GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:100 ANSWERED ON:19.11.2001 COW SLAUGHTER BAHADUR SINGH KOLI

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have noticed any increase in the number of cases of cow slaughter in several parts of the Rajasthan during the last six months;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, district-wise;
- (c) whether a Central team has been sent to the States to assess the situation;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the corrective steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (e): No Sir. The Central government is not aware of any such incident. The State government has also not brought to the notice of Central Government the slaughter of cows in Rajasthan. The matter is within the purview of limitation of the Rajasthan Bovine Animal (Prohibition of Slaughter and Regulation of Temporary Migration or Export) Act, 1995.