GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING AND FISHERIES

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3201

TO BE ANSWERED ON 23RD MARCH 2018

NDDB GRANT TO VARIOUS ORGANISATIONS

3201. SHRI HARIVANSH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total amount of grants given by National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) during 2004-14 to various organisations other than cooperatives for various activities including studies subventions etc.;
- (b) the names of these institutions and the amount of grant given to them;
- (c) the names of the Chairman/MD/ Secretary of these organisations during the period when the grants were given;
- (d) whether any of the senior officers of NDDB were office bearers in these organisations during that period; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFAR (SHRIMATI KRISHNA RAJ)

- (a) The total amount of grants given from the own resources of National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) during 2004-05 to 2014-15 to various organizations other than cooperatives for various activities including studies subventions etc is Rs 14,580.49 Lakh.
- (b) The name of the organizations/institutions other than cooperatives and the amount of grant given to them by NDDB from its own resources is at **Annexure**.
- (c) The Boards of NDDB subsidiaries and associated organizations like Animal Breeding Research Organization (ABRO) India, Foundation for Ecological Security (FES) which were undertaking activities on behalf of NDDB had Chairman NDDB as one of the Directors, who also chaired the meetings of the Board of that organization. During years 2004- 05 to 2014-15, Dr Amrita Patel and Shri T Nanda Kumar had functioned as Chairman of NDDB. In case of other organizations, Shri Anil C Shah and Shri Vijay Mahajan were Chairman of Development Support Centre (DSC), Ahmedabad. Shri Motibhai Chaudhari and Shri Devendrakumar R Desai were Chairman of Sabarmati Ashram Gaushala (SAG) Trust, Bidaj. Shri HK Gosain was Chairman of Centre for Advanced Research and Development (CARD), Bhopal. MD of Rajasthan Cooperative Dairy Federation (RCDF) was the ex-officio Chairman of URMUL Trust during the said period when grants were received by them.
- (d) & (e) Yes sir, Senior officers of NDDB served as Directors on the governing Boards or Trustees of NDDB's subsidiaries and other organizations that received grants from NDDB.

Annexure mentioned at part (b) of the reply for RSQ 3201 due for 23.03.2018

The name of the organizations and the amount of grant given by NDDB from its own resources

Organization	Amount in Rs	Purpose of grant				
	Lakh					
NDDB's subsidiaries						
Indian Dairy Machinery	730.89	Support for design and development of higher				
Company Ltd (IDMC)		capacity cattle feed and powder plant and				
		promotion of polyfilm				
Indian Immunologicals Limited	721.11	Support for capital expenditure on R&D and				
		expenditure on Animal Disease Control Project				
		in Kerala				
Mother Dairy Fruit and	105,70.82	Support for implementation of dairy, edible oil				
Vegetable Private Limited		and horticulture projects including R&D				
(MDFVPL) (including						
companies merged into it)						
Societies/Charitable Trusts						
Animal Breeding Research	423.98	Strengthening of semen station and biosecurity				
Organization (ABRO) India –						
ABC Salon						
Sabarmati Ashram Gaushala	653.54	Strengthening of semen station and biosecurity				
(SAG) Bidaj		and indigenous breed development				
Foundation for Ecological	637.11	Support to improve biomass production from				
Security (FES)		commons and private lands, improve water				
		availability and improve the Dairy-Panchayat				
		interface to improve livelihoods of the poor and				
		marginalised agriculture and dairy farmers				
Development Support Centre,	157.74	Support for implementation of participatory				
Ahmedabad		irrigation management				
Centre for Advanced Research	7.08	Support for promoting women thrift cooperative				
and Development (CARD),		society				
Bhopal						
URMUL Trust	24.88	Development of Rathi breed				
Government Departments/ Agricultural Universities/ ICAR Institutions						
Government of Odisha	358.70	Flood relief				
Department of AH,	240.47	Flood relief				
Government of Bihar						
Anand Agricultural University	53.92	Modernization of semen laboratory				
National Dairy Research	0.24	Transfer of R&D assets				
Institute (NDRI)						
Total	14,580.49					

(Source: NDDB)