

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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PENDING INSURANCE CLAIMS OF FARMERS OF PUNJAB

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Insurance claims of the farmers of Punjab lying pending for the last three years and the current year;

(b) the reasons for pendency; and

(c) the remedial measures taken by the Government to settle the claims expeditiously?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (c): Punjab is not implementing the National Agricultural Insurance Scheme (NAIS).Therefore, the questions of pending claims etc. under crop insurance do not arise.