

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
 MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE & FARMERS WELFARE  
 DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING & FISHERIES  
 LOK SABHA QUESTION No. 822  
 TO BE ANSWERED ON 7<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2017

**RASHTRIYA GOKUL MISSION**

822. DR. RAMESH POKHRIYAL "NISHANK":  
 SHRI BHARAT SINGH:  
 SHRI MANSHANKAR NINAMA:  
 SHRIMATI VANAROJA R.:

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

(a) the details of funds allocated by the Government to various States under Rashtriya Gokul Mission during the last three years and the current year, State/ UT-wise;

(b) whether the Government is considering to shell out more of milch animals than Rs. 580 crore under Rashtriya Gokul Mission to conserve the indigenous breeds of milch animals which are facing the threat of extinction due to competition from the exotic and cross breeds, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is also true that the Government has undertaken a breed improvement programme of the indigenous cattle, enhancement of milk production and productivity of native bovines, upgradation of non-descript breeds using elite indigenous breeds, and if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether it is also true that the Government has taken a decision to distribute disease free high genetic merit bulls to farmers and if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the concrete efforts made by the Government to increase milk production in backward, tribal areas and naxal affected of the country?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE**

**(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)**

(a) & (b) The details of funds released by the Government for protection and promotion of indigenous cow breeds under the Rashtriya Gokul Mission during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise is given at Annexure-I. Till date projects from 27 States have been sanctioned under the scheme with an allocation of Rs 582.09 crore.

(c) In order to complement and supplement the efforts made by the State for enhancement of milk production and productivity of native bovines and upgradation of nondescript breeds using elite indigenous breeds government of India has initiated following schemes:

- I. Rashtriya Gokul Mission (Part of National Programme for Bovine Breeding & Dairy Development)
- II. Establishment of two National Kamdhenu Breeding Centres as repository of indigenous bovine germplasm
- III. National Dairy Plan-I
- IV. Central Herd Registration Scheme
- V. Central Cattle Breeding Farms

(d) Assistance is made available to participating States under Rashtriya Gokul Mission for induction of high genetic merit disease free bulls for natural service.

(e) Schemes for genetic upgradation of bovine population to enhance milk production and productivity are being implemented throughout the country including backward, tribal areas and naxal affected areas of the country.

**Statement referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 822 for 07.02.2017  
Funds Released for implementation of Rashtriya Gokul Mission under National Programme for  
Bovine Breeding & Indigenous breeds**

(Rs in lakh)

S. No	State	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	
1	Andhra Pradesh	400.00	0.00	0.00	400.00
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0.00	111.00		111.00
3	Assam	150.00			150.00
4	Bihar	0.00	350.00		350.00
5	Chhattisgarh	729.00			729.00
6	Gujarat	0.00	803.22		803.22
7	Haryana	200.00		1000.00	1200.00
8	Himachal Pradesh	350.00			350.00
9	Jammu & Kashmir	0.00	25.00		25.00
10	Jharkhand	35.00		200.00	235.00
11	Karnataka	0.00	60.00		60.00
12	Kerala	250.00	400.00	200.00	850.00
13	Madhya Pradesh	2000.00	1881.50	500.00	4381.50
14	Maharashtra	100.00		1250.00	1350.00
15	Manipur	450.00	280.02	220.82	950.84
16	Mizoram	0.00	50.45	31.91	82.36
17	Nagaland	448.00	350.10		798.10
18	Odisha	856.00		900.00	1756.00
19	Punjab	0.00	600.00		600.00
20	Rajasthan	300.00			300.00
21	Sikkim	450.00			450.00
22	Tamil Nadu	1776.00		750.00	2526.00
23	Telangana	300.00			300.00
24	Tripura	417.00			417.00
25	UP	800.00	200.00		1000.00
26	Uttarakhand	500.00		500.00	1000.00
27	West Bengal	0.00	480.28	0.00	480.28
	Total	10511.00	5591.57	5552.73	21655.30

Note : Initiated by the Government from December 2014.