

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI,
DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 739
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REDUCING THE HEIGHT OF POLAVARAM PROJECT

739 Shri T.G. Venkatesh

Will the Minister of Jal Shakti be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Central Government is aware that Andhra Pradesh Government is contemplating on reducing the height of the Polavaram Project;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, and the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the schedule of the completion of the project?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF JAL SHAKTI

(SHRI GAJENDRA SINGH SHEKHAWAT)

- (a) & (b) As reported by the Government of Andhra Pradesh, there is no proposal to reduce the height of Polavaram Irrigation Project.
- (c) The project is planned for completion by April, 2022.
