GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:407 ANSWERED ON:04.03.2002 CATTLE RESEARCH CENTRES KAILASH MEGHWAL

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the locations of Cattle Research Centres functioning in the country to develop high breed of various species of cattle, State-wise;

(b) the details of the various programme being run to encourage and to train the cattle-breeders, State-wise;

(c) whether these programmes are inadequate keeping in view the number of cattle breeders of various species in Rajasthan;

(d) if so, whether the Union Government propose to increase the number of such programmes; and

(e) the details of the schemes and proposals submitted by the government of Rajasthan to the Union Government during the last three years and as on December, 2001 and the action taken thereon?

Answer

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

(a) The locations of the Cattle Research Centres functioning in the country to develop superior breeds of cattle under Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) are given in Annexure-1. (enclosed)

(b) The above research centres are functioning to develop research techniques for the improvement of various breeds of cattle. This research is of benefit to private breeders also. At Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar, National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal and Project Directorate on Cattle, Meerut, under ICAR training in artificial insemination and management of cattle is given to train and encourage the cattle breeders.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) There is no proposal at present to increase the cattle improvement research programmes so far ICAR is concerned.

(e) No research scheme and proposal for improvement of cattle has been received from the Government of Rajasthan for the last three years and as on December, 2001 in ICAR.

Annexure-I

STATE-WISE LOCATION OF CATTLE RESEARCH CENTRES

Uttar Pradesh :

- Project Directorate on Cattle, Meerut
- Military Farm, Meerut
- Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar

Punjab:

- Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana

Haryana:

- National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal
- Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar

Rajasthan:

- Rajasthan Agricultural University, Chandan, Jaisalmer

Andhra Pradesh :

- Andhra Pradesh Agricultural University, Lam

Gujarat :

- Gujarat Agricultural University, Junagadh

Maharashtra :

- Bhartiya Agro Industries Foundation, Urlikanchan

Kerala:

- Kerala Agricultural University, Mannuthy

Karnataka :

- Southern Regional Station of National Dairy Research Institute, Bangalore

West Bengal:

- Eastern Regional Station of National Dairy Research Institute. Kalyani