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implementing Sector Reform Pilot Projects which envisages to institutionalise community participation in Rural Water Supply and Total Sanitation Campaign Projects are as under:

(Rs in lakhs)

District	Amount released during the year 2000-01	
	Sector Reforms Pilot Project (Rural Water Supply)	Total Sanitation Campaign Project
Chittoor	1122.00	326.46
Khammam	1052.70	_
Nalgonda	1122.00	217.33
Prakasam	1122.00	227.60

(b) Further assistance/instalments for implementation of these projects are released after utilisation of funds up to the prescribed limits and after completion of requisite formalities for the purpose.

Providing drinking water to problem villages

2047. SHRI KRIPAL PARMAR: SHRI B.J. PANDA:

Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the problem villages in the country as on 31st March, 2000;
- (b) whether Government have ensured potable drinking water to any of these villages during 2000-2001 financial year, Statewise;

- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the year by which all the problem villages in the country would be provided with drinking water;
 - (e) the State-wise position as on date; and
- (f) the efforts made to accelerate the drinking water supply to all the problem villages?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (DR. (SHRIMATI) RITA VERMA): (a) to (f) Drinking water supply being a State subject, the schemes for supply of safe drinking water to the rural habitations of the country are implemented by the State Governments with their own resources. The Central Government supplements the efforts of the States by providing funds under the Accelerated Rural Water Programme (ARWSP). A statement giving the status of coverage of rural habitations in the country with drinking water supply facilities as on 1.4.2000, the coverage during the year 2000-2001 as per the information received upto 31.1.2001 and the consequent coverage as on 31.1.2001 is attached. (See below). status powers to plan, sanction and implement individual rural water supply schemes have been delegated to the State Governments, the village/habitation-wise data is maintained only at the State level.

All the States / UTs have prepared action plans to provide drinking water supply facilities to all the rural habitations of their respective States by the year 2004, in consonance with the objectives of the National Agenda for Governance of the Government. The objective could be achieved subject to availability of funds.

Statement

Status of coverage of habitations as on 1.4.2000 coverage during 2000-2001 and status as per the information received up to 31.01.2001

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