

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY
LOK SABHA**

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EXPORT OF SALT

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether China has curtailed its import indents for Indian salt during the current year;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether China has also imposed quality standards on salt imported from India;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken or being taken by the Government to re-capture the Chinese market for Indian salt?

Answer

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

- (a) : No, Sir.
- (b) : Does not arise.
- (c) & (d) : No, Sir.
- (e) : Does not arise.