

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS**

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3784

TO BE ANSWERED ON MARCH 23, 2023

DESTRUCTION IN DDA PARKS

NO. 3784. SHRI KANAKMAL KATARA:

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware of the damage and destruction caused to DDA Parks by herd of cattle/animal in Dwarka, Delhi;**
- (b) if so, the details thereof;**
- (c) whether it is a fact that a large number of plants are being planted in these DDA Parks in Dwarka every year and if so, the details thereof;**
- (d) whether the Government is aware of the cattle/animal menace caused to traffic and pedestrians in Dwarka; and**
- (e) if so, the steps taken/being taken to curb this menace?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE
MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS
(SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)**

(a) & (b): Delhi Development Authority (DDA) has informed that no incident of damage from cattle/animals has been reported in DDA parks in Dwarka. All DDA parks in Dwarka are protected with boundary wall.

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(c): Yes, Sir. The details of plantation done during the last 3 years are as under:

Year	Trees	Shrubs	Total
2020-21	15500	78250	93750
2021-22	1515	21000	22515
2022-23	2060	40095	42155

(d) & (e): Municipal Corporation of Delhi has informed that it is taking action on regular basis in order to control the cattle/animal menace in Dwarka area and has caught total 212 stray cattles from Dwarka during the period 01.04.2022 to 16.03.2023. The caught stray cattles are sent to the Gaushalas/Gausadans being operated and maintained by the Government of National Capital of Territory of Delhi, for their further care therein.
