

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2020
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23RD DECEMBER, 2022

Stray Cattle

2020 Dr. V. Sivadasan:

Will the Minister of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has any data on the number of stray cattle in the country;
- (b) the number of deaths and casualties to humans due to accidents or attacks by stray cattle in the last five years; and
- (c) the estimated loss of property and crops due to the raiding of crop by stray cattle, State-wise details?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

(SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

- (a) As per the 20th Livestock Census, total number of Stray Cattle in the country is 50,21,587.
- (b) Data regarding the deaths and casualties to humans due to accidents or attacks by stray cattle is not maintained. However, as per the information of National Crime Records Bureau, total 6331 number of persons killed by animals from 2017 to 2021.
- (c) No such information maintained.
