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

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2000
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21/03/2022

DRINKING WATER FACILITIES IN VILLAGES

2000 # SHRI NEERAJ DANGI:

Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

(a) whether the drinking water facilities are available in all the villages of the country, especially Rajasthan;

(b) if so, the details thereof and, if not, the reasons therefor;

(c) the numbers of villages in terms of percentage especially in Rajasthan which are currently being provided drinking water facilities by Government, State-wise; and

(d) Government schemes currently underway for providing drinking water to villages?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d) Since August 2019, Government of India in partnership with States, is implementing Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM), to make provision of tap water supply to every rural household of the country, including those in rural areas of Rajasthan, by 2024.

At the time of announcement of Jal Jeevan Mission, out of 18.93 Crore rural households, 3.23 Crore (17%) households were reported to have tap water connections. So far, 5.96 Crore (30.87%) rural households have been provided with tap water connections in last two and half years. Thus, as of date, out of 19.32 Crore rural households in the country, 9.20 Crore (47.63%) households are reported to have tap water supply in their homes. As on date, out of 1.06 Crore rural households in the State of Rajasthan, 24.27 lakh (22.97%) households are reported to have tap water supply in their homes.

The State/ UT-wise status of tap water connection in rural households as reported by States/ UTs is in public domain and available on JJM dashboard at:

https://ejalshakti.gov.in/jjmreport/JJMIndia.aspx

Further, as reported by States/ UTs, as on 15.03.2022, out of 17.01 lakh rural habitations of the country spread across 6.05 lakh villages, 13.25 lakh (77.88%) habitations having 78.05% population have provision of potable drinking water with supply level of more than 40 litre per capita per day (lpcd) and 3.47 lakh (20.38%) habitations having 20.58% population with supply level of less than 40 lpcd with sources at a reasonable distance and 0.29 lakh (1.74%) rural habitations having 1.37% population are reported to have water quality issues in drinking water sources. State-wise details are **annexed**.

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Annex

Annex referred in the reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2000 due for reply on 21.03.2022

(Population in lakh)

S. No.	State/ UT	Total no. of Villages	No. of rural habitations provided with 40 lpcd or more of potable water		No. of rural habitations provided with less than 40 lpcd of potable water		No. of rural habitations having water sources with quality issues	
			Habitations	Population	Habitations	Population	Habitations	Population
1.	**A&N Islands**	266	229	2.26	37	0.26	0	0
2.	**Andhra Pr.**	18,606	35,331	250.99	13,063	130.29	94	0.61
3.	**Arunachal Pr.**	5,553	3,520	5.92	4,122	5.99	224	0.88
4.	**Assam**	25,335	47,948	168.1	29,559	114.34	10,428	35.42
5.	**Bihar**	39,456	1,06,962	964.59	737	6.86	462	3.43
6.	**Chhattisgarh**	19,676	73,220	214.47	1,578	6.31	184	0.77
7.	**Goa**	378	378	11.37	0	0	0	0
8.	**Gujarat**	18,191	35,996	439.61	0	0	0	0
9.	**Haryana**	6,803	7,273	177.54	134	4.07	0	0
10.	**Himachal Pr.**	18,150	39,691	55.91	15,475	20.24	0	0
11.	**J & K**	6,887	7,803	51.39	8,368	58.45	0	0
12.	**Jharkhand**	29,756	1,18,002	287.99	6,682	22.83	108	0.38
13.	**Karnataka**	28,657	23,848	213.39	34,401	223.58	0	0
14.	**Kerala**	1,578	9,398	170.11	6,476	117.32	92	1.53
15.	**Ladakh**	250	416	0.9	996	1.59	0	0
16.	**Madhya Pr.**	51,585	1,12,660	542.27	14,952	59.86	60	0.37
17.	**Maharashtra**	40,495	54,315	351.01	45,583	330.72	50	1.31
18.	**Manipur**	2,556	1,988	16.97	988	7.27	0	0
19.	**Meghalaya**	6,415	2,547	9.34	7,099	23.7	0	0
20.	**Mizoram**	692	327	3.14	395	3.62	0	0
21.	**Nagaland**	1,499	571	8.1	928	11.12	0	0
22.	**Odisha**	47,354	1,53,154	372.36	2,200	7.11	2,112	3.31
23.	**Puducherry**	246	292	5.62	0	0	0	0
24.	**Punjab**	12,009	11,984	152.79	2,360	19.92	878	10.37
25.	**Rajasthan**	43,364	53,331	293.43	58,220	261.39	10,428	29.84
26.	**Sikkim**	440	931	1.98	1,277	2.9	0	0
27.	**Tamil Nadu**	12,525	57,640	346.6	21,689	122.37	0	0
28.	**Telangana**	10,470	24,028	207.74	0	0	0	0
29.	**Tripura**	1,178	5,785	23.74	1,886	6.74	1,052	3.46
30.	**Uttar Pr.**	97,568	2,51,573	1,636.52	7,807	55.57	515	5.88
31.	**Uttarakhand**	15,264	19,409	37.06	19,343	34.94	4	0.29
32.	**West Bengal**	41,374	64,652	454.99	40,389	308.27	2,842	33.09
	Total	**6,04,672**	**13,25,202**	**74,78.20**	**3,46,865**	**19,71.83**	**29,533**	**1,30.94**
Percentage			**77.88**	**78.05**	**20.38**	**20.58**	**1.74**	**1.37**

Source : JJM-IMIS