Government schools lacking drinking water facility

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- whether it is a fact that several Government run schools are lacking drinking water facility;
 - (b) if so, the details thereof; and
 - (c) the State-wise details of Total number of schools having drinking water facility?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI RAMESH POKHRIYAL 'NISHANK'): (a) and (b) As per Unified District Information System for Education (U-DISE), 2017-18, 96.4% Government schools in the country have drinking water facilities.

(c) As per U-DISE 2017-18, the State/UT-wise details of Total number of schools (classes I to XII) having drinking water facility across the country are given in the Statement.

Statement State/UT-wise number of schools (classes I to XII) having drinking water facility

Sl. No.	State/UT	Total Number of schools having drinking water facility
1	2	3
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	412
2	Andhra Pradesh	61855
3	Arunachal Pradesh	3304
4	Assam	62421
5	Bihar	78888
6	Chandigarh	225
7	Chhattisgarh	53882
8	Dadra and Nagar Haveli	344
9	Daman and Diu	140

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1	2		3
10	Delhi		5723
11	Goa		1525
12	Gujarat		54128
13	Haryana		23221
14	Himachal Pradesh		18142
15	Jammu and Kashm	ir	27188
16	Jharkhand		46513
17	Karnataka		73761
18	Kerala		16937
19	Lakshadweep		45
20	Madhya Pradesh		148328
21	Maharashtra		108779
22	Manipur		4513
23	Meghalaya		9404
24	Mizoram		3193
25	Nagaland		2326
26	Odisha		68313
27	Puducherry		733
28	Punjab		28842
29	Rajasthan		93913
30	Sikkim		1284
31	Tamil Nadu		58015
32	Telangana		41903
33	Tripura		4365
34	Uttar Pradesh		263273
35	Uttarakhand		22986
36	West Bengal		95948
	Total		1484772

Source: UDISE, 2017-18 (Provisional).