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

#### LOK SABHA

# UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1321 TO BE ANSWERED ON 9<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2021

# **Self-employment in Animal Husbandry**

#### 1321. SHRI RAJENDRA DHEDYA GAVIT:

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

- (a) the schemes being implemented to enhance employment and business in Fisheries and Animal Husbandry sector;
- (b) whether any benefits under Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana have been provided to the States including the State of Maharashtra;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the scheme being proposed to promote self-employment in animal husbandry and dairying sector and the details of the criteria fixed for getting loan and subsidy under the scheme, the complete details thereof?

#### **ANSWER**

#### THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRYAND DAIRYING

## (SHRI PRATAP CHANDRA SARANGI)

- (a): The Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying presently is implementing the following schemes for development of fisheries and animal husbandry sectors and the schemes *inter-alia* provide for business and employment opportunities in the sectors:
- (i) Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY) A scheme to bring about Blue Revolution through sustainable and responsible development of fisheries sector in India
- (ii) Fisheries and Aquaculture Infrastructure Development Fund(FIDF)
- (iii) Rashtriya Gokul Mission (RGM)
- (iv) National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD),
- (v) Dairy Processing and Infrastructure Development Fund (DIDF),
- (vi) National Livestock Mission
- (vii) Livestock Health and Disease Control
- (viii) Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Fund(AHIDF)
- (ix) National Animal Disease Control Programme(NADCP)

- (b) and (c): Yes, Sir. The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying is implementing a flagship scheme Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana (PMMSY) A scheme to bring about Blue Revolution through sustainable and responsible development of fisheries sector in India with highest ever estimate investment of ₹20050 crores in fisheries sector for a period of 5 years with effect from the financial year 2020-21. Under the PMMSY, the The Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying has accorded approval to the proposals of State Governments /Union Territories (UTs) amounting to Rs. 2343.21 crores during the current year (2020-21) and the approved proposals include the proposal of Government of Maharashtra amounting to Rs. 153.19 crore with central share of Rs. 50.64 crore.
- (d): Details of the schemes implemented to promote self employment in animal husbandry and dairying sector are furnished at **Annexure-I.**

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Statement referred to in reply to part (d) of the Lok Sabha Question No. †1321 put in by Shri Rajendra Dhedya Gavit, Hon'ble Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha for answer on 9<sup>th</sup> February 2021 regarding Self-employment in Animal Husbandry.

### 1. Entrepreneurship Development and Employment Generation (EDEG)

- 1.1 Under National Livestock Mission (NLM), the Sub-mission on Livestock Development, there is a component "Entrepreneurship Development and Employment Generation (EDEG)", which supports the activities related to poultry, small ruminants, pigs and male buffalo calves. The Component- EDEG is designed mainly for entrepreneurship development and technology infusion wherein a basket of activities which are bankable are placed from which farmers, individual entrepreneurs, NGOs, companies, cooperatives, groups of unorganized and organized sector which include Self Help Groups (SHGs), Joint Liability Groups (JLGs) can choose from.
- 1.2 The back ended subsidy is released against the project for which entire loan has been already disbursed by the bank.
- 1.3 The ceiling on subsidy in normal areas is at the rate of 25% forGeneral Category and 33.33% for SC/ST/BPL, but pro-rata variable subsidy depending on category of beneficiary and location of the project is applicable.

#### 2. Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Fund (AHIDF)

- 2.1 The Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development (AHIDF) with corpus of Rs. 15000 crores provided for incentivizing investments by individual entrepreneurs, private companies, MSME, Farmers Producers Organizations (FPOs) and Section 8 companies to establish (i) the dairy processing and value addition infrastructure, (ii) meat processing and value addition infrastructure and (iii) Animal Feed Plant.
- 2.2 Government of India will provide 3% interest subvention to eligible beneficiaries. There will be 2 years moratorium period for principal loan amount and 6 years repayment period thereafter. The interest subvention would be released to Banks every year by Government based on entitlement claimed.
- 2.3 Government of India would also set up Credit Guarantee Fund of Rs. 750 crore to be managed by NABARD. Credit guarantee would be provided to those sanctioned projects which are covered under MSME defined ceilings. Guarantee Coverage would be upto 25% of Credit facility of borrower.

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