## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION LOK SABHA

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HORSES AND MULES USED IN HILL STATIONS
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## Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is aware that horses and mules used in Hill Stations for tourism are misused by their owners; and
- (b) if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

## **Answer**

## MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS(SHRI T.R. BAALU)

- (a) Yes Madam. Reports are received regarding the misuse of horses and mules used in hill stations for tourism from time to time.
- (b) District administrations and local bodies take appropriate action in these cases.