

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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NEW TECHNOLOGY FOR ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRY SECTOR
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) has developed a new technology for the development of animal husbandry and dairy sector; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

(a) Yes, Madam.

(b) 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 alongwith 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; cystoscope for improving conception rate in large and small ruminants; by-pass 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, which have been transferred to end users.