

Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
Department of Consumer Affairs

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 248
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24.07.2024

EXPORT OF EGGS

248. SHRI P P CHAUDHARY: SHRI BRIJMOHAN AGRAWAL: SMT. SMITA UDAY WAGH:
SHRI DHARAMBIR SINGH: SMT. APARAJITA SARANGI:

Will the Minister of **CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION** उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there has been an increase in export of eggs from India;
- (b) if so, the manner in which the situation has changed in the last 2 decades and the details of incentives provided to the exporters in India during the last financial year, State-wise; and
- (c) the details of the top 10 international markets for India's egg exports and the latest country to join the list?

ANSWER

उपभोक्ता मामले, खाद्य और सार्वजनिक वितरण राज्य मंत्री
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THE MINISTER OF STATE
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(a) to (c) : There has been significant increase in the value of export of eggs from India in recent year. As information furnished by APEDA, the export of eggs has grown 39.96% in value term and 92.46% in quantity term during 2023-24 over the previous year 2022-23. As per the export statistics, there has been a growth of 7.99% in value term and 6.15% in quantity term during the last 2 decades.

The Government takes proactive approach to mitigate the risks associated with Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza by adopting the concept of poultry compartmentalization which is a crucial tool that enhances animal health, reduces the risk of disease outbreaks and facilitates the trade of poultry and poultry-related products. Government has also submitted a self-declaration of freedom from High Pathogenicity Avian Influenza related to poultry compartments to the World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH) which also assist in facilitating the export of poultry and poultry products. To facilitate export of agri-products including animal and dairy products, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, through APEDA, has provided financial assistance to the registered exporters for development of export infrastructure, quality development and market development. During last financial year (2023-24), APEDA provided financial assistance of Rs.21.46 lakh to M/s Egg way International Asia Limited, Telangana under Development of Export Infrastructure.

Top countries for India's egg export in 2023-24 were Oman, Maldives, Qatar, UAE, Kuwait, Somalia, Cameroon, Indonesia, Japan and Russia. Somalia and Cameroon have been the latest countries to join the list in 2023-24.
