

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

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STUDY ON STORAGE AND DISTRIBUTION
Mohite Shri Subodh

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has instituted a study under the Research Foundation for Science, Technology and Ecology regarding the decentralisation of procurement, storage and distribution of foodgrains;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the details of the main recommendations of the study; and
- (d) the reaction of the Government thereon?

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): The Department of Food & Public Distribution has not instituted any Study under the Research Foundation for Science, Technology and Ecology regarding decentralization of procurement, storage and distribution of foodgrains.
- (b), (c) & (d): Does not arise.