.00	13014.15
4.	2019-20	3500.00	14000.00