

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING AND FISHERIES
LOKSABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.566
TO BE ANSWERED ON 6TH FEBRUARY, 2018

DEVELOPMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

566. SHRI LAXMAN GILUWA:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE कृषिऔरकिसानकल्याण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is a big potential for development of animal husbandry and dairy industries in Jharkhand;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the details of study, if any, conducted by the Government in this regard; and
- (c) the efforts made by the Government in view of the said potential along with the progress made as a result thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
(SHRIMATI KRISHNA RAJ)

(a)to(c): As per 19th Livestock Census, there are about 87,30,000 Cattles and 11,86,000 Buffaloes, 5,83,000 Sheep, 65,81,000 Goat and 9,62,000 Pig in the State Jharkhand. During the FY 2016-17, the Milk Production was 1893.80 thousand tonnes in the State of Jharkhand. Hence, there is a huge potential for development of Livestock Sector in the State of Jharkhand.

The Government of India is implementing the flagship scheme, “White Revolution- Rashtriya Pashudhan Vikas Yojana” to supplement the efforts of State Government including State of Jharkhand for development animal husbandry and dairy sector including conservation and development of indigenous breeds in a holistic and scientific manner as well as genetic up gradation to enhance the milk production and productivity. A key objective of the scheme is sustainable development of livestock sector keeping view of livestock health, focusing on improving availability of quality feed & fodder, risk coverage, effective extension, improve flow of credit and strengthening of infrastructure for production of quality milk, procurement, processing and marketing of milk & milk products. The scheme “White Revolution- Rashtriya Pashudhan Vikas Yojana” has the following sub-schemes with focus on development of animal husbandry, cattle breeding and dairying:

- i. Rashtriya Gokul Mission
- ii. National Programme for Dairy Development
- iii. National Dairy Plan Phase-I
- iv. Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme
- v. National Livestock Mission
- vi. Livestock Health & Disease Control

The Government of India has released the assistance to tune of Rs.33.99 crore under different sub-scheme of White Revolution: Rashtriya PashudhanVikasYojana to the State of Jharkhand for the development of animal husbandry.
