

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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INTEGRATED LIVESTOCK DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Department of Expenditure has only released the first installment of financial assistance for the year 2008-09 for the Integrated Livestock Development Programme (Jeevan Rekha) for the Kerala State;
- (b) if so, the time and amount released;
- (c) the reasons for delay in releasing the balance amount; and
- (d) the time by which the amount is likely to be released for the programme?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) to (d): A onetime grant of Rs. 3.00 crore (30% grant portion of Rs. 10.00 crore) was released by Department of Expenditure on 31-12-2008 for Integrated Livestock Development in Kerala, on the recommendation of Planning Commission. Department of Expenditure does not, as on date, release funds for any programme with nomenclature Integrated Livestock Development Programme on an ongoing basis.

Since the above release was a onetime grant, no further installment is due for release from the Department of Expenditure.