## **GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**

## MINISTRY OF JAL SHAKTI,

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION

## **RAJYA SABHA**

# **UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1366**

ANSWERED ON 19.12.2022

## DEATHS DUE TO RIVER POLLUTION

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Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that river pollution is killing people in Indian villages like Gangnauli in Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) if so, whether Government has any State-wise latest data of deaths due to contaminated industrial water pollution; and
- (c) whether Government has given any financial assistance for the treatment of the seriously ill people due to river pollution or any compensation to the next of kin of the deceased?

## **ANSWER**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI (SHRI BISHWESWAR TUDU)

(a) to (c) As informed by Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB); State Program Management Group (Bihar); District Administration, Baghpat (Uttar Pradesh); Bihar State Pollution Control Board; Jharkhand State Pollution Control Board and Uttar Pradesh Pollution Control Board; the requisite information in this regard reportedly is 'NIL'.

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