

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**  
**MINISTRY OF PLANNING**  
**RAJYA SABHA**  
**QUESTION NO 19.11.2009**  
**ANSWERED ON**  
**PACKAGE FOR BUNDELKHAND .**

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SHRI BHAGIRATHI MAJHI

Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state :-

(a) whether Government has undertaken to take up for implementation of a Central package for Bundelkhand and meanwhile to implement plan for drought mitigation in Bundelkhand;

(b) if so, the long term and short term measures for amelioration of the previously neglected backward region of Bundelkhand, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps so far taken by Government in that regard ?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF THE PLANNING AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE  
MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

(SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY)

(a) to (c): A special package for drought mitigation in Bundelkhand region is under consideration of the Government.