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Government of India
Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying
Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying
(Animal Husbandry Statistics Division)

Second Floor, Chander Lok Building,
Janpath Road, New Delhi-110001
Dated: 19.05.2026

To,

Dr. P. Venkatesan
19 RK Garg Lawyers Chamber,
Bhagwan Dass Road, Supreme Court of India,
New Delhi, Pin-110001

Subject: Information sought under Application No. DOAHD/R/E/26/00267/1 dated 28.04.2026 under RTI Act, 2005-reg.

Kindly refer your RTI application no. DOAHD/R/E/26/00267/1 dated 28.04.2026. The point-wise reply of information, are sought as under:

Part A: The information regarding sub point no. 1-4 are as under

1. Year-wise total number of cows in India from 2010 to latest available year is not available in AHS Division of DAHD. The information is collected through livestock census quinquennially (every five years). The latest 20th Livestock Census was held in the year 2019 and 21st Livestock Census report is under finalization.
2. State-wise female cattle population as per 19th Livestock Census-2012 and 20th Livestock Census-2019 are attached as **Annexure-I** (Source: 19th Livestock Census - 2012 and 20th Livestock Census - 2019)
3. Classification of female cattle as per latest 20th Livestock Census for in milk, dry, not calved once and others is attached at **Annexure-II**. (Source: 20th Livestock Census - 2019)
4. The information is not available in AHS Division of DAHD.

Part B: The information regarding sub point no. 5 to 8 are as under

- 5 & 6. Year-wise total number of stray cattle in India from 2010 to latest available year is not available in AHS Division of DAHD. However, as per latest 20th livestock census – 2019. the State-wise and district-wise stray cattle are available on DAHD website link at <https://www.dahd.gov.in/sites/default/files/2023-11/FinalDistrictWiseStrayCattleDog.xlsx>
- 7 & 8. The information is not available in AHS Division of DAHD.

Part C to G: The relevant information for remaining points as sought in your RTI application are not available in AHS Division of DAHD.


However, if you are not satisfied with the information provided as above, you may file an appeal with the following authority within 30 days. The name and address of First Appellate Authority is given below:

*Mr. R.P.S. Rathore, Director & First Appellate Authority (FAA),
Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying,
Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying,
Animal Husbandry Statistics Division,
2nd Floor, Chander Lok Building, Janpath Road, New Delhi-110001*

With the above, your instant application stands disposed off.

Copy to:

1. Director (NIC), DAHD, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
2. Nodal CPIO, RTI Cell, Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi


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Total Female Cattle as per 19 th Livestock Census – 2012 and 20 th Livestock Census -2019 (in nos.)			
S.No.	State/UT	Total Female Cattle (Exotic/Crossbred/ Indigenous/Non-Descript) as per 19th Livestock Census-2012	Total Female Cattle (Exotic/Crossbred/ Indigenous/Non- Descript) as per 20th Livestock Census-2019
1	Andaman And Nicobar Islands	29,161	27,461
2	Andhra Pradesh*	5,603,378	3,489,720
3	Arunachal Pradesh	264,555	198,127
4	Assam	6,014,861	7,680,890
5	Bihar	9,094,369	14,045,971
6	Chandigarh	7,801	10,789
7	Chhattisgarh	4,980,909	5,351,946
8	Dadra And Nagar Haveli	15,315	12,944
9	Daman And Diu	1,089	1,307
10	Delhi	72,010	108,937
11	Goa	38,720	47,027
12	Gujarat	6,766,654	7,646,896
13	Haryana	1,336,988	1,579,146
14	Himachal Pradesh	1,420,636	1,371,429
15	Jammu And Kashmir	1,968,127	2,049,574
16	Jharkhand	4,193,741	6,631,898
17	Karnataka	6,539,428	6,591,587
18	Kerala	1,179,941	1,218,778
19	Lakshadweep	2,667	1,708
20	Madhya Pradesh	11,377,854	12,629,706
21	Maharashtra	8,260,501	9,014,451
22	Manipur	166,724	157,483
23	Meghalaya	540,147	560,261
24	Mizoram	23,715	32,507
25	Nagaland	147,310	42,307
26	Odisha	5,798,668	5,840,414
27	Puducherry	51,558	67,364
28	Punjab	1,993,320	2,361,522
29	Rajasthan	10,062,682	11,774,600
30	Sikkim	97,169	114,703
31	Tamil Nadu	7,190,650	8,751,431
32	Telangana	0	2,637,711
33	Tripura	602,706	616,254
34	Uttar Pradesh	14,649,923	16,948,673
35	Uttarakhand	1,302,311	1,373,908
36	West Bengal	11,188,645	14,958,442
	All India	122,984,233	145,947,872

