MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILISERS

DEMAND NO. 7

DEPARTMENT OF FERTILISERS

A. The Budget allocations, net of recoveries, are given below:

	3						(In	crores of	Rupees)
	Buc	Budget 2007-2008			sed 2007	-2008	Budget 2008-2009		
Major Head		Non-Plan					Plan Non-Plan Total		
Revenue			22475.32	l		30525.32	154.00		31153.96
Capital	31.50	25.18		31.50	25.18		46.00	0.04	
Total	45.00	22487.00	22532.00	45.00	30537.00	30582.00	200.00	31000.00	31200.00
1. Secretariat-Economic Services 345		9.38	9.38		9.63	9.63		12.17	12.17
Crop Husbandry 2. Subsidy on imported fertilizers 240'	ļ	2703.54	2703.54		6753.54	6753.54		7238.89	7238.89
3.01 Payment to manufacturers/									
Agencies for concessional									
sale of decontrolled fertilizers 240°		8347.10	8347 10		14847 10	14847.10	,	10847.10 °	10847 10
3.02 Less: Bonds issued to			000						
Fertilizer Companies 8012				l		-4000.00			
Ne 4. Fertilizer Industries	t	8347.10	8347.10		10847.10	10847.10	1	10847.10	10847.10
4.01 Subsidy on indigenous									
fertilizers 2852	2	11400.37	11400.37		16400.37	16400.37	1	12900.37	12900.37
4.02 Less: Bonds issued to					2500.00	2500.00			
Fertilizer Companies 8012 Ne	I	11400.37	11400.37		12900.37	-3500.00 12900.37		 12900.37	 12900.37
5. Indo-UK fertilizers development									
Programme									
Grant to KRIBHCO for Dryland Farming Project 2852	1.50		1.50	1.50		1.50			
6. Other research scheme for	1.50	•••	1.00	1.50		1.50		•••	•••
fertilizers Development									
S & T programme 2852 7. Non-plan loans to public	5.50		5.50	5.50		5.50	2.00		2.00
7. Non-plan loans to public sector undertakings									
7.01 Hindustan Fertilizer									
Corporation Ltd. 6858	i	0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01
7.02 Fertiliser Corpn. of India Ltd. 6855	<u>;</u>	0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01
7.03 Pyrites, Phosphates &	<u>'</u>	0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01
Chemicals Ltd 6859	5	0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01
7.04 Brahmaputra Valley Fertilizer Corporation Ltd. 6855		25.15	25.15		25.15	25.15		0.01	0.01
Tota		25.18	25.18		25.18	25.18		0.04	0.04
Lumpsum provision for									
Projects/Schemes for the benefit of the North Eastrern									
Region and Sikkim 6552	4.49		4.49	4.49		4.49	19.99		19.99
9. Investment in Public Enterprises 6855	1		27.01	27.01		27.01	26.01		26.01
10. Other Programmes									
10.01 For write off of loan, interest and penal interest									
on Govt. of India loan									
outstanding against HFCL,			2.5.		2.5			2.5.	
MFL, FACT, FCI & PDIL 3475 Write off matched	·	0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01
by receipts 1475									
Ne	1	0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01
10.02 Other programmes 2852 10.03 Capital subsidy for	1.50	1.41	2.91	1.50	1.16	2.66	2.00	1.41	3.41
conversion of 4 existing									
FO/LSHS Plants									
to NG/LNG 2852	5.00		5.00	5.00		5.00	150.00		150.00
10.04 Post closure adjustment liabilities of PPL 3475	,	0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01
Tota	6.50	1.43	7.93	6.50	1.18	7.68	152.00	1.43	153.43
Grand Total	45.00	22487.00	22532.00	45.00	30537.00	30582.00	200.00	31000.00	31200.00

