## No: SFAC/43/Parl.Qus/2024-25 Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium 5th Floor, NCUI Auditorium Building, August Kranti Marg, Hauz Khas, New Delhi - 110016

Dated 25.07.2024

To,

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

Sub: Seeking inputs for preparing reply to the Starred Question Dy. No. 2110 for 30.07.2024 regarding "Contract Farming"- reg.

Sir,

Please refer to your mail letter dated 25.07.2024 on the above subject. In this regard, point wise reply is furnished as below:

S.No.	Question	Reply
(a)	whether contract farming is banned in the country and if so, the details thereof;	No such information is available with SFAC.
(b)	whether the Government is aware that various Companies are involved in the work relating to contract farming in different parts of the country;	4 [1982] - H.
(c)	if so, the details thereof, State-wise including in the state of Punjab, district wise;	
(d)	the steps taken by the Government any steps to identify such companies and to the action proposed to be taken against them; and	
(e)	if not, the reasons therefor?	

Yours faithfully,

(Prasanth Chander N.)
Dy. Director (Admn.)