

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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NATIONAL PROJECT FOR CATTLE AND BUFFALO BREEDING
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal for releasing grant of Rs. 452.82 lakhs under the National Project for Cattle and Buffalo Breeding in Karnataka State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the reasons for delay in releasing of the Central grant to Karnataka; and
- (d) the time by when the grant is likely to be released?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF THE STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI ARUN YADAV)

(a) & (b) Yes Madam. The project proposal submitted by Government of Karnataka under National Project for Cattle and Buffalo Breeding Phase-II has been approved with the total cost of Rs. 2007.30 lakh for five years i.e. from 2008-09 to 2012-13. Out of this an amount of Rs. 500.00 lakh has been released to the Karnataka Livestock Development Agency (KLDA) during 2009-10 for implementation of the project.

(c) & (d). State has not submitted utilization certificate for Rs. 430.00 lakh. Further release of funds under the project will be made after the receipt of utilization certificate, annual report and audit certificate from the State for the funds released during 2009-10.