GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & DAIRYING DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & DAIRYING LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3522 TO BE ANSWERED ON 10TH DECEMBER, 2019

GAUSHALAS IN THE COUNTRY

3522. SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL:

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

- (a) the total number of Gaushalas in the country including Uttar Pradesh, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether the Government provides financial assistance for setting up of Gaushalas in the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has received any proposal to set up any new Gaushalas in Pilana village of Baghpat district, Uttar Pradesh; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government thereon?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING (DR SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN)

(a) As per information received from State Governments and Basic Animal Husbandry Statistics, 2019, list consisting of total number of gaushalas is annexed. In Uttar Pradesh there are 532 registered gaushalas.

(b) Many State Governments provide the Grants to the Gaushalas. However, the Animal Welfare Board of India provides grants-in-aid under the Scheme for Shelter House for looking after the animals. The objective of this scheme is to establish and maintain shelter houses for distressed animals in the country. Primary, Non-Governmental Organizations and Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCAs) are given grants for construction of boundary walls, shelter, water tank, drains, in-house Dispensary, medical equipment, contingencies etc for a maximum grant of Rs. 22.50 lakhs excluding 10% of contribution from Animal Welfare Organizations.

(c) The Central Government has no such information.

(d) Does not arise.

Annexure Unstarred question no. 3522 By Shri Janardan Singh Sigriwal To be answered on 10.12.2019

		No. of Gaushala under		
S1.	States/UTs	Animal Hu	isbandry	Others
No.		Department	J	
1.	Andhra Pradesh	0		56
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	0		-
3.	Assam	0		8
4.	Bihar	0		87
5.	Chhattisgarh	0		113
6.	Goa	0		4
7.	Gujarat	0		814
8.	Haryana	2		513
9.	Himachal Pradesh	1		145
10.	Jammu and Kashmir	0		25
11.	Jharkhand	0		31
12.	Karnataka	2		159
13.	Kerala	0		1
14.	Madhya Pradesh	0		627
15.		0		539
16.	Manipur	0		0
17.		0		0
18.		0		0
19.	Nagaland	0		0
20.	Odhisha	1		41
21.	Punjab	20		417
22.	Rajasthan	0		1888
23.	Sikkim	0		0
24.	Tamil Nadu	0		101
25.	Telangana	0		71
26.	Tripura	0		1
27.	Uttarakhand	0		28
28.	Uttar Pradesh	0		532
29.	West Bengal	0		31
30.	A& N Island	0		0
31.	Chandigarh	0		4
32.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	0		1
33.		0		3
	Delhi	0		5
35.		0		0
	Puduchery	-		3
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List of Registered Gaushalas in the Country

Source: State Animal Husbandry Department Basic Animal Husbandry Statistics, 2019