*Andhra Pradesh includes Telangana in 19th Livestock-2012

Source: 19th Livestock Census – 2012 and 20th Livestock Census - 2019

Total No. of In milk, Dry, Not calved once and Others category of Female Cattle as per 20 th Livestock Census - 2019 (In nos.)													
S. No.	State/UT	Exotic/Crossbred Female Cattle				Indigenous/Non Descript Female Cattle				Total			
		In milk	Dry	Not calved once	Others	In milk	Dry	Not calved once	Others	In milk	Dry	Not calved once	Others
1	A&N Islands	5,202	2,668	398	101	4,180	2,710	396	105	9,382	5,378	794	206
2	Andhra Pradesh	863,879	214,886	78,761	35,699	492,644	189,582	72,007	32,878	1,356,523	404,468	150,768	68,577
3	Arunachal Pradesh	2,182	688	344	172	46,103	27,562	17,139	7,697	48,285	28,250	17,483	7,869
4	Assam	222,171	75,064	20,435	15,032	2,201,072	862,323	251,562	170,156	2,423,243	937,387	271,997	185,188
5	Bihar	1,494,674	507,698	91,529	39,690	3,241,936	1,347,062	274,123	150,226	4,736,610	1,854,760	365,652	189,916
6	Chandigarh	4,037	1,585	132	106	674	1,164	166	173	4,711	2,749	298	279
7	Chhattisgarh	76,293	39,705	15,019	1,841	1,207,867	1,511,856	448,460	78,224	1,284,160	1,551,561	463,479	80,065
8	Dadra And Nagar Haveli	389	99	13	0	1576	1,312	232	81	1,965	1,411	245	81
9	Daman And Diu	84	53	4	0	254	314	36	64	338	367	40	64
10	Delhi	24,162	5,482	1,404	762	9,504	3,034	679	1,505	33,666	8,516	2,083	2,267
11	Goa	11,606	4,201	1,033	199	6,514	4,694	1,091	511	18,120	8,895	2,124	710
12	Gujarat	1,400,482	438,358	85,114	9,578	1,584,675	799,497	134,954	41,452	2,985,157	1,237,855	220,068	51,030
13	Haryana	378,715	112,746	32,363	13,462	224,416	120,671	29,995	32,387	603,131	233,417	62,358	45,849
14	Himachal Pradesh	496,195	123,498	24,580	4,884	173,217	93,198	13,318	3,327	669,412	216,696	37,898	8,211
15	Jammu And Kashmir	625,774	77,321	29,678	12,506	339,030	112,336	25,185	8,863	964,804	189,657	54,863	21,369
16	Jharkhand	215,352	53,670	15,675	8,100	1,834,664	990,076	228,864	111,244	2,050,016	1,043,746	244,539	119,344
17	Karnataka	1,825,447	472,774	77,986	16,767	964,116	526,193	152,727	27,178	2,789,563	998,967	230,713	43,945
18	Kerala	537,642	98,112	11,572	7,111	24,786	8,457	1,553	798	562,428	106,569	13,125	7,909
19	Lakshadweep	310	126	40	13	212	92	22	20	522	218	62	33
20	Madhya Pradesh	598,246	220,850	41,721	13,012	3,615,086	2,354,063	347,978	150,715	4,213,332	2,574,913	389,699	163,727
21	Maharashtra	2,115,871	630,357	85,063	29,947	1,720,216	967,225	103,795	46,718	3,836,087	1,597,582	188,858	76,665
22	Manipur	6,177	905	1,025	165	38,006	12,349	10,997	7,051	44,183	13,254	12,022	7,216
23	Meghalaya	19,513	1,919	910	680	127,735	96,923	65,478	19,439	147,248	98,842	66,388	20,119
24	Mizoram	6,585	2,392	2,076	376	3,882	3,049	2,273	415	10,467	5,441	4,349	791
25	Nagaland	4,273	1,536	1,676	316	7,478	2,362	2,600	1,191	11,751	3,898	4,276	1,507
26	Odisha	516,539	186,389	37,377	10,738	1,438,026	799,533	154,720	50,658	1,954,565	985,922	192,097	61,396
27	Puducherry	24,052	7,111	2,225	766	1,253	796	318	83	25,305	7,907	2,543	849
28	Punjab	1,032,387	246,686	23,713	10,914	130,968	51,752	11,389	16,755	1,163,355	298,438	35,102	27,669

29	Rajasthan	899,240	298,042	59,054	15,134	3,331,332	1,803,026	290,564	122,964	4,230,572	2,101,068	349,618	138,098
30	Sikkim	39,512	10,541	4,889	719	8,488	2,508	596	336	48,000	13,049	5,485	1,055
31	Tamil Nadu	3,037,614	782,430	169,444	76,160	509,656	175,379	47,017	22,586	3,547,270	957,809	216,461	98,746
32	Telangana	230,665	59,798	23,492	6,954	695,054	304,289	129,035	43,650	925,719	364,087	152,527	50,604
33	Tripura	37,935	14,240	4,570	1,094	148,927	72,033	19,603	5,077	186,862	86,273	24,173	6,171
34	Uttar Pradesh	2,266,937	684,344	114,073	66,049	3,937,367	1,651,807	281,619	204,537	6,204,304	2,336,151	395,692	270,586
35	Uttarakhand	247,170	56,762	11,496	3,704	341,284	136,951	19,219	5,209	588,454	193,713	30,715	8,913
36	West Bengal	1,043,096	333,358	119,140	45,728	3,567,120	1,495,776	477,127	191,236	4,610,216	1,829,134	596,267	236,964
	All India	20,310,408	5,766,394	1,188,024	448,479	31,979,318	16,531,954	3,616,837	1,555,509	52,289,726	22,298,348	4,804,861	2,003,988