

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES**

LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION No. *123

TO BE ANSWERED ON 11TH FEBRUARY, 2020

Fish Production and Consumption

***123. SHRI DULAL CHAND GOSWAMI:**

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

- (a) the details of production and requirement based consumption of fish in the country, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Union Government has made proper arrangements for pisciculture and storage of fish in Bihar;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the steps taken/being taken by the Government to provide training to the farmers for pisciculture along with employment opportunities related to pisciculture?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

(SHRI GIRIRAJ SINGH)

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

Statement referred to in reply to the Lok Sabha Starred Question No.*123 put in by Shri Dulal Chand Goswami, Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha for answer on 11th February, 2020 regarding Fish Production and Consumption

(a) : The total fish production in India stands at 134.22 lakh tonne (provisional) for the year 2018-19. State-wise details of the fish production in the country during 2018-19 is furnished at Annexure-I. The consumption of fish in India ranges between 5 to 10 Kg per capita [Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) report "*The State of World Fisheries and Aquaculture 2018*"].

(b) and (c) : Yes, Sir. The Union Government in the Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying has approved the proposals of Government of Bihar to the tune of Rs.320.35 crore for development of fisheries including pisciculture and post-harvest facilities in the State under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) on Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries during past four years (2015-16 to 2018-19). Details of fisheries activities and infrastructure facilities approved for Bihar during past four years under the CSS are furnished at Annexure-II.

(d) : The Government of India in Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, under the CSS Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries has a specific focus on providing training to the farmers for pisciculture along with employment opportunity to pisciculture farmers. During the past four years and current year (2015-16 to 2019-20), a total of 85,274 fishers, fish farmers and other stakeholders have been trained in the fisheries including pisciculture and post harvest technology with a view to generate employment opportunities to the trained manpower in the sector.

Statement referred to in reply to part (a) of the Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 123 put in by Shri Dulal Chand Goswami, Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha for answer on 11th February, 2020 regarding Fish Production and Consumption

State/Union Territories-wise details of fish production during 2018-19

S.No.	State/Union Territories	2018-19 (Provisional)
		Fish Production (in tonnes)
1	Andhra Pradesh	3,99,2360
2	Arunachal Pradesh	4,670
3	Assam	3,31,530
4	Bihar	6,02,130
5	Chhattisgarh	4,69,760
6	Goa	1,20,290
7	Gujarat	7,24,670
8	Haryana	2,17,530
9	Himachal Pradesh	1,340
10	Jammu & Kashmir	22,440
11	Jharkhand	2,080
12	Karnataka	5,87,410
13	Kerala	7,14,460
14	Madhya Pradesh	1,73,190
15	Maharashtra	5,83,380
16	Manipur	32,150
17	Meghalaya	10
18	Mizoram	7,230
19	Nagaland	9,780
20	Odisha	733430
21	Punjab	1,35,830
22	Rajasthan	55,850
23	Sikkim	390
24	Tamil Nadu	73,0670
25	Telengana	3,28,410
26	Tripura	84,530
27	Uttarakhand	4,950
28	Uttar Pradesh	6,620
29	West Bengal	17,70,310
30	A and N Islands	41,190
31	Chandigarh	160
32	Daman and Diu	5,380
33	Delhi	790
34	Lakshadweep	21,910
35	Puducherry	3,138
Total		1,34,21,560
		Say 134.22 lakh tonne

Statement referred to in reply to part (b) and (c) of the Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 123 put in by Shri Dulal Chand Goswami, Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha for answer on 11th February, 2020 regarding Fish Production and Consumption

Details of the fisheries developmental activities approved for Bihar during past 4 years (2015-16 to 2018-19) under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) on Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries

1. Construction of new ponds/tanks with input cost
2. Development of Waterlogged Areas
3. Establishing fish feed mills/plants
4. Installation of cages/pens in reservoirs and other open water bodies
5. Installation of Re-circulatory Aquaculture Systems (RAS)
6. Stocking of fish fingerlings in beels wetland
7. One time inputs of formulated Pelleted fish feed to fish farmers
8. Establishment of Fish/ prawn seed hatcheries
9. Fish Seed Rearing Units with Input cost (one time grant)
10. Establishment of fish / prawn health laboratory
11. Refrigerated & insulated trucks
12. Bicycle with Ice Box
13. Establishment of retail/wholesale fish outlet
14. Setting up of mobile/retail fish outlet (Kiosk)
15. Fishermen Houses
16. Group Accident Insurance for Active Fishermen
17. Training, skill development to fish farmers & other Stake holders
