## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH & EDUCATION

## LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2455 TO BE ANSWERED ON 6<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2024

## SETTING UP OF KVKs IN UTTAR PRADESH

2455. DR. RAJKUMAR SANGWAN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि

और किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs) functioning at present across the country especially in the State of Uttar Pradesh;

(b) whether the Government has received proposals for setting up of new Krishi Vigyan Kendras in Uttar Pradesh;

- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the details of the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

## ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि और किसान कल्याण राज्य मंत्री (SHRI BHAGIRATH CHOUDHARY)

(a) At present, 731 Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs) are functioning across the Country, out of which 89 KVKs are functioning in the state of Uttar Pradesh.

**(b)** to(d): National Commission on Agriculture (1976) in its report on "Research, Education and Extension", recommended to have one KVK in each district. Opening of New KVKs in newly created districts is a continuous process as per the prescribed procedure and guidelines.

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