		Head of Dev.	Budget 2007-2008 Budget I.E.B.R Total Support		Revised 2007-2008 Budget I.E.B.R Total Support			(In crores of Rupees) Budget 2008-2009 Budget I.E.B.R Total Support			
B. Investi	ment in Public Enterprises										
9.01	Fertilizers & Chemicals										
	Travancore Ltd.	12855	15.00		15.00	15.00		15.00	13.00		13.00
9.02	National Fertilizers Ltd.	12855		477.91	477.91		25.00	25.00		154.25	154.25
9.03	Projects and Development										
	(India) Ltd.	12855		2.50	2.50		6.74	6.74		4.85	4.85
9.04	Rashtriya Chemicals and										
	Fertilizers Ltd.	12855		302.41	302.41		253.24	253.24		812.43	812.43
9.05	Madras Fertilizers Ltd.	12855	9.00		9.00	9.00		9.00	12.97		12.97
9.06	Brahmaputra Valley										
	Fertilizer Corporation Ltd.	12855	4.50		4.50	7.47		7.47	20.00		20.00
9.07	Krishak Bharti										
	Cooperative Ltd.	12855		210.00	210.00		106.00	106.00		685.00	685.00
9.08	Fertilizer Corporation										
	of India (FAGMIL)	12855		0.14	0.14		3.20	3.20		22.40	22.40
9.09	Fertilizer Corporation										
	of India Ltd.	12855	1.00		1.00	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01
9.10	Hindustan Fertilizer										
	Corporation Ltd.	12855	1.00		1.00	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01
9.11	Pyritis, Phosphates &										
	Chemicals Ltd.	12855	1.00		1.00	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01
Total			31.50	992.96	1024.46	31.50	394.18	425.68	46.00	1678.93	1724.93
C. Plan O	utlay :-										
 Fertil 	izers Industries	12855	40.51	992.96	1033.47	40.51	394.18	434.69	180.01	1678.93	1858.94
North	Eastern Areas	22552	4.49		4.49	4.49		4.49	19.99		19.99
Total			45.00	992.96	1037.96	45.00	394.18	439.18	200.00	1678.93	1878.93

- ${f 1.}$ Provision is for expenditure on Secretariat of the Department .
- 2. As indigenous production is not adequate to meet the demand for fertilizers, imports are arranged to make up the shortfall. The cost involved is broadly the price of imported fertilisers plus the cost of handling and distribution of the fertilisers. The selling price of imported fertilisers to farmers is controlled under the Fertiliser control Order and the consumer prices are thus statutorily regulated. This selling price is the same as the selling price for indigenous production. The difference between the amount realised by way of sale of fertilisers to farmers and the import costs to Government represents the subsidy on fertilisers imports.
- **3.** Provision is for payment to the manufacturers / agencies under the scheme of sale of decontrolled phosphatic and Potassic fertilisers at concession to the farmers. The concession would lead to balanced use of fertilisers (NPK) nutrients for better soil health and productivity.
- 4. This provision relates to subsidy under Fertilizer Retention Price Scheme including freight subsidy for production of urea. The subsidy Scheme is intended to make fertilisers available to the farmers at reasonable prices and to give producers of fertilisers a reasonable return on their investment. The fertilisers are sold at issue prices, fixed from time to time under the Fertilisers Control Order.
- 5. The provision is for rain-fed farming project which has been implemented by KRIBHICO under ODA grant from the U.K. (EAP).
- **6.** The provision is for S&T work, and for development of essential know-how for production of fertilisers.
 - 7. The provision for Non-Plan loans to HFC, FCI, PPCL

