GOVERNMENT OF INDIA AGRICULTURE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1246 ANSWERED ON:13.08.2013 LIVESTOCK INSURANCE SCHEME Ananth Kumar Shri ;Bali Ram Dr.

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the Livestock Insurance Scheme (LIS) being run in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the amount of funds disbursed and the number of individuals covered under the LIS in 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13;
- (c) whether the Union Government has considered relaxation of norms in areas chronically affected by floods, droughts and other such natural disasters;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether the Government has received any proposals or representations from the State Government in this regard; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and the response of the Union Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTRE AND FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (DR. CHARAN DAS MAHANT)

- (a) The Livestock Insurance Scheme is being implemented with the same nomenclature in 28 States of the country.
- (b) The amount of funds disbursed and the number of individuals covered under Livestock Insurance Scheme during 2010-11, 2011-12 & 2012-13 are as follows:

Year 2010-11 2011-12 2012-13 Fund disbursed (in Lakh) 2262.50 3809.00 4585.20 No. of individuals 652369 595066 530357

- (c) & (d) No, Madam. However, under Livestock Insurance Scheme the farmers whose animals are insured are entitled for claim in the event of death of their animals.
- (e) & (f) Government has not received any proposal or representation in this regard.