

high-profit products such as chocolates, cheese, baby-foods UNICEF extrusion products apart from other loans, grants and transfer of imported milk products from Operation Flood for Baby-foods etc.?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (RAO BIRENDRA SINGH) : (a) No Sir.

(b) Dairy Cooperatives are being organised on Anand pattern under Operation Flood and also under the three IDA assisted dairy projects in other States.

(c) No, Sir.

**Serious Menace to Human Survival
Arising from Deforestation**

4397. SHRI T. S. NEGI : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to serious menace to human survival arising from deforestation in India (Economic Times 11.9.1983); and

(b) if so, whether Government will undertake corrective steps on a war footing ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) and (b) No such news item could be located either in the "Economic Times" or any other news-

paper published from Delhi on the date mentioned. However, the Government are taking all possible steps to improve the tree cover in the existing forest areas and extend tree planting activities to areas outside forests.

Cows in ICAR Dairy Institute, Karnal

4398. SHRIMATI GEETA MUKHERJEE : Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state :

(a) the month-wise number of cows in milk, those dry, average milk yield daily per milking cow genetic-group-wise at ICAR Dairy Institute, Karnal from 1.1.1981 to 1.12.1983 with reasons for yields if lower in 1983 and corrective steps taken; and

(b) whether deterioration in productivity had set in due to staff dissatisfaction at this Institute; if so, the corrective steps taken by Director General, ICAR ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA) : (a) The information regarding the month-wise number of cows in milk, those which are dry, average milk yield daily per milking cow, genetic groupwise, at ICAR Dairy Institute, Karnal from 1.1.1981 to 1.12.1983 is presented in Statement I and II. There was no apparent decline in the yields in the year 1983.

(b) In light of the reply to (a) question does not arise.

Statement I

1981-83

| Month | Average cows in milk/day | | | Average dry cows/day | | | Average milk yield daily per milking cow (kgs) | | |
|----------|--------------------------|------|------|----------------------|------|------|--|------|------|
| | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 |
| January | 165 | 141 | 148 | 58 | 40 | 40 | 11.8 | 12.4 | 11.4 |
| February | 185 | 162 | 159 | 45 | 34 | 40 | 12.8 | 12.8 | 12.7 |
| March | 197 | 176 | 168 | 33 | 27 | 38 | 13.3 | 12.2 | 13.6 |
| April | 188 | 184 | 176 | 21 | 14 | 24 | 11.9 | 11.4 | 12.7 |
| May | 193 | 194 | 181 | 21 | 15 | 23 | 10.1 | 10.3 | 11.6 |
| June | 190 | 192 | 176 | 24 | 23 | 31 | 9.8 | 9.6 | 10.7 |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|------|------|------|
| July | 178 | 186 | 177 | 38 | 34 | 35 | 9.0 | 9.2 | 10.6 |
| August | 171 | 185 | 179 | 44 | 36 | 32 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 10.3 |
| Sept. | 164 | 180 | 175 | 38 | 31 | 26 | 8.0 | 7.9 | 8.9 |
| Oct. | 168 | 153 | 161 | 38 | 33 | 27 | 8.0 | 8.5 | 9.6 |
| Nov. | 139 | 144 | | 37 | 40 | | 8.5 | 9.1 | |
| Dec. | 139 | 142 | | 38 | 43 | | 11.5 | 10.1 | |
| ANNUAL | 171 | 170 | | 36 | 31 | | 10.3 | 0.1 | |

Statement II

1981-83

| Month | Average cows in milk | | | Average dry cows/day | | | Average milk yield daily per milking cow | | |
|----------|----------------------|------|------|----------------------|------|------|--|------|------|
| | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 | 1981 | 1982 | 1983 |
| January | 179 | 186 | 203 | 30 | 33 | 39 | 13.3 | 14.0 | 12.3 |
| February | 199 | 209 | 226 | 21 | 28 | 28 | 13.6 | 14.5 | 13.1 |
| March | 202 | 224 | 226 | 23 | 25 | 23 | 13.7 | 13.7 | 13.4 |
| April | 179 | 219 | 211 | 25 | 21 | 22 | 13.3 | 12.2 | 12.5 |
| May | 178 | 220 | 207 | 36 | 30 | 33 | 11.6 | 11.5 | 11.3 |
| June | 173 | 207 | 193 | 45 | 48 | 53 | 11.3 | 10.6 | 10.6 |
| July | 169 | 197 | 192 | 53 | 58 | 58 | 10.7 | 10.4 | 9.8 |
| August | 181 | 198 | 195 | 47 | 59 | 53 | 9.7 | 9.4 | 9.5 |
| Sept. | 175 | 197 | 189 | 45 | 51 | 44 | 10.3 | 8.9 | 8.2 |
| Oct. | 165 | 186 | 186 | 40 | 37 | 33 | 10.6 | 10.6 | 9.2 |
| Nov. | 171 | 182 | | 34 | 41 | | 10.7 | 11.4 | |
| Dec. | 172 | 189 | | 36 | 42 | | 13.6 | 12.0 | |
| ANNUAL | 178 | 201 | | 37 | 40 | | 11.9 | 11.7 | |

उत्तर प्रदेश में समेकित ग्रामीण विकास कार्यक्रम के द्वारा छूट की राशि का जमा किया जाना

4399. श्री हरीश रावत : क्या ग्रामीण विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या उत्तर प्रदेश से इस आशय की शिकायतें प्राप्त हुई हैं कि समेकित ग्रामीण विकास कार्यक्रम के लाभार्थियों से उनके द्वारा

ऋण लिये जाने के बाद एक महीने से कम अवधि के अंदर छूट की राशि को बैंक में जमा करने के लिए कहा जा रहा है, जो ऋण की कुल राशि की लगभग आधी रकम होती है;

(ख) यदि नहीं, तो उनको मंत्रालय रैंडम सर्वेक्षण करने के उद्देश्य से उत्तर प्रदेश के दो जिलों में से किसी में भी लाभार्थियों के बैंक खातों की चेकिंग करने को तैयार है; और

(ग) यह सुनिश्चित करने हेतु कि आबांछित