GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3099 TO BE ANSWERED ON 22TH MARCH, 2022

NATIONAL PROGRAMME FOR DAIRY DEVELOPMENT

3099: SHRI RAJESH VERMA:

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

- (a) the details of the farmers trained so far in the country under the National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD), State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government is implementing any scheme for the financially weaker farmers in dairy sector; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

- (a) Under National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD) scheme, so far, 12.26 lakh farmer-members have been brought under the ambit of dairy cooperative network. These farmer-members have availed the benefit of the scheme activities including training/orientation programs etc. The State wise details of farmers' inducted/enrolled/added in the dairy cooperative network under NPDD scheme is at **Annexure.**
- (b) & (c) Supplementing the efforts of the State Government, Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying has been implementing following dairy development schemes, wherein provisions have been made for financial assistance to dairy cooperatives, milk producer companies etc, primarily for strengthening/creation of dairy infrastructure for quality milk procurement, its processing, marketing and working capital requirements:
 - i. National Programme for Dairy Development
 - ii. Dairy Processing and Infrastructure Development Fund
 - iii. Supporting Dairy Cooperatives and Farmer Producer Organisations engaged in dairy activities

The above schemes benefit farmer-members, including financially weaker farmers in the dairy sector.

Annexure referred to in reply of para (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3099 to be answered on 22^{nd} March, 2022 raised by Hon'ble Member of Parliament Shri Rajesh Verma, regarding "National Programme for Dairy Development".

State wise numbers farmers enrolled/added under National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD) scheme (As on 28.02.2022)

S.No.	State/UT	No of Farmer Member enrolled/added (in thousands)
1	Andhra Pradesh	21.62
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0.00
3	Assam	0.00
4	Bihar	195.15
5	Chhattisgarh	4.46
6	Goa	0.00
7	Gujarat	74.25
8	Haryana	0.00
9	Himachal Pradesh	0.00
10	Jammu & Kashmir	39.50
11	Jharkhand	2.75
12	Karnataka	698.39
13	Kerala	45.45
14	Madhya Pradesh	16.52
15	Maharashtra	35.36
16	Manipur	1.04
17	Meghalaya	0.62
18	Mizoram	0.06
19	Nagaland	2.80
20	Odisha	26.43
21	Pondicherry	0.00
22	Punjab	8.30
23	Rajasthan	14.08
24	Sikkim	2.76
25	Tamil Nadu	0.10
26	Telangana	8.00
27	Tripura	0.20
28	Uttar Pradesh	11.52
29	Uttarakhand	13.13
30	West Bengal	3.53
	Grand total	1226.02