

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING  
DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING  
LOKSABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3902  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER, 2021

**SEMEN STATION UNDER RASHTRIYA GOKUL MISSION**

3902. SHRIMATI RAJASHREE MALLICK:

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken into consideration sanctioning of a second semen station in the State of Odisha under Rashtriya Gokul Mission;
- (b) if so, the time by when the proposal submitted by the State Government of Odisha amounting to Rs. 2,750.75 lakhs will be sanctioned; and
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (c) The State Government of Odisha has one semen station located at Cuttack which has been supported for Strengthening by the Government of India under the Rashtriya Gokul Mission and National Dairy Plan-I with an allocation of Rs.12.84 crore. The semen station has annual production capacity of 12-15 lakh doses of semen and the average annual production is around 10-11 lakh doses. The semen station has been graded as “A” by the Central Monitoring Unit of the Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying. At present the State is carrying out around 15 lakh Artificial Inseminations per annum. As per the revised guidelines of RGM for 2021-2022 to 2025-2026, there is no provision for establishment of new semen stations under the scheme.

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