

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE
RAJYA SABHA
QUESTION NO 30.11.2007**

**ANSWERED ON
CONTINUOUS CASES OF SUICIDE BY FARMERS IN VIDARBHA .**

1176

SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :-

- (a) whether Government has lately received any report about the causes of continuing suicides by farmers in Vidarbha;
- (b) if so, the main reasons and circumstances leading to suicides as revealed by this inquiry report; and
- (c) the steps, if any, taken by Government to prevent suicides by farmers under pressure of debt?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

(SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a) to (c): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.