

Tranche-2 scheduled to be closed in 31/03/2024. Detailed Project Report of modernisation of Vijayanagara Channels was approved by MoWR, RD&GR on 29.11.2018 for ₹456.63 crores. Package-I of civil works of modernisation of Vijayanagara Channels estimated at ₹353.53 crores with stipulated period of completion as 30 months was awarded on 08.03.2019 and is under progress. The works are scheduled to be completed by 07/09/2021. Package-II works *i.e.*, works within Tungabhadra Otter Conservation area and Hampi World heritage area will be taken up after obtaining clearance from the National Board for Wildlife.

Providing drinking water to Konkan region

†2493. SHRI NARAYAN RANE: Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has allocated/released any funds to districts falling under Konkan region of Maharashtra for providing drinking water and funds have been utilised during the last three years;

(b) whether State Government has not provided any information to Central Government as regards works undertaken;

(c) the response of Central Government; and

(d) the details of rules under which State has to submit a progress report to Government with regard to providing drinking water to districts falling under Konkan region of Maharashtra and whether these rules are being complied with by State with regard to said districts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI (SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA): (a) Government of India has launched Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) in August 2019, by restructuring and subsuming erstwhile National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP). District-wise allocation/release is not made by the Department. However, the details of central allocation, release and reported fund utilization in Maharashtra including Konkan region under erstwhile NRDWP during the last three years are as under:-

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(₹ in Crore)

Financial Year	Allocation	Release	Reported Fund Utilization
2016-17	413.57	404.45	412.32
2017-18	338.13	282.47	187.84
2018-19	474.16	239.06	258.40

(b) to (d) Water is a State subject. It is States who plan, design, approve and implement drinking water supply schemes. Government of India supplements the efforts of State Governments by providing financial and technical assistance. As such details of individual rural water supply projects are not maintained at Government of India level, however, State reports physical and financial progress under JJM in the Integrated Management Information System (TMIS) of the Department as per the Operational Guidelines for the implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission.

Prevention of floods due to Brahmaputra

2494. SHRI AHAMED HASSAN: Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

(a) whether every year Assam, Manipur and other North Eastern Region (NER) suffer huge losses due to floods and heavy rains; and

(b) if so, action initiated by Government to control and prevent the flood situation caused by Brahmaputra and other rivers in NER?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI (SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA): (a) Yes, every year Assam, Manipur and other North Eastern Region (NER) suffer losses due to flood and heavy rains.

(b) Flood Management being State Subject, Schemes for Flood management and erosion control are formulated and implemented by the State Governments. Govt. of India plays advisory, catalytic and promotional role. Govt. of India has approved 52 Master Plans of River Basins/Sub-Basins of North Eastern Region, including main Stem of Brahmaputra and Barak prepared by Brahmaputra Board for implementation of its recommendations by respective State Governments wherein control of floods and