GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRYAND DAIRYING DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES

LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO. 192 TO BE ANSWERED ON 14th March, 2023

Growth in Fish Production

*192. SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA:

Will the **Minister of FISHERIES**, **ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING** मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there has been 20 times growth in the fish production sector after independence;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana is going to be implemented in the year 2024-25; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRYAND DAIRYING (SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House

Statement referred to in reply to the Lok Sabha Starred Question No 192 put in by Shri Rattan Lal Kataria, Honourable Member of Parliament for answer on 14th March, 2023 regarding "Growth in Fish Production"

- (a) and (b): The total fish production in the country has registered a steady growth from 7.52 lakh tonnes in 1950–51 to 162.48 lakh tonnes in 2021–22, registering more than 21 times increase in the overall fish production after independence.
- (c) and (d): Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying is currently implementing a flagship scheme namely "Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY)" with estimated investment of ₹20,050 crores in fisheries sector for a period of 5 years with effect from the financial year 2020-21 to financial year 2024-25 in all States/Union Territories. Under PMMSY, the Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying during the financial years 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 has accorded approvals to the proposals of 35 States and Union Territories and other implementing agencies with total outlay of Rs. 12030.06 crores.
