

No: SFAC/43/Parl.Qus/2024-25 /1391
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To,

Under Secretary (M-II)
Department of Agriculture & Farmer Welfare,
Krishi Bhawan
New Delhi

Sub: Request for inputs for framing reply to the LS Starred Question Dy. No. 6306 to be answered on 10.12.2024 regarding "Krishi Upaj Mandis".reg.

Sir,

Please refer to your mail letter dated 04.12.2024 on the above subject. In this regard, point wise reply is furnished as below:

S.No.	Question	Reply so far as SFAC is concerned
a)	whether there is any provision for selling the agricultural and horticultural produce of farmers on the basis of open auction in Krishi Upaj Mandis	National Agriculture Market (eNAM) is a pan-India electronic trading portal which networks the existing APMC mandis to create a unified national market for agricultural and horticultural produce. e-NAM portal enables farmers to trade their agricultural and horticultural produce through their nearby e-NAM mandis.
b)	whether the small horticulture farmers are unable to bring their horticultural produce to Krishi Upaj Mandis;	Small horticultural farmers can bring their horticultural produce to Krishi Upaj Mandis.
c)	If so, whether the Government propose to conduct any study in the form of a pilot project to create separate Krishi Upaj Mandis and horticultural upaj mandis for selling agricultural and horticultural produce separately?	Ministry may reply

Yours faithfully,

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