

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

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO .635
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07/02/2022

**ALLOCATION OF FUND FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF JJM PROGRAMME IN
TAMIL NADU**

635. DR. KANIMOZHI NVN SOMU

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has sanctioned funds for implementation of Jal Jeevan Mission programme to Tamil Nadu State;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the status of funds disbursed and utilised during the last three years till 31 March 2021 for the said programme; and
- (c) whether it is a fact that Water Resources Department and Central Water Commission has chalked out any new schemes for the safe potable drinking water in rural and arid regions and if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI
(SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL)

(a) & (b) Since August, 2019, Government of India in partnership with States, is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) – Har Ghar Jal to make provision of potable tap water supply to every rural household in the country including those of Tamil Nadu, by 2024.

The details of Central fund allocated, fund drawn by the State and reported utilization in Tamil Nadu under the then National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) in 2018-19 and under JJM in 2019-20 and 2020-21 is as under:

(Amount in Rs. Crore)

Year	Central					Utilization under State share
	Opening Balance	Funds allocated	Funds drawn	Total fund available	Reported utilization	
2018-19	0.68	180.99	167.31	167.99	168.92	363.02
2019-20	1.49	373.87	373.10	374.59	114.58	99.14
2020-21	264.09	921.99	690.36	954.45	576.97	399.57

(c) Since 2019, Department of Drinking Water & Sanitation, Ministry of Jal Shakti is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission in partnership with States to enable every rural household in the country to have potable water in adequate quantity of prescribed quality, on regular and long-term basis through tap water connection.
