GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

LOK SABHA

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Subsidy to Sugar

Thirumaa Valavan Thol

- (a) whether the Government has any plans to withdraw subsidy given to the sugar exporters; and
- (b) if so, the details and the reasons thereof?

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:-

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MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI)

(a) & (b): Due to favourable price of sugar in the international market and manageable stocks mainly attributed to diversion of sugar to ethanol and export of around 70 LMT of sugar during the previous sugar season 2020-21 (October- September), no subsidy on export of sugar is being presently extended by Government of India for current sugar season 2021-22.
