

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:5443
ANSWERED ON:02.05.2005
CONSTRUCTION OF NEW GODOWNS
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether new godowns have not been constructed by Food Corporation of India (FCI) during the last three years;
- (b) if so, the current position of godowns of FCI alongwith the plans of expansion, State-wise; and
- (c) the details of new godowns proposed to be constructed during the current and next financial year, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (DR. AKHILESH PRASAD SINGH)

(a): During the last three years, the FCI has constructed the new godowns as per details given in the statement at Annex-I.

(b) & (c): As on 1-3-2005, the FCI has a total storage capacity of 261.21 lakh MTs (owned/hired and covered/CAP) with a percentage utilization of 50%.

Keeping in view the current utilization of storage capacity, it has been decided that the FCI will take up construction of new godowns only in the North-Eastern States including Sikkim and Jammu & Kashmir from 2005-06 onwards. However, ongoing godowns construction projects will be completed during the year.

The details of the godowns to be completed during the current financial year (2005-06) are given in the statement attached at Annex-II. As regards 2006-07, proposal for construction of new godowns will be finalized before the commencement of the next financial year.

ANNEX-I

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5443 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 02.05.2005 IN THE LOK SABHA

Statement showing the storage capacity constructed during the last 3 years (year wise & State wise) are as under:-

Sl. No. Centre/State Capacity Constructed
(in tonnes)

2002-03 2003-04 2004-2005

North Zone:

- | | | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| 1. Malout/Punjab | 5,000 | - | - |
| 2 Kargil/ Jammu & Kashmir | 2,500 | - | - |
| 3. Leh/ Jammu & Kashmir | 2,500 | - | - |
| 4 Chamba/Himachal Pradesh | 1,670 | - | - |
| 5. Kishtwar/Jammu & Kashmir | 2,500 | - | - |
| 6. Hanumangarh/Rajasthan | 15,000 | - | - |
| 7 Baran/ Rajasthan | 5,000 | - | - |
| 8. Sirsa/Haryana | - | 16,670 | 10,000 |

9. N.G. Tanda/Punjab - 23,340 -
10. Raibareilly/Uttar Pradesh - 20,000 -
11. Vyasnagar/Uttar Pradesh - - 13,340

South Zone :

1. Nalgonda/Andhra Pradesh 10,000
2. Miryalguda/Andhra Pradesh 10,000
3. Nellore Phase-II/Andhra Pradesh 10,000
4. Kazipet/Andhra Pradesh 10,000
5. Dichpally/Andhra Pradesh 5,000 5,000
6. Hanuman Jn./Andhra Pradesh 10,000
- 7 Nellore Ph.III/Andhra Pradesh 15,000
8. Sevur/Tamil Nadu 5,000
9. Salem/Tamil Nadu 3,340 3,340
10. Mysore/Karnataka 2,800
11. Maddur/Karnataka 5,000
12. Shimoga/Karnataka 15,000
13. Koppal/Karnataka 10,000
14. Tumkur/Karnataka 5,000

West Zone :

1. Manmad/Maharashtra 6,680 11,920
2. Godhra/Gujrat 15,000 10,000
3. Tilda/Chattisgarh 13,340

East Zone :

1. Angul/Orissa 5,000
2. Dhankanal/Orissa 2,500
3. Keonjhar/Orissa 2,500
4. Phulbani/Orissa 2,500
5. Nowrangpur/Orissa 2,500

North East Zone (including Sikkim):

1. Rangpoo/ Sikkim 2,500
2. Agartala/Tripura 2,500

3. Jiribam/Manipur	2,500
4. Dimapur/Nagaland	2,500
Total	94,470 1,32,530 96,940

ANNEX-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (b) & (c) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5443
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The details of the godowns to be completed during the current financial year (2005-06) are as under:-

Name of the Centre /State Capacity (in tonnes)

Leh/ Jammu & Kashmir	10,000
Badgaon/Jammu & Kashmir	2,500
Kupwara/Jammu & Kashmir	5,000
Salem/Tamil Nadu	3,340
Tumkur/Karnataka	10,000
Keylong/Himachal Pradesh	2,500
Lunglei/Mizoram	2,900
Laungtaleai/Mizoram	3,340

Total 39,580