cyclone in coastal areas (v) on account payment upto 25% advance of likely claims as immediate relief (vi) more proficient basis for calculation of threshold yield (vii) minimum indemnity level of 70% instead of 60% etc. A new pilot scheme in the name of "Modified National Agricultural Insurance Scheme (MNAIS)" was approved by Government of India for implementation in 50 districts in the country from Rabi 2010-11.

Funds under National Project for cattle and Buffalo Breeding

- 2641. DR. VIJAY MALLYA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:
- (a) whether a proposal for release of 452.82 lakhs representing the balance of the total amount of `1086.52 lakhs under the National Project for Cattle and Buffalo Breeding was submitted by the Animal Husbandry Department of the State Government of Karnataka in May, 2010;
- (b) whether another proposal involving grant of `976.82 lakhs was also submitted in September, 2010;
 - (c) if so, the present status of consideration of these two proposals; and
 - (d) by when the amount will be released to the State Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI CHARAN DAS MAHANT): (a) to (d) Yes, Sir. The project proposal submitted by Government of Karnataka under National Project for Cattle and Buffalo Breeding Phase-II has been approved with the total cost of Rs. 2007.30 lakh for five years. Out of this an amount of Rs. 1000.00 lakh has been released to the Karnataka Livestock Development Agency (KLDA) including Rs. 500.00 lakh released during current year as 1st installment for implementation of the project. Further release of funds under the project will be made after the receipt of utilization certificate, annual progress report and audit certificate from the State for the funds released during current year.

Per capita availability of foodgrains

2642. SHRI T.K. RANGARAJAN: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether per capita foodgrains availability in the country has been declining over the years;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of performances of National Food Security Mission (NFSM) in augmenting the per capita availability of foodgrains in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HARISH RAWAT): (a) and (b) The per capita net availability of foodgrains since 2006 is given below:—

(Grams per day)

Year	Per capita availability of foodgrains
2006	445.3
2007	442.8
2008	436.0
2009	444.0
2010(P)	438.6

P – Provisional.

(c) The National Food Security Mission (NFSM) has achieved the targeted additional production of 20 million tonnes within four years of its implementation. The total foodgrains production has increased from 217.28 million tonnes in 2006-07 to 241.56 million tonnes in 2010-11.

Production and consumption of pulses and oilseeds

2643. DR. GYAN PRAKASH PILANIA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) the total production and consumption of pulses and oilseeds in the country during last five years, State-wise, increase/decrease in quantity and percentage;
- (b) the per capita monthly quantity of consumption of pulses and pulses products and edible oil;
 - (c) whether it has increased/decreased over past five years;
 - (d) their price per kg. during past five years;
 - (e) how the gap between demand and supply was met; and
- (f) the achievement of Integrated Development of 60,000 pulse and oilseed villages?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HARISH RAWAT): (a) Based upon State-wise monthly per capita consumption of pulses and oilseeds as per Consumer Expenditure Survey: 2004-05 (latest available with State-wise consumption details) of National Sample Survey Office and projected population, the State-wise details of annual consumption of pulses and oilseeds alongwith