

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY  
LOK SABHA**

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EXPORT OF ANIMAL MEAT  
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**Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether animal meat products have been exported from the country during the last three years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, Country-wise and year-wise alongwith the kind of meats that are exported including the name of the animals;
- (c) the details of the Foreign Exchanges earned from these exports during the last three years, country-wise and year-wise;
- (d) whether any religious or social organisations have raised objection to such exports and requested for a ban on these exports and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action taken by the Government on such representations?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JYOTIRADITYA M. SCINDIA)

- (a) to (c): Yes, Madam. The details regarding country-wise exports to top 5 destinations for various categories of meat in the last three years is annexed.
- (d) & (e): Yes, Madam. Representations were received in the past from various religious/social organisations requesting imposition of ban on export of Meat. Considering the overall development of livestock sector, the Government is not in favour of a ban on the export of meat. However, export of cow and and veal meat from India is prohibited.