

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 219
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27TH NOVEMBER, 2024

**UPGRADATION OF POULTRY DISEASE DIAGNOSIS AND SURVEILLANCE
LABORATORY (PDDSL) IN NAMAKKAL, TAMIL NADU**

219. SHRI K.R.N. RAJESHKUMAR:

Will the Minister of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying

be pleased to state:

- (a) Whether the Government has received a proposal from the Tamil Nadu State Government for the upgradation of the Poultry Disease Diagnosis and Surveillance Laboratory (PDDSL) at the Veterinary College and Research Institute in Namakkal under the Central Financial Assistance Scheme?
- (b) If so, the details of the proposal and the steps taken by the Government for upgradation; and
- (c) The amount of financial assistance provided by the Government for the upgradation and the timeline for completion of the upgradation work?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

(SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH ALIAS LALAN SINGH)

- (a) Yes, Sir
- (b) The proposal has been sent by the State Government vide their letter dated 08.11.2024, which has been received recently.

Earlier, the Annual Action Plan for the year 2024-25, submitted by State of Tamil Nadu on 21st February, 2024 has already been approved by this Department. The said item under this proposal dated 08.11.2024 was not included in the State Annual Action Plan 2024-25, and hence was not considered.

- (c) NIL, in view of the (b) above.