- and BVFCL are intended to enable the companies to meet shortfall in resources. FCI and HFC are sick companies, having been referred to BIFR under SICA. PPCL has stopped all its activities and the company is under liquidation.
- **8.** The provision is for the projects / schemes for the benefits of North Eastern Area and Sikkim.
- **9. Investment in public enterprises**: The equity and loan wise break up of the Budgetary support to these enterprises and the IEBR are given in Expenditure Budget Vo.II.
- 9.01 Fertilisers and Chemicals Travancore Ltd.(FACT) is engaged in production of nitrogenous phosphatic fertilisers, ammonium sulphate, ammonium chloride, sulphur dioxide, etc. The company has three operating units at one Udyogmandal and the other two units at Cochin. ΑII the three units have an installed capacity of 3.26 lakh tonnes of nitrogen, 1.27 lakh tonnes of P2O5 and 0.50 lakh tonnes of Caprolactum.
- **9.02 National Fertilisers Limiter (NFL)** has five units namely ,Nangal I and Nangal-II, Bhatinda, Panipat and Vijaypur with a total installed capacity of 14.88 lakh tonnes of nitrogen per annum.

The company has commissioned captive power plants at its fertilizer plants at Bhatinda, Panipat and Nangal Modernisation Plant Phase-I at Nangal. The Vijaypur Expansion Project at Guna, MP at an estimated cost of Rs.1071.00 crores, creating anadditional capacity of 7.26 lakh tonnes per annum, was commenced in 1997.

9.03 Projects and Development India Ltd. (PDIL) has a design engineering and consultancy service unit, a research and development division and fabrication workshop of equipment and vessels in the field of fertilisers and is assisting the fertiliser

companies in the field of design engineering, technical procurement, supervision, construction and commissioning etc. The company is also engaged in the manufacture of catalysts for the fertiliser industry.

- 9.04 Rashtriya Chemicals and Fertilizers Ltd (RCFL) is engaged in the production of nitrogenous and phosphatic fertilisers and some industrial products like methanol and ammonium nitrate, etc. At present, the company has four operating units namely, Trombay, Trombay-IV, Trombay-V and Thai with a total installed capacity of 9.55 lakh tonnes of nitrogen and 1.20 lakh tonnes of P2O5 and 0.46 iakh tonnes of K2O.
- 9.05 Madras Fertilizers Limited (MFL) was a joint sector company with participation of Government of India, National Iranian Oil Company and AMOCO India incorporated in USA. The shares of AMOCO India have been purchased partly by Government of India and partly by the National Iranian Oil Company. The company is engaged in the manufacture of urea and complex fertilisers.
- **9.06** Brahamputra Valley Fertilisers Corporation Ltd.(BVFCL) Operating units of HFC, i.e. Namrup -I, Namrup-II and Namrup-III, have been segregated and incorporated into a new company Brahamputra Valley Fertilizers Corporation Ltd. with production capacity of 5.5 LMTof urea per annum.

- 9.07 Krishak Bharati Cooperative Ltd. (KRIBHCO) A large size ammonia / urea complex has been set up in the cooperative sector at Hazira in Gujarat by the Krishak Bharati Cooperative Ltd., based on natural gas, the project has an installed capacity of 6.68 lakh tonnes of nitrogen.
- 9.08 Fertilizer Corporation of India (FAGMIL) FCI Aravali Gypsum and Minerals India Ltd. (FAGMIL) incoporated under Companies Act 1956 as a public sector undertaking on 13.2.2003, after hiving off the Jodhpur Mining Organisation (JMO) of Fertilizer Corporation of India (FCI) has come into force w.e.f. 1.4.2003 after approval of the Demerger Scheme between FCI and FAGMIL was the Board for Industrial and Financial Reconstruction (BIFR) in its order dated 17.5.2004.
 - **9.09** The provision is for Fertilizer Corporation of India Ltd.
- $\bf 9.10~$ The provision is for Hindustan Fertilizer Corporation Ltd.
- $\textbf{9.11} \quad \text{The provision is for Pyrites, Phosphates and chimicals} \\ \textbf{Ltd.}$
- 10. This includes Non-Plan provision for the office of Fertiliser Industry Coordination Committee, an attached Office of the Department of Fertilisers, grant in the field of Management Information Technology, and write off of Govt. of India's loans, interest and penal interest due from HFC, FCI,PDIL, MFL and FACT.