

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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National Programme for Bovine Breeding and Dairy Development

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be pleased to state:

(a) whether National Programme for Bovine Breeding and Dairy Development (NPBBDD) was launched by the Government in 2014 after merging four erstwhile schemes so as to attain higher levels of milk production and productivity to meet the increasing demand for milk in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the extent to which the aforesaid national programme has met the increased demand for milk in the country; and

(c) the details of the funds provided to each State during the last three years and the current year to implement the aforesaid national programme?

Answer

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a) to (c): Yes, Sir. In order to complement and supplement the efforts made by the States to enhance milk production and productivity of bovines Government of India has been implementing National Programme for Bovine Breeding & Dairy Development from 2014-15 by merging four existing schemes namely National Project for Cattle and Buffalo Breeding; Integrated Dairy Development Programme; Strengthening Infrastructure for Quality & Clean Milk Production and Assistance to Cooperatives to improve and upgrade the genetic makeup of bovines with the aim of enhancing their production and productivity; and development of dairy infrastructure for improved procurement, processing and marketing. The Programme aims to attain higher levels of milk production so as to meet the increasing demand and provide better remuneration to the farmers; while developing, preserving and conserving elite germplasm. Due to implementations of the schemes by Government of India and efforts made by the States the milk production between 2013-14 and 2014-15 has increased by 6.26% from 137.68 million tonnes to 146.31 million tonnes. During 2014-15 and 2015-16 the milk production in the country has increased by 6.27% from 146.31 million tonnes to 155.49 million tonnes. The details of the funds provided to each State during the last three years and the current year to implement the National Programme for Bovine Breeding is given at Annexure-IA and Annexure- IB.

Annexure