GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 388 TO BE ANSWERED ON 30TH NOVEMBER, 2021

NUTRITIONAL FODDER TO ANIMALS

388. SHRI ARVIND GANPAT SAWANT: Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

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be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of livestock present in the country and whether the livestock sector is increasing in the country, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government has plan of action to build new veterinary hospitals and clinics, if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government maintains any data of total number of animals vaccinated every year, if so, details thereof and whether the Government has sufficient stock of vaccines for animals;

(d) whether the Government has any mechanism to provide nutritional fodder to the animals in the country, in view of the fact that hardly 5% of land is utilised to grow fodder in India, if so, the details thereof; and

(e) whether the Government has taken any steps/ measures to promote dairy and livestock industry in the country, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) As per the latest Livestock Census (i.e., 20th) conducted during 2019, the total livestock population in the country is 536.76 Million with an overall growth rate of 4.82% over the previous Livestock Census (i.e., 19th). The state-wise details of Livestock population as per 20th Livestock Census and its percentage change over 19th Livestock Census is annexed.

(b) Animal Husbandry is a State subject. States / UTs are responsible for building veterinary infrastructure including hospitals, dispensaries, polyclinics, etc. The Department supplements the efforts of the States/UTs with regard to animal health and especially through ESVHD(Establishment and Strengthening of existing Veterinary Hospitals and Dispensaries) component of LH & DC (Livestock Health & Disease Control) scheme. In the current financial year (2021-2022) the focus of the Department is to increase access of veterinary services at the farmers' doorstep through Mobile Veterinary Units (MVUs). 100% central finance will be provided towards non-recurring costs of the MVUs, the recurring costs of operating the MVUs would be shared between Centre and the States (60:40 for other states; 90:10 for NE and hilly states; and 100% for UTs).

(c) Yes, the Government maintains data of total number of animals vaccinated in respect of those vaccination programmes for which the Central Government provides funds to States and UTs. The details are as under:

S.No.	Disease	2019-2020	2020-2021	(Count in Crores) 2021-2022 (till November 2021)
1	Number of FMD vaccination done	18.25	16.91	3.09
2	Number of Brucellosis Vaccination done	Nil	Nil	0.25
3	Number of PPR Vaccination done	3.89	8.68	0.15
4	Number of CSF vaccination done	0.03	0.067	0.015

The Central Government procures vaccines for Foot and Mouth Disease & Brucellosis and supplies to States/UTs as per their requirement.

(d) The Central Government in conjunction with the State Governments and Union Territories has undertaken necessary steps to provide nutritional fodder to the animals through various ongoing Schemes of the Department viz., National Livestock Mission (NLM), Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Fund (AHIDF). Under NLM scheme (Sub-Mission on fodder and feed development), financial assistance is provided to all the States and Union Territories for various fodder development activities planned by them. Assistance is mainly provided for quality fodder seed production thereby increasing nutritional green fodders as well as incentivizing entrepreneurs for silage making/ fodder blocks/hay bailing units.

Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Fund is also operational since year 2020-21 for incentivizing investments for establishment of animal feed manufacturing units including establishment of animal feed testing laboratories thereby ensuring nutritional fodder and feed to the livestock.

(e) Recently, the Government has revised and realigned the schemes of the Department in order to promote dairy and livestock industry in the country with focus on entrepreneurship development in the sector and providing veterinary services at farmer's doorstep.

Livestock population as per 20th Livestock Census and its percentage change over					
19th Livestock Census (figures are in numbers)					

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	Livestock	Livestock			
State/UT	Census)	Census)	% Change		
	Total Livestock	Total Livestock			
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	154750	145394	-6.05		
Andhra Pradesh + Telangana	56099407	66708255	18.91		
Arunachal Pradesh	1412666	1161428	-17.78		
Assam	19082171	18092201	-5.19		
Bihar	32938601	36540820	10.94		
Chandigarh	24197	26990	11.54		
Chhattisgarh	15043943	15872302	5.51		
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	50239	48404	-3.65		
Daman And Diu	4627	3284	-29.03		
Delhi	360397	360397	0.00		
Goa	145853	132406	-9.22		
Gujarat	27128200	26893274	-0.87		
Haryana	8819518	7046091	-20.11		
Himachal Pradesh	4844431	4412846	-8.91		
Jammu & Kashmir	9200842	8325324	-9.52		
Jharkhand	18052746	23614545	30.81		
Karnataka	27701896	29013412	4.73		
Kerala	2735162	2908657	6.34		
Lakshadweep	49596	45697	-7.86		
Madhya Pradesh	36332627	40637375	11.85		
Maharashtra	32488652	33079818	1.82		
Manipur	695772	550719	-20.85		
Meghalaya	1957627	2039103	4.16		
Mizoram	311856	359704	15.34		
Nagaland	911162	553803	-39.22		
Odisha	20732498	18170309	-12.36		
Puducherry	119614	151368	26.55		
Punjab	8117101	7050355	-13.14		
Rajasthan	57732204	56800945	-1.61		
Sikkim	291626	274332	-5.93		
Tamil Nadu	22722984	24500621	7.82		
Tripura	1936179	1317892	-31.93		
Uttar Pradesh	68715147	68012945	-1.02		
Uttarakhand	4794730	4427089	-7.67		
West Bengal	30348280	37483238	23.51		
Total	512057301	536761343	4.82		