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Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Economics Statistics and Evaluation Division
(A.E.R. Unit)

Room No.445, C-wing, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-01

Dated: 28 August, 2025

Subject: <u>Information sought under RTI bearing Registration No.</u> DOA&C/R/E/25/01243, dated 01.08.2025-regarding.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the RTI Request bearing Registration No. DOA&C/R/E/25/01243, dated 01.08.2025 and inform that according to the office records, no such letter was issued by the Ministry on the specified date.

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This is issued with the approval of the competent authority.

(Rishi Kant) Director (AER)

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