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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRYING & FISHERIES

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.6421

TO BE ANSWEREDN ON 5TH MAY, 2015

**PRICES OF PREMIUM MILK**

6421. SHRI HUKUM SINGH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE कृषि मंत्री

 be pleased to state:

1. Whether full cream premium milk is being sold in place of full cream milk at mother dairy booths in Delhi whose price is higher and injurious to health as it contain large quantity of cream;
2. if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor;
3. the details of consumption of mother dairy milk in Delhi;
4. whether it is also a fact that poly bag is provided for carrying milk at certain mother dairy booths while the same is not provided at some other mother dairy booths; and
5. if so, the details thereof along with the corrective steps taken by the Government in this regard?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE**

**(SHRI MOHANBHAI KUNDARIYA)**

1. As reported by Mother Dairy, Full Cream Premium milk is being sold at Mother Dairy booths in Delhi but not in place of Full Cream milk but as a separate variant to provide more choice to the consumers.
2. There is a particular segment of consumers who prefer higher fat and thus the price of this variant is more by Rs.2 per litre as compared to normal Full Cream milk.
3. Mother Dairy, Delhi is currently selling close to 29 lakh litres per day milk including 10 thousand litres per day Premium Full Cream milk. Variant-wise break up in April, 2015 is given below:-

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| Variant | Lakh Litres per day  |
| **Bulk Vended Milk** | **8.75** |
| Full Cream Milk | 10.25 |
| Premium Full Cream Milk | 0.10 |
| Toned Milk | 8.00 |
| Doubled Toned Milk | 1.55 |
| Standard Milk | 0.35 |
| Lite Milk | 0.05 |
| **Total Poly pack Milk**  | **20.30**  |
| **Grand Total** | **29.05** |

1. Mother Dairy does not provide poly bags for consumers to carry their purchases. There is no such policy of providing poly bag at any booth.
2. In view of the (d) above, this does not apply.

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