## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:751 ANSWERED ON:21.02.2003 EXPORT OF POULTRY GOODS ANANTA NAYAK

## Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of poultry goods and the countries to which the poultry goods are being exported or have been exported during the last three years and the foreign exchanges earned thereby;
- (b) whether the Government have any proposal to increase the poultry sale to different countries;
- (c) if so, the projection made for 2003-04 and also for coming years; and
- (d) the steps being taken to fulfil that projection?

## **Answer**

## MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY)

a): The major poultry products being exported from India are Table Eggs, Hatching Eggs, Frozen Poultry, Egg Powder, Day Old Chicks etc. and the countries to which these products are exported include UAE, Oman, Japan, Bangladesh, Myanmar, Yemen.The quantity and value of poultry products exported during the last three years are as below:-

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Year Qty (MTs) Value (Rs. Crores)

1999-2000 8,368 54.25
2000-2001 15,836 86.18
2001-2002 19,876 130.07

(Source: DGCI&S)
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b,c & d): International trade in all agricultural products including poultry products depends on various international and domestic factors. Projections of performance are made based on past trends and are in the nature of estimates. Government has taken several steps including specification of standards, monitoring of pesticide residues, financial assistance to exporters for developmental and export promotional activities, development of infrastructure / export promotion marketing assistance etc. to increase export of poultry products to different countries.