

No: SFAC/43/Parl.Qus/2025-26
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To,
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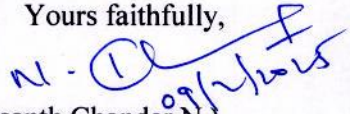
Sub : Rajya Sabha Question D. No. U3192 reg. Mega Food Parks and Processing Infrastructure due for answer on 13.02.2026 "

Sir,

Please refer to your email dated 04.02.2026 on the above subject. In this regard, point wise reply is furnished as below:

Sl. No.	Question	Reply
a)	the cold chain and storage capacity added in the Marathwada region during the last three years under Government supported schemes;	No such information available with SFAC. Department may reply
b)	how these facilities region; align with horticulture clusters across the	
c)	whether crop specific infrastructure supports pomegranate, sweet lime, soybean, pulses and vegetable growers;	
d)	whether measurable reductions in post-harvest losses and distress sales have been recorded;	
e)	if so, the details thereof;	
f)	the coordination mechanisms between the State Government, FPOs, cooperatives and private players for last mile connectivity; and	
g)	the steps taken to ensure affordability, climate resilience and access for small and marginal farmers region.	

Yours faithfully,


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