

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2142

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SUBSIDY FOR EXPORT OF SURPLUS MILK POWDER

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is providing subsidy for export of surplus milk powder;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the amount of subsidy provided to the milk industry during each of the last three years and the current year;
- (d) the purposes for which the said subsidy was utilized;
- (e) whether the said assistance provided by the Government has promoted export of milk powder; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor and the corrective steps being proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (DR. D. PURANDESWARI)

(a) No subsidy is being provided on export of surplus milk powder. Only an incentive has been provided on export of Skimmed Milk Powder (SMP) under Vishesh Krishi and Gram Udyog Yojna (VKGUY) with a Duty Credit Scrip equivalent to 5% of FOB value of exports vide Public Notice No. 2 (RE – 2012)/2009-2014 dated 8th June 2012.

(b) to (f) Does not arise in view of (a) above.