# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE & FARMERS' WELFARE DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING & FISHERIES LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1118 TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2018

# LEASE OUT OF DELHI MILK SCHEME

1118. SHRI DHANANJAY MAHADIK: SHRI BHARAT SINGH: SHRI AJAY MISRA TENI: SHRI SATAV RAJEEV: SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE: DR. HEENA VIJAYKUMAR GAVIT: DR. SUNIL BALIRAM GAIKWAD: DR. J. JAYAVARDHAN: SHRI P.R. SUNDARAM: SHRI MOHITE PATIL VIJAYSINH SHANKARRAO:

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

(a) whether the Delhi Milk Scheme has piled up huge losses and has just 6 per cent market share in the capital's milk market;

(b) if so, the details of the profit/loss of DMS during each of the last three years and the current year;

(c) whether the Government has decided to invite milk cooperatives to run DMS for the next 30 years, if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Government shortlisted the cooperatives for this purpose, if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether the employees of DMS will be given retirement or will be absorbed in the new cooperatives, if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the time by which DMS will be handed over to a new cooperative?

### ANSWER

#### MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE & FARMERS WELFARE

# (SHRIMATI KRISHNA RAJ)

(a) Yes, Madam. The accumulated loss of Delhi Milk Scheme (DMS) at the end of financial year 2016-17 was ₹ 769.12 Crore. No market survey in respect of DMS has been done about market share in the capital's milk market. However, the year-wise details of total milk sold and average sale of milk per day by DMS during the financial year 2015-16 to 2017-18 are as under.

Year	Total milk sold (Lakh Litres)	Average sale in Lakh liters/day
2015-16	969.37	2.65
2016-17	940.23	2.58
2017-18	866.48	2.37

(b) As per accounts audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General, the year-wise details of net profit earned and accumulated loss/profit by DMS during the financial year 2014-15 to 2016-17 are as under:

(Rs. in Crores)

Year	Net Profit	Accumulated Loss/Profit
2014-15	(+) 6.65	(-) 842.57
2015-16	(+) 55.30	(-) 787.27
2016-17	(+) 18.15	(-) 769.12

(c) to (f) Government of India has invited Request for Qualification-cum-Request for Proposal for selection of concessionaire for Operation and Management of Delhi Milk Scheme for 30 years vide Tender reference No. 13-4/88-LD.I/Admn.IV dated 27.06.2018 through e-procurement mode. As per the condition of the tender document concessionaire can adopt its own selection procedure to select those DMS employees who opt to work with the Concessionaire. For the avoidance of doubt it is clarified that those DMS employees who are not selected or does not opt to work with the Concessionaire will continue to be part of the surplus pool of Government of India and can be redeployed anywhere by the Government of India as per rules.

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