

Schemes for landless labourers in Animal Husbandry and Dairying sector

†1521. SHRI RAM CHANDER JANGRA: Will the Minister of FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any schemes with regard to providing facilities and priority to the landless labourers in animal husbandry sector is under consideration; and
- (b) the schemes of Government to connect landless labourers to modern dairying business?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FISHERIES, ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING (SHRI SANJEEV KUMAR BALYAN): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The Government is implementing various schemes for upliftment of livestock farmers including landless labourers by supplementing efforts of the States/UTs such as:-

- (i) Rashtriya Gokul Mission,
- (ii) National Programme for Dairy Development,
- (iii) Dairy Processing and Infrastructure Development Fund,
- (iv) Supporting Dairy Cooperatives and Farmer Producer Organizations engaged in dairy activities,
- (v) National Livestock Mission,
- (vi) Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Fund,
- (vii) Livestock Health and Disease Control,
- (viii) National Animal Disease Control Programme,

Provision of waterlogged lands for fisheries

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- (a) whether the land that is water logged throughout the year would be appropriate to be given to Scheduled Castes (SCs) for fisheries occupation;
- (b) whether any such scheme is under consideration of Government; and

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