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DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1435
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11TH FEBRUARY, 2020

PROMOTION OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRY INDUSTRY

1435. SHRIMATI RANJEETA KOLI:

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

- (a) whether there is ample scope for promotion of animal husbandry and dairy industry in Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the details of the study conducted in this regard; and
- (c) the efforts made by the Government keeping in view the above potential and the progress achieved due to the efforts made in this regard?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c) Yes, Sir. There is ample scope for promotion of animal husbandry and dairy industry in Rajasthan. As per 20th Livestock Census-2019, there are approximately 13.94 million cattle, 13.69 million buffaloes, 7.90 million sheep, 20.84 million Goats and 0.15 million Pigs in Rajasthan. In order to complement and supplement the efforts of the States/UTs including Rajasthan for promotion and development of animal husbandry and dairying sectors, the Government of India is implementing various schemes, namely, Rashtriya Gokul Mission, National Programme for Dairy Development, Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme, Dairy Processing and Infrastructure Development Fund, Supporting Dairy Cooperatives and Farmer Producer Organizations engaged in dairy activities, National Livestock Mission and Livestock Health & Disease Control.

The milk production in Rajasthan is increased from 16.93 million tonnes in 2014-15 to 23.67 million tonnes in 2018-19 and artificial insemination is increased from 32.90 lakh in 2015-16 to 44.07 lakh in 2018-19. The egg production in Rajasthan is increased from 13,202 lakh in 2014-15 to 16,616 lakh in 2018-19.
