

the outlay fixed for the 5th Five Year Plan 1974-78. Assam is one of the 8 special category States for which, under the Gadgil Formula, a lump sum amount is pre-empted, from the total Central assistance for the States for financing their approved Plan outlays.

Virginia Tobacco Consumed in the Country and Exported

9824. SHRI K. L. MAHALA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND COOPERATION be pleased to state:

(a) the quantity of virginia tobacco exported from India during each of the last five years;

(b) who were the exporters and the quantity exported by each during the last five years; and

(c) the quantity of virginia tobacco consumed within the country during each of the last five years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND COOPERATION (SHRI ARIF BAIG) : (a) Exports of virginia flue cured tobacco from India

during 1973-74 to 1977-78 are given below:

Year	Quantity (tonnes)	Value (Rs. crores)
1973-74 . . .	70,887	65.57
1974-75 . . .	68,051	76.77
1975-76 . . .	64,502	86.21
1976-77 . . .	67,114	87.56
1977-78 . . . (Provisional)	64,794	104.28

(b) A statement showing names of exporters of unmanufactured tobacco registered with Tobacco Board, whose exports during each of the years 1974-75 to 1977-78 were more than 1,000 tonnes, and their exports during these years is enclosed

(c) The estimated consumption of virginia flue-cured tobacco in India during 1973-74 to 1977-78 is given below:

Year	Quantity (in thousand tonnes)
1973-74 . . .	48.02
1974-75 . . .	37.46
1975-76 . . .	42.79
1976-77 . . .	45.47
1977-78 . . .	43.84

Statement

Exporters of unmanufactured tobacco registered with the Tobacco Board, whose exports were more than 1,000 tonnes each during 1974-75 to 1977-78, and their exports during these years.

Name of the Exporter	1974-75		1975-76		1976-77		1977-78	
	Qty	Value	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value	Qty.	Value
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1. Polsetty Somasundaram, Guntur.	4,374	495.30	1,699	268.72	1,349	280.26	N.A.	N.A.
2. ITC Ltd., Guntur	17,458	2393.47	16,556	2485.69	17,174	2577.15	16,272	2854.78
3. Maddi Lakshmaiah & Co., Chikaluripet.	3,504	295.88	4,565	414.80	3,282	401.70	4,600	583.13
4. East India Tobacco Co., Guntur.	3,223	477.58	2,208	339.30	1,984	382.66	N.A.	N.A.
5. Agrimcor (P) Ltd., Guntur.	3,675	531.22	3,012	447.98	3,196	531.28	2,187	987.04
6. Saleman Khan & Mahaboob Khan, Tobaccos (P) Ltd., Guntur	2,264	336.17	3,104	468.68	2,700	440.88	2,276	442.00
7. Maaddi Venkataratnam & Co., Chikaluripet	93,120	474.80	3,132	488.45	2,850	499.91	N.A.	N.A.
8. Domnidala Brothers Ltd., Guntur	4,064	394.84	2,373	305.89	2,358	318.42	N.A.	N.A.
9. General Trading Co., Guntur.	3,667	430.78	1,302	202.70	1,500	237.32	N.A.	N.A.
10. National Tobacco Co., Guntur.	1,683	238.10	1,988	341.00	2,078	344.81	N.A.	495.34
11. Navabharat Enterprises (P) Ltd., Guntur.	7,814	991.64	6,782	993.28	6,856	1154.09	3,286	564.32
12. Gujarat Tobacco Trading Co., Bombay	1,379	105.41	2,162	155.95	1,625	99.77	2,022	108.22
13. B. Ramanlal, Bombay	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	80.00	1,217	65.86	1,847	75.98

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