

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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EXPORT OF MANGOES
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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) the expected production of mangoes during the current season;
- (b) whether the Government has explored the new market to export mango;
- (c) if so, the export target has been fixed; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to achieve the target?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY(SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGO VAN)

- (a) Department of Agriculture & Cooperation has not made any assessment of the production of mango during the current season.
- (b) Yes, Sir.
- (c)&(d) No specific export target for mango has been fixed. Efforts are, however, being made to promote its export through setting up of Agri Export Zones, participation in trade fairs, export promotion campaigns in various countries and incentives to exporters.