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CORRUPTION IN DMS

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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that the corrupt practices by officials of Delhi Milk Scheme (DMS) have turned it into a loss incurring unit;
- (b) if so, the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) the remedial steps taken by the Government in this regard; and
- (d) the action taken against the corrupt officials so that DMS may be turned into a profit making unit?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE & FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (DR. CHARAN DAS MAHANT)

(a) No madam.

(b)to(d) Does not arise in view of reply to (a) above. However, for improving the profitability of DMS the Government has taken the following steps:

- i) Professional approach is being adopted in different areas of operations such as plant operation, marketing and transportation for increasing overall efficiency.
- ii) Reducing expenditure by operating two shifts instead of three shifts for packing of milk.
- iii) Modernization of obsolete plant, machinery and equipment is being undertaken to reduce costs and increase efficiency.
- iv) Substantial savings has been effected through reducing consumption of power, fuel and water.