

Government is building a people's movement by involving common citizens, students, institutions, resident's welfare associations, NGOs and other government departments for keeping the river clean and undertaking regular cleaning of ghats in Delhi.

Increasing irrigation area of Rewa, M.P.

†2319. SHRI RAJMANI PATEL: Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that an additional fund of rupees four crores has been sanctioned to the contractor, in acceptance of tender in order to increase the irrigated land area by 2000 hectare in Loni dam area of district Rewa, Madhya Pradesh; and

(b) if so, the amount of work of making of main and minor canals completed after conducting a survey by the department and by when this work would be finally completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI (SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA): (a) The Government of Madhya Pradesh has informed that under agreement for the work of Teonthar Flow Scheme, the contractor has been directed to develop an additional command area of 3000 Ha which includes feeding of Loni Dam through main canal of Teonthar Flow Scheme.

As per scope of the agreement, contractor is to be paid at the rate of one percent of contract amount for developing every additional 500 Ha of command area. An amount of ₹ 13.45 crore has been released for developing an additional command area of 3000 Ha.

(b) Works are at land acquisition stage. Target date for completion of works is 30.06.2020.

Amount of water wasted by water purifiers

†2320. SHRIMATI KAHKASHAN PERWEEN: Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is aware of the fact that the amount of water wasted in the "Water Purifiers" installed in urban apartments is higher than the water getting purified by it;

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.