

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 2760
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19TH DECEMBER, 2023
RASHTRIYA GOKUL MISSION

2760. DR. MANOJ RAJORIA:

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

- (a) the details of the Rashtriya Gokul Mission since its inception in 2014;
- (b) the key objectives and achievements of the said mission, component-wise;
- (c) the schemes/plans to enhance the productivity of indigenous bovine breeds and promoting sustainable dairy farming practices in the country; and
- (d) the manner in which the Gokul Grams help with conservation and development of indigenous bovine breeds in the country?

ANSWER
THE MINISTER FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
(SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA)

(a) to (c) The Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying is implementing Rashtriya Gokul Mission for development and conservation of indigenous breeds, genetic upgradation of bovine population and enhancement of milk production and productivity of bovines thereby making milk production more remunerative to the farmers since 2014 throughout the country. The scheme is continued under revised realigned schemes of the Department from 2021-2022 to 2025-2026.

The Scheme is implemented with the following objectives:

- (i) To enhance productivity of bovines and increasing milk production in a sustainable manner using advance technologies
- (ii) To propagate use of high genetic merit bulls for breeding purposes.
- (iii) To enhance Artificial insemination coverage through strengthening breeding network and delivery of Artificial insemination services at farmers doorstep.
- (iv) To promote indigenous cattle & buffalo rearing and conservation in a scientific and holistic manner

Major achievements made under the Rashtriya Gokul Mission (RGM) is at **Annexure-I**

(d) Under Rashtriya Gokul Mission funds have been released for setting up of 16 Gokul Grams as Integrated Indigenous Cattle development Centres with the aim of conservation and development of indigenous bovine breeds in a scientific and holistic manner.

The objectives of Gokul Gram are as under:

- i. To promote indigenous cattle rearing and conservation in a scientific manner.
- ii. To enhance productivity of indigenous breeds and increase economic returns from animal products in a sustainable manner.
- iii. To propagate high genetic merit bulls of indigenous breeds.
- iv. To encourage appropriate technology for use of Draught Animal Power.
- v. To provide balanced nutrition and integrated animal health care.
- vi. To optimize modern Farm Management practices and promote Common Resource Management.
- vii. To promote Green Power and Eco technology.

Major achievements made under the Rashtriya Gokul Mission (RGM)

SN	Name of State	Pedigree Selection Programme	Progeny Testing	No. of Gokul Grams	No. of National Kamdheenu Breeding Center	IVF Labs	Nationwide AI programme (NAIP)		
							Animal Covered	Artificial Insemination done	Farmers benefitted
1	Andhra Pradesh	-	1	1	1	2	4672722	6848644	2520975
2	Arunachal Pradesh	-		1		-	3247	3418	1550
3	Assam	-				-	1092038	1255555	938083
4	Bihar	-		1		2	2310876	2729874	1827320
5	Chhattisgarh	-		1		1	1394804	1646177	907912
6	Goa	-				-	20318	31346	7389
7	Gujarat	2	6	1		3	3464487	4622165	2295152
8	Haryana	1	1	1		1	431012	503414	308948
9	Himachal Pradesh	-		1		1	1286045	1792727	1065903
10	Jammu & Kashmir	-				-	1788087	2506745	1273588
11	Ladakh						5129	5761	4369
12	Jharkhand	-				-	1861036	2136182	1415411
13	Karnataka	-		1		1	3415039	4623994	2282160
14	Kerala	-	1			1	0	0	0
15	Madhya Pradesh	-		1	1	2	6518279	7492918	4103883
16	Maharashtra	1		2		3	4121407	4799577	2773634
17	Manipur	-				-	20600	21903	11231
18	Meghalaya	-				-	45391	61692	16208
19	Mizoram	-				-	7779	9840	3753
20	Nagaland	-				-	33196	37628	13199
21	Odisha	-				2	4178296	5192151	2710190
22	Punjab	1	2	1		2	1131408	1562061	598000
23	Rajasthan	2	1			1	4086074	4844567	3041466
24	Sikkim	-				-	32830	36612	25072
25	Tamil Nadu	-	1			3	3535421	5176894	1772345
26	Telangana	-		1		1	2639564	3091014	1420389
27	Tripura	-				-	194734	229747	167158
28	Uttar Pradesh	-		3		4	9148938	12492241	6151636
29	Uttarakhand	-				1	1033263	1450050	832535
30	West Bengal	-				1	3672386	4424121	2689792
	Total	7	13	16	2	32	62144406	79629018	41179251