

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1646  
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LINKING OF GRAIN MARKETS WITH COMMODITY EXCHANGES  
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**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to connect the grain markets located in various parts of the country to commodity exchanges;
- (b) if so, the details of the progress made in this regard as on date;
- (c) the number of State Governments which propose to change their market as on date; and
- (d) the steps being taken by the Government to seek the consents of all the States?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE(SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a) to (d): There is no proposal with the Government to connect the grain markets located in various parts of the country to Commodity Exchanges.