

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI
DEPARTMENT OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 720
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.02.2021

INSTALLATION OF WATER RECYCLING PLANTS

720. SHRI VIJAY PAL SINGH TOMAR:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is any provision of recycling of water under drinking water schemes; and
- (b) if so, the details of the plants installed for recycling of water in rural areas of the country, State-wise?

ANSWER
MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI
(SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA)

(a) & (b) Government of India is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) in partnership with States to enable every rural household to have tap water supply by 2024. Provision has been made for the preparation of Village Action Plan (VAP) by local village community, which *inter alia* includes treatment and reuse of grey water in convergence with other schemes such as MGNREGS, 15th Finance Commission tied grants to rural local bodies/ PRIs, SBM (G), MP & MLA's Local Area Development Fund, District Mineral Development Fund, CSR fund, etc. The grey water treatment and its reuse is an important component, while planning for rural drinking water schemes under JJM. As such, details of plants for recycling of water, are not maintained in the Department of Drinking Water & Sanitation.
