

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
 MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE  
 DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING AND FISHERIES  
 LOK SABHA  
 UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4268  
 TO BE ANSWERED ON 28<sup>th</sup> MARCH, 2017  
 DEMAND AND SUPPLY OF DAIRY PRODUCTS

4268. SHRI SHYAMA CHARAN GUPTA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषि और किसान कल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is an agency to ensure proper arrangements for demand and supply of dairy products as in the case of agriculture produces like wheat, gram, rice and pulses;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is a scheme launched by the Government to encourage export of dairy products like Skimmed Milk Powder (SMP) and butter;
- (d) whether the milk producers are getting prices of milk on competitive rates, if so, whether any inquiry has been conducted by the Government in this regard; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with the steps taken by the Government to promote the production of milk and milk products in the country?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE  
 (SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

- (a) No Madam.
- (b) Does not arise in view of (a) above
- (c) Foreign Trade Policy of India (FTP 2015-20) includes a scheme namely Merchandise Exports from India Scheme (MEIS) which is aimed at increasing India's exports. The scheme provides incentive in the form of 5% duty credit of the realized FOB value (in free foreign exchange) to the exporter of milk fat products [butter and melted butter (ghee)] and cheese products (processed cheese and other cheeses). Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority (APEDA) also provides assistance to its registered exporters including the exporters of dairy and dairy products for promoting the export of dairy and dairy products, under the Agriculture Export Promotion Plan Scheme.
- (d) As per the assessment made by National Dairy Development Board (NDDB), the dairy cooperatives have ensured remunerative competitive prices for milk to the producers. The Statement indicating State-wise prices of cow, buffalo and mixed milk during February 2017 is **annexed.**
- (e) The Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries is implementing following dairy development schemes to promote production of milk and milk products in the country:
  1. National Dairy Plan (Phase-I).
  2. National Programme for Bovine Breeding and Dairy Development.
  3. Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme.

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**Annexure referred to in reply to the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.4268 for  
answer on 28.03.2017**

**Statement indicating State-wise prices of cow, buffalo and mixed milk during  
February 2017**

REGION / STATE	UNION	February-17		
		Cow (3% Fat & 8.5% SNF)	Mixed (4.5% Fat & 8.5% SNF)	Buffalo (6% Fat & 9% SNF)
<b>EASTERN</b>				
Odisha	Cuttack	23.40	27.45	
Bihar	Begusarai	23.98	28.13	34.18
	Patna	23.98	28.13	34.18
West Bengal	Ichamati	21.31	25.00	
<b>NORTHERN</b>				
<i>Haryana</i>	<i>Ambala</i>	24.57	29.70	34.20
	<i>Rohtak</i>	24.57	29.70	34.20
Punjab	Amritsar	26.85	31.35	36.00
Rajasthan	Alwar	25.98	30.33	34.80
	Jaipur	28.25	32.30	36.40
<i>Uttar Pradesh</i>	<i>Meerut</i>	26.35	30.91	36.48
	<i>Lucknow</i>	23.35	27.39	32.33
<b>SOUTHERN</b>				
Andhra Pradesh	Krishna	23.35		32.40
Karnataka #	Bangalore		29.90	
	Kolar		24.80	
	D Kannada		29.91	
Kerala	Ernakulam	31.93		
	Malabar	31.93		
Tamil Nadu	Coimbatore	24.91		29.21
	Salem	24.91		29.21
Telangana	Nalgonda	23.35		34.20
<b>WESTERN</b>				
Gujarat	<i>Banaskantha</i>	26.52	30.93	37.50
	Mehsana	25.46	29.69	36.00
	Surat	26.95	31.42	38.10
Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	25.54		34.54
Maharashtra	Pune	23.50*	27.00	34.00
	<i>Kolhapur</i>	22.30	27.00	36.30

# In addition, State Government subsidy of Rs.4 per liter is paid to the producer

\* Price paid by DCS to milk producers @ 3.2% Fat and 8.5% SNF, cow milk below 3.2% Fat not accepted





