# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING

## **LOK SABHA**

## **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2521**

TO BE ANSWERED ON 6th AUGUST 2024

#### **MILK PRICE**

# 2521. SHRI ADHIKARI DEEPAK DEV:

Will the Minister of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying मत्स्यपालन, पशुपालन और डेयरी मंत्री be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of Milk price during the last five years, year-wise;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to give subsidy on milk for malnutrition and underweight women and children in the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

#### **ANSWER**

# THE MINISTER OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING (SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH ALIAS LALAN SINGH)

(a) & (b) The Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying (DAHD), Government of India does not regulate the procurement and sale prices of milk and milk products in the country nor gives any subsidy. Prices are decided by the cooperative and private dairies based on their cost of production and market forces. DAHD reviews the milk situation in the country to monitor the situation on regular basis. The average milk sale price for the Financial Years 2018-19 to 2023-24 is as under:

Year	Average Sale price as Rs per Litre					
	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
Toned Milk	38.99	39.81	44.75	45.64	48.69	51.83
Source: Monthly Milk situation report from Milk Federations/Unions						

(c) & (d) Does not arise in view of (a) & (b) above.