

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
AGRICULTURE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3699  
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PROMOTION OF POULTRY  
ANANTA NAYAK

**Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government have introduced any Central Scheme to promote poultry;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the States where said scheme has been introduced;
- (d) the number of beneficiaries availed the Central Scheme in Orissa during the last three years; and
- (e) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

**Answer**

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

(a)to(c) This Department is implementing a Centrally Sponsored Scheme `Assistance to State Poultry Farms` in all the States/UTs of the country during the Xth Plan (2002-03 to 2006-07). The pattern of assistance is 100% for North Eastern States including Sikkim and on 80:20 Centre to State basis for other States. Under the scheme one time financial assistance is provided to selected State poultry farms to suitably strengthen them for strictly maintaining low-input technology breeding stock.

(d)&(e) The assistance provided to the States including Orissa under this scheme is as under:

State      Amount sanctioned (Rupees in lakhs)

Assam	170.00
Chattisgarh	68.00
Himachal Pradesh	59.87
Jharkhand	25.48
Kerala	85.00
Madhya Pradesh	68.00
Meghalaya	85.00
Mizoram	70.00
Orissa	68.00
Rajasthan	77.79
Tripura	85.00
Uttar Pradesh	68.00
Uttaranchal	68.00
West Bengal	68.00