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23.	Punjab		194262
24.	Rajasthan		1103676
25.	Sikkim		1478
26.	Tamil Nadu		1483770
27.	Telangana		2792487
28.	Tripura		108325
29.	Uttar Pradesh		4325007
30.	Uttarakhand		144961
31.	West Bengal		1965238
Total			39136946

Rural habitations under NRDWP in Tamil Nadu

828. DR. R. LAKSHMANAN: Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that Government has fixed a target of 4,500 rural habitations under the National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) in the State of Tamil Nadu during the current financial year 2015-2016;
 - (b) if so, the details of target accomplished, till now; and
 - (c) the details of funds released, so far, for this purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION (SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV): (a) Yes, Sir. As per Integrated Management Information System (IMIS) of this Ministry, the target for coverage of rural habitations fixed by the State Government of Tamil Nadu is 4,500 for the year 2015-16.

- (b) As reported by State on the IMIS, 196 habitations have been covered in the State so far.
- (c) In 2015-16, an amount of ₹ 86.97 crore has so far been released under National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) to the State for providing safe drinking water to rural areas of the State.