

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRY SCHEMES
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the schemes implemented for the development of Animal Husbandry and Dairy during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise;
- (b) The total funds released by the Government for these schemes during the said period, scheme-wise and State-wise;
- (c) Whether new technologies have been developed by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)/other institutes in the field of Animal Husbandry and Dairy

Answer

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

(a) The details of the schemes implemented for the development of Animal Husbandry and Dairy during each of the last three years are given in Annexure I. The schemes introduced/implemented in the current year are in Annexure II.

(b) The details of the funds released by the government, state-wise, year-wise are given in Annexure-III

(c) ICAR has developed several technologies for the development of animal husbandry and dairy sector. Some of the technologies developed are viz. quality germplasm of cattle, buffalo, sheep, goat and pigs along with improved strains of poultry (layers, broilers, rural poultry) for enhancing productivity; enriched complete feed block technology for improving the utilization of nutrients; area specific mineral mixture for enhancing reproductive efficiency; cryoscope for improving conception rate in large and small ruminants; bypass nutrient technology for improving milk production; vaccines and diagnostics for major diseases of economic importance in livestock and poultry; value added novel milk and meat products and test kits for detection of adulterants in milk for ensuring quality standards. Low cholesterol ghee, backyard poultry H-ning leading to poverty alleviation, low cost technology for quail breeding and piggery as subsidiary occupation which have been transferred to end users.

In addition to ICAR, Central Cattle Breeding Farms of the Central Cattle Development Organisation, which comes under the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries, is producing high pedigree bull calves of indigenous, crossbred and exotic breeds of cattle and important buffalo breeds for distribution to States.