

**\* 186. [The questioner was absent.]**

**Funds released for PMKSY in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana**

\*186. SHRI DEVENDER GOUD T.: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION be pleased to state:

(a) the funds released for Andhra Pradesh and Telangana during 2015-16, 2016-17 and proposed to be released during 2017-18 under the Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY), State-wise;

(b) the details of additional acres of land which came under irrigation in each of the above years, year-wise and State-wise;

(c) out of the above, how much land came under drip and sprinkler irrigation in each of the above years, State-wise and year-wise; and

(d) what was the impact of drought on PMKSY during the above period and what measures have been taken by the Ministry to help farmers in both States?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION (DR. SANEEV KUMAR BALYAN) (a) to (d) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

***Statement***

(A) Details of Funds Released under PMKSY for Andhra Pradesh (AP) and Telangana during 2015-16 and 2016-17 (till date) are as below:

Name of the State	Component of PMKSY	Release of Funds during 2015-16 (₹ in crore)	Release of Funds during 2016-17 till date (₹ in crore)
Andhra Pradesh	Per Drop More Crop	206.47	295.00
	Water Shed Management	86.73	120.96
Telangana	Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP)	112.50	538.827
	Repair Renovation and Restoration (RRR) of Water Bodies	44.876	-
	Per Drop More Crop	111.32	189.00
	Water Shed Management	70.00	-

In addition to above, Central Assistance of ₹ 600 crore and ₹ 2081.54 crore has been provided to Polavaram Project of Andhra Pradesh during 2015-16 and 2016-17 respectively.

The release of funds during 2017-18 depends upon utilisation of funds released, budget provision by the State, progress of works, etc.

(B) Details of the Irrigation Potential Created (as reported by State Governments) under AIBP during the year 2015-16 and 2016-17 are as under:

State	Irrigation Potential created during 2015-16 (in Ha)	Irrigation Potential created during 2016-17 (in Ha)
Andhra Pradesh	29113	2550
Telangana	69220	16953

(C) As informed by the Ministry of Agriculture, GoI, the area covered under Drip and Sprinkler Irrigation during 2015-16 and 2016-17 are as under:—

State	Total Area Covered under Drip and Sprinkler Irrigation during 2015-16 (in Ha)	Total Area Covered under Drip and Sprinkler Irrigation during 2016-17 (in Ha)
Andhra Pradesh	94104	121523
Telangana	39864	53176

(D) Government of India provides higher Central Assistance *i.e.* 60(CA):40(State) under AIBP for Drought Affected Areas. 56 out of 99 prioritised projects benefit drought prone areas.

Furthermore, about 60% Annual allocation under Per Drop More Crop has been released to drought affected States well in advance in the Month of May before onset of Monsoon during the current year.

MR. CHAIRMAN: Question No. 186; questioner not present. Let the answer be laid.

MR. CHAIRMAN: All right; answer has been laid. Any supplementaries? No? Now, Question No. 187.

#### **Financial assistance to Rajasthan under CADWM**

\*187.SHRI HARSHVARDHAN SINGH DUNGARPUR: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION be pleased to state: