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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
33.	Tripura	1	8	7	6	0	22
34.	Uttar Pradesh	1	76	3	2	0	82
35.	Uttarakhand	0	28	1	14	0	43
36.	West Bengal	1	18	0	201	0	220
	Total	27	730	276	1110	87	2230

Installation of hand pumps under NRDWP

- 722. SHRIMATI VIPLOVE THAKUR: Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:
- (a) the criteria prescribed for installation of hand pumps under the National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) in the country including Himachal Pradesh;
- (b) the total number of hand pumps installed during each of the last three years and the current year along with the amount spent thereon in that State, district-wise;
- (c) whether Government proposes to provide safeguards against harmful contents found in ground water by installing automated filtering instruments in hand pumps; and
 - (d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION (SHRI RAMESH CHANDAPPA JIGAJINAGI): (a) Rural Water Supply is a State subject. However, this Ministry supplements the efforts of the State Governments for rural drinking water supply by providing technical & financial assistance through Central Sponsored National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP). Under NRDWP, powers with regard to the selection of rural drinking water supply schemes and the criteria adopted regarding the same including that for installation of hand pumps have been delegated to the States. No separate guidelines for installation of hand pumps have been prescribed under NRDWP.

- (b) As per information provided by State of Himachal Pradesh on online monitoring portal Integrated Management Information System (IMIS), the district-wise details of hand pumps installed in State are given in the Statement (*See* below).
- (c) and (d) For Bacteriological contamination regular sanitary surveys, sealing of all leakages are conducted and minimum distance between hand pump and leach pits toilets is ensured. In case of chemical contamination, activated alumina and other media based filtration kits are attached where fluoride exists.

Statement

District-wise details of hand pumps installed in the State

(Amount in ₹ Lakhs) 2013-2014 2014-15 2015-16 2016-17 (till 20.07.16) Sl. District Nos. of Nos. of Nos. of Nos. of Amount Amount Amount Amount spent spent No. Name Hand spent Hand Hand Hand spent pumps pumps pumps pumps Installed Installed Installed Installed 1. Bilaspur 104 175.58 60 86.57 50 83.36 2 3.78 2. Chamba 178 210.81 286 269.66 58 89.61 3 0 3. 0 Hamirpur 3 82.45 24 57.30 1 2.00 0 4. 510 854.46 129 199.70 18.45 1.89 Kangra 36 4 9 29.02 5. Kinnaur 0 0 0 0 0 0 33 6. Kullu 49.87 0 0 0 0 0 0 7. Lahul and 0 0 16.03 0 0 0 0 4 Spiti 8. Mandi 129 374.96 23 86.34 393 495.01 6 8.90 0 9. Shimla 16 26.35 15 28.00 0 0 0 10. 8 27.49 0 0 Sirmaur 92 164.03 6 46.10 11. Solan 26 50.23 67 77.74 0 0 0 0 12. UNA 12 7.22 20 0.00 0 0 0 0 TOTAL 1112 2024.98 636 848.83 544 734.53 15 14.57

Construction of toilets under SBM-G

- 723. SHRI T. RATHINAVEL: Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:
- (a) whether it is a fact that during the year 2015-16 several lakhs of individual household toilets have been constructed across the country under the Swachh Bharat Mission-Gramin (SBM-G);
 - (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether it is also a fact that the Central Government is yet to release its shares to the State Governments for implementation of the said scheme;