

DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY IMPLEMENTS VARIOUS SCHEMES TO PROMOTE AND DEVELOP ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND DAIRYING SECTOR ACROSS THE COUNTRY

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Under NPDD, the physical progress during the last 5 years and current year is as under

Under DIDD, as on 31.12.2022, 58.70 Lakh Litre per Day (LLPD) Milk Processing Capacity, 113 BMCs with 3.4 LLPD capacities, 265 Metric Tonnes per Day (MTPD) Milk Drying capacity and 10.46 LLPD Value Added Products (VAP) manufacturing capacity have been established.

Under the Animal Husbandry Infrastructure Development Fund (AHIDF), total 213 projects have been established which have given employment to approximately 24000 people directly and 1 lakh farmers indirectly since 2020-2021.

So far cumulative 16.91 crore animals were vaccinated against FMD in Round-I in 2020 and 24.94 crore animals have been ear tagged in the country. The second round of vaccination against FMD has commenced and so far, 20.77 crore (as on January, 2023) animals have been vaccinated. Against Round-III of FMD vaccination, so far, 1.78 crore animals have been vaccinated. The vaccination against Brucella has also commenced and so far, 1.62 crore animals have been vaccinated.

As per data available on Information Network for Animal Productivity and Health (INAPH) portal, so far 3.08 crore farmers have been benefitted under Nationwide AI Programme component of Rashtriya Gokul Mission. There are so far 24.36 crore farmers registered directly on the INAPH portal, 10.12 crore farmers have been benefitted against FMD and 79.02 lakh farmers benefitted against Brucellosis.

This information was given by Shri Parshottam Rupala, Union Minister of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying in a written reply in Lok Sabha today.

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