

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2298
ANSWERED ON:09.03.2000
IRREGULARITIES IN F.C.I. PUNJAB
AKHILESH SINGH;BALIRAM KASHYAP

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether sub-standard quality of wheat and other foodgrains have been sold in the open market by the Senior Regional Manager of Food Corporation of India, Punjab during 1996 to 1998;
- (b) if so, the losses suffered by the Food Corporation of India due to the said sale;
- (c) whether any action has been taken against the guilty officers; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

(SHRI SRIRAM CHAUHAN)

(a),(b),(c) & (d) : The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.