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NATIONAL PROGRAMME FOR DAIRY DEVELOPMENT

1447. SHRI B Y RAGHAVENDRA:

Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

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be pleased to state:

- (a) the salient features, major achievements and progress made under the National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD) since its inception, including the milk chilling, testing and processing infrastructure created under Component A of the Programme;
- (b) the number of projects approved by the Government and the Central funds released to Karnataka under Component A of the Programme since its inception;
- (c) the details of infrastructure created under Component A in Karnataka, along with the additional milk chilling, milk procurement and processing capacity created thereunder in Karnataka, district-wise;
- (d) the number of milk producers benefited and dairy cooperative societies strengthened under the Programme in Karnataka, district-wise; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government to expand dairy infrastructure and strengthen value addition, quality assurance and market access for small and marginal milk producers, particularly women dairy producers, in rural and hilly regions of the country?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING
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- (a) Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying (DAHD), Government of India (GoI) is implementing “National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD)” scheme across the country since 2014-15. At present, DAHD is implementing NPDD scheme with the following two components:
 - (i) **Component A** of NPDD focuses on creating and strengthening infrastructure for quality milk **testing** equipment as well as primary milk collection and chilling facilities across the country, along with processing and value-added infrastructure in Hilly areas, North-Eastern Regions and Union Territories.
 - (ii) **Component B** of the NPDD scheme, “Dairying through Cooperatives,” focuses on creating infrastructure across the entire dairy value chain in nine states.

Major achievements under Component A of NPDD scheme:

Financial: 263 projects in 28 States and 3 Union Territory have been approved with the total cost of Rs.4310.65 crore (including Central Share of Rs.3115.81 crore) from 2014-15 to 2026-27 (as on 17.07.2026). A total sum of Rs.2601.95 crore has been released for implementation of these projects against which Rs.2278.11 crore has been utilized till 17.07.2026.

Physical:

- (i) 31838 Dairy Cooperative Societies (DCS) organized/ revived with enrolment of 23.05 lakh farmers and additional milk procurement of 137.17 lakh Kilograms per Day under the projects.
 - (ii) 82 dairy processing plants strengthened with creation of 28.85 lakh litre per day milk processing capacity.
 - (iii) 6580 Bulk Milk Coolers with 159.45 lakh litres chilling capacity installed, 47578 Automatic Milk Collection Unit (AMCU) and Data Processing and Milk Collection Unit (DPMCU) and 9810 Electronic Milk Adulteration Testing Equipment have been installed at village level dairy cooperative societies
 - (iv) 11 State Central Lab established for testing milk constituents, chemical and microbiological standards, adulterants, residues, heavy metals etc. In addition, 315 dairy plants level laboratories also strengthened for testing milk and milk products.
- (b) Under Component A of NPDD scheme, 22 projects have been approved in Karnataka with the total project cost of Rs.455.21 crore including Central Share of Rs.307.83 crore against which an amount of Rs.255.80 crore been released as Central Share for implementation of approved projects.
- (c) & (d) As reported by the Karnataka Cooperative Milk Producers Federation Ltd., under Component A of NPDD scheme, 713 Bulk Milk Coolers has been established with the total chilling capacity of 20.96 lakh litres, 7300 Dairy Cooperative Societies have been strengthened, 5.64 lakh farmers have been enrolled under the dairy cooperative network and milk procurement increased by 64.28 lakh litres per day. The district-wise details of infrastructure created under component A of NPDD scheme in Karnataka is at **Annexure**.
- (f) DAHD, GoI is implementing following schemes to enhance milk productivity and expand dairy processing, value addition, quality assurance & market access across the country including rural and hilly regions of the country: -
- (i) Rashtriya Gokul Mission (RGM): For development and conservation of indigenous breeds, genetic upgradation of bovine population and enhancement of milk production and productivity of bovines.
 - (ii) National Programme for Dairy Development (NPDD): To enhance quality of milk and milk products and increase share of organized milk procurement.
 - (iii) Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Fund (AHIDF): AHIDF scheme aims for creation/ modernization of milk processing and value addition infrastructure.
 - (iv) Supporting Dairy Cooperatives and Farmer Producer Organizations engaged in dairy activities (SDC & FPO): To provide support in the form of Interest subvention on working capital loans.

Annexure

**District-wise details of infrastructure created under component A of NPDD scheme in Karnataka
(2014-15 to 2026-27)**

Sr. No.	Name of Milk Union	Name of District	Bulk Milk Coolers installed		Additional Average Daily Milk Procurement (LLPD)	Number of Farmers Benefitted	DCS Strengthened (Including installation of AMCU/EMAT etc.)
			No.	Capacity (KL)			
1	Bengaluru	Bengaluru Rural	30	86	1.39	21137	407
		Bengaluru Urban	22	49	2.35	18780	294
		Bengaluru South	68	192	4.68	40720	587
		Total	120	327	8.41	80636	1288
2	Belagavi	Belagavi	22	44	1.67	12122	149
3	Chamarajanagar	Chamarajanagar	0	0	2.11	10092	117
4	Chikkaballapur	Chikkaballapur	15	45	2.38	33832	445
5	Dharwad	Dharwad	6	18	0.66	3293	52
		Gadag	5	15	0.38	3010	45
		Uttara Kannada	0	0	0.53	2505	62
		Total	11	33	1.56	8807	159
6	Dakshina Kannada	Dakshina Kannada	9	27	1.48	13721	147
		Udupi	0	0	0.88	5787	72
		Total	9	27	2.36	19508	219
7	Hassan	Chikkamagaluru	37	111	1.21	13460	154
		Hassan	174	522	8.79	72572	852
		Kodagu	4	12	0.16	2772	30
		Total	215	645	10.16	88705	1036
8	Haveri	Haveri	22	66	1.05	16194	199
9	Kalaburagi	Bidar	0	0	0.03	1668	35
		Kalaburagi	0	0	0.03	2213	25
		Yadgir	0	0	0.00	940	10
		Total	0	0	0.06	4820	70
10	Kolar	Kolar	22	66	3.24	31031	429
11	Mandya	Mandya	50	150	9.31	86972	1218
12	Mysuru	Mysuru	81	243	7.18	80819	873
13	Ballari	Ballari	12	36	0.07	10647	83
		Koppal	10	30	0.42	4495	69
		Raichur	0	0	0.17	1208	17
		Vijayanagara	0	0	0.56	0	0
		Total	22	66	1.22	16350	169
14	Shivamogga	Chitradurga	13	39	1.39	9537	130
		Davanagere	21	67	1.95	16453	175
		Shivamogga	21	71	1.94	11760	174
		Total	55	177	5.27	37750	479
15	Tumakuru	Tumakuru	60	180	7.89	44674	422
16	Vijayapura	Bagalkote	7	21	0.34	2580	21
		Vijayapura	2	6	0.03	917	7
		Total	9	27	0.37	3497	28
Grand Total			713	2096	64.28	564675	7300

Note- KL-Thousand Litres; LLPD-Lakh Litres per day, AMCU-Automatic Milk Collection Unit, EMAT-Electronic Milk Adulteration Testing Machine
