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TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 29/11/2024

DIGITAL AGRICULTURE MISSION FOR FARMERS IN TELANGANA

484. SHRI RAVI CHANDRA VADDIRAJU:

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

- (a) the key areas targeted under the Digital Agriculture Mission (DAM) in Telangana;
- (b) whether the mission is aimed at a specific demographic of farmers in Telangana; if so, the details thereof
- (c) the strategy to provide technology and training to farmers in Telangana; and
- (d) the options available to farmers if they face technology-related issues?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI RAMNATH THAKUR)

(a) to (d): The Digital Agriculture Mission seeks to enable a robust digital agriculture ecosystem in the country for driving innovative farmer-centric digital solutions and making available timely and reliable crop-related information. The Mission is conceived as an umbrella scheme to support digital agriculture initiatives, such as the creation of Digital Public Infrastructure and other IT initiatives undertaken by Central Government/State Governments. Agristack project is one of the major component of this Mission, which consists of three foundational registries or databases in the agriculture sector, i.e., the Farmers' Registry, Geo-referenced village maps and the Crop Sown Registry, all created and maintained by the State Governments/ Union Territories. The Government is providing administrative and technical supports to the all the states including Telangana for implementation of the Mission.
