GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE)

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 359(H) TO BE ANSWERED ON 27th MARCH, 2017

EXPORT OF MEAT

*359(H). SHRI RAJU SHETTY:

Will the Minister of **COMMERCE & INDUSTRY** (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री) be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of existing Meat Export Policy of the Government;
- (b) the total quantity and value of meat and meat products exported from the country during the last three years and the current year, item and country-wise;
- (c) whether the Government provides any susbsidy to meat exporters;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the amount of subsidy provided to various meat exporters during the said period, State/Ut-wise?

ANSWER

वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती निर्मला सीतारमण) (स्वतंत्र प्रभार)

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

a) to e): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (e) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 359(H) FOR ANSWER ON 27th MARCH, 2017 REGARDING "EXPORT OF MEAT"

(a) As per the existing Meat Export Policy, the export of beef (meat of cow, oxen and calf) is prohibited and is not permitted to be exported. Bone in meat, carcass, half carcass of buffalo (both male and female) is also prohibited and not permitted to be exported.

Only the boneless meat of buffalo (male and female), meat of goat & sheep and birds is permitted for export subject to the provisions specified in the Gazette Notifications on raw meat (Chilled and Frozen) issued from time to time under the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 and subject to the fulfillment of the conditions stipulated under the Foreign Trade Policy.

(b) The total quantity and value of meat and meat products exported from the country during the last three years and the current year, item and country-wise is given below:

BUFFALO MEAT QTY IN TON/ VALUE IN Rs. CRORE

	2013-14		2014	-15	2015-16		2016-17 (APRIL-JANUARY,17)*	
COUNTRY	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE
VIETNAM								
SOC REP	524175.00	10971.58	633348.00	13200.59	605100.00	13122.82	525644.00	10825.48
MALAYSIA	121713.00	2356.42	130877.00	2586.03	135937.00	2682.89	92814.00	1933.02
EGYPT A RP	107822.00	2033.30	128082.00	2574.03	115317.00	2325.58	97379.00	1846.01
INDONESIA	0	0	84.00	1.00	812.00	15.43	58416.00	1370.55
SAUDI ARAB	74599.00	1493.54	73821.00	1585.37	64649.00	1415.62	38220.00	853.47
OTHERS	537323.00	9602.97	537291.00	9335.57	392402.00	7121.88	264786.00	4487.61
TOTAL	1365632.00	26457.82	1503503.00	29282.58	1314217.00	26684.22	1077259.00	21316.14

OTHER MEAT QTY IN TON/ VALUE IN Rs. CRORE

COUNTRY	2013-14		2014-15		2015-16		2016-17 (APRIL-JANUARY,17)*	
	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE
BHUTAN	265.00	3.32	162.00	2	0	0	40.00	0.52
NEPAL	4.00	0.08	100.00	1	0	0	39.00	0.39
GABON	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GERMANY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JAPAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHERS		0	0	0	0 0		0	0
TOTAL	269.00	3.40	262.00	2.67	0.00	0.00	79.00	0.91

PROCESSED MEAT QTY IN TON/ VALUE IN Rs. CRORE

COUNTRY	2013-	-14	2014	-15	2015	-16	2016-17 (APRIL-JANUARY,17)*	
	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE
U ARAB								
EMTS	58.00	1.68	93.00	2.91	53.00	1.70	62.00	2.25
KOREA RP	0	0	20.00	0.44	185.00	2.81	19.00	0.26
VIETNAM								
SOC REP	57.00	0.29	139.00	5.46	0.00	0	14.00	0.25
ITALY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.03
CANADA	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.00	0.03
OTHERS	392.00	5.71	154.00	5.39	42.00	1.66	0	0.00
TOTAL	507.00	7.68	406.00	14.20	280.00	6.16	96.00	2.82

SHEEP/GOAT MEAT

QTY IN TON/ VALUE IN Rs. CRORE

COUNTRY	2013-14		2014-15		2015-16		2016-17 (APRIL-JANUARY,17)*	
	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE
U ARAB								
EMTS	10717.00	360.93	11439.00	408.49	12450.00	472.59	10770.00	417.72
SAUDI ARAB	5763.00	196.09	6926.00	255.70	4701.00	188.11	3769.00	160.15
QATAR	1614.00	55.31	2005.00	70.49	2174.00	84.17	1777.00	68.87
KUWAIT	1151.00	39.25	1742.00	63.50	1681.00	66.38	1336.00	54.07
BAHARAIN IS	154.00	5.23	179.00	6.61	211.00	8.53	263.00	10.06
OTHERS	3211.00	37.30	1321.00	23.32	734.00	17.98	874.00	16.30
TOTAL	22610.00	694.12	23612.00	828.11	21951.00	837.76	18789.00	727.16

BIRDS' MEAT

QTY IN TON/ VALUE IN Rs. CRORE

RIKD2, MEVI	S MEAT QTY IN TONY VALUE IN RS. CRORE								
COUNTRY	2013-14		2014-15		2015-16		2016-17 (APRIL-JANUARY,17)*		
	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	QTY	VALUE	
BAHARAIN IS	977.73	10.80	1860.08	20.32	3161.46	36.52	1009.62	12.06	
BHUTAN	828.52	9.47	715.37	8.38	685.15	7.87	669.70	7.77	
MALDIVES	529.61	6.83	598.51	6.70	804.00	9.73	253.10	3.13	
VIETNAM SOC REP	1985.50	7.60	2251.00	8.21	219.60	1.69	638.90	2.94	
USA	0	0	0	0	0	0	9.98	0.33	
OTHERS	77425.21	22.07	3217.73	29.56	2347.59	26.14	25.20	0.28	
TOTAL	81746.57	56.77	8642.68	73.16	7217.81	81.94	2606.49	26.50	
Grant Total	1470764.57	27219.77	1536425.68	30200.72	1343665.81	27610.08	1098829.49	22073.53	

(Source : DGCI&S)/* Provisional

(c)&(d) The Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) provides financial assistance to its registered member exporters including meat exporters under the following financial assistance schemes:

- (i) **Scheme for Infrastructure Development**: Assistance to meat exporters is provided for purchase of reefer trucks for transportation of meat.
- (ii) **Scheme for Quality Development**: Assistance is provided for implementing Quality assurance systems such as ISO, HACCP, etc. setting up of Quality Control Lab etc.
- (iii) **Transport Assistance Scheme**: to mitigate high transportation cost to West African market, assistance is provided to the meat exporters under the Scheme.

The Transport subsidy which was being extended for export of buffalo meat to West Africa only has been withdrawn w.e.f.1.1.2014.

(e) The assistance provided to meat exporters during the last three years and current year is given below. The data of assistance is not maintained as per Statewise/UT-wise.

				Rs. In lakhs
Name of the Components	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17 (April-Jan.)
Development of Infrastructure (Specialized Transport Vehicle for meat products)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Quality & Quality Control (In-house laboratory & HACCP implementation for meat products)	6.48	26.40	6.67	18.80
Transport Assistance for meat products	1461.00	371.16*	332.37*	00.00
Grand Total	1467.48	397.56	339.04	18.80

^{*}The amount of disbursement for transport assistance is carryover of the applications received in previous years.
