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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1683

TO BE ANSWERED ON 18/12/2023

SUPPLY OF QUALITY WATER IN ADEQUATE QUANTITY UNDER JJM

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Will the Minister of JAL SHAKTI be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the objective of the Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) is to provide for provision of drinking water supply of prescribed quality in adequate quantity, on a regular and long-term basis, to every rural household in the country by 2024; and
- (b) the status of various States in the matter of providing water to every house under Jal Jeevan Mission?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR JAL SHAKTI (SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR)

(a) & (b) Government of India is committed to make provision for safe & potable tap water supply in adequate quantity, of prescribed quality and on a regular & long-term basis to all rural households in the country. Towards this end, the Government of India launched the Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM), to be implemented in partnership with states, in August 2019. Drinking Water is a state subject, and hence, the responsibility of planning, approval, implementation, operation, and maintenance of drinking water supply schemes, including those under the Jal Jeevan Mission, lies with State/UT Governments. The Government of India supports the States by providing technical and financial assistance.

Significant progress has been made in the country since the launch of Jal Jeevan Mission, towards enhancing access to tap water to rural households. At the start of Jal Jeevan Mission in August 2019, only 3.23 Crore (16.8%) rural households were reported to have tap water connections. So far, as reported by States/ UTs as on 12.12.2023, around 10.57 Crore additional rural households have been provided with tap water connections under JJM. Thus, as on 12.12.2023, out of 19.24 Crore rural households in the country, more than 13.80 Crore (71.72%) households are reported to have tap water supply in their homes and the remaining 5.44 Crore are likely to be covered within the Mission Period. State/ UT-wise details are annexed.

Annex Annex referred to in Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1683 to be answered on 18.12.2023

State/ UT-wise status of tap water connections in rural households

(Number in lakhs)

S. No.	State/ UT	Total rural HHs	Rural HHs with tap water supply as on 15.08.2019		Rural HHs with tap water supply from 15.08.2019 to 12.12.2023		Rural HHs with tap water supply as on 12.12.2023	
			No.	In%	No.	In%	No.	In%
1.	A & N Islands	0.62	0.29	46.02	0.33	53.98	0.62	100.00
2.	Andhra Pr.	95.54	30.74	32.18	38.17	39.96	68.92	72.13
3.	Arunachal Pr.	2.29	0.23	9.96	1.99	86.94	2.22	96.84
4.	Assam	69.27	1.11	1.61	44.92	64.84	46.03	66.45
5.	Bihar	1,66.30	3.16	1.90	1,57.17	94.51	1,60.34	96.41
6.	Chhattisgarh	49.97	3.20	6.40	32.57	65.18	35.77	71.58
7.	DNH and DD	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.85	100.00	0.85	100.00
8.	Goa	2.63	1.99	75.70	0.64	24.30	2.63	100.00
9.	Gujarat	91.18	65.16	71.46	26.02	28.54	91.18	100.00
10.	Haryana	30.41	17.66	58.08	12.75	41.92	30.41	100.00
11.	Himachal Pr.	17.09	7.63	44.64	9.46	55.36	17.09	100.00
12.	J&K	18.70	5.75	30.77	8.34	44.59	14.09	75.34
13.	Jharkhand	61.81	3.45	5.58	25.39	41.07	28.84	46.65
14.	Karnataka	1,01.16	24.51	24.23	47.45	46.91	71.97	71.14
15.	Kerala	70.77	16.64	23.51	20.01	28.28	36.65	51.79
16.	Ladakh	0.42	0.01	3.39	0.36	86.60	0.37	89.99
17.	Lakshadweep	0.13		0.00	0.07	54.00	0.07	54.00
18.	Madhya Pr.	1,11.86	13.53	12.10	52.83	47.23	66.20	59.18
19.	Maharashtra	1,46.72	48.44	33.01	72.35	49.31	1,20.78	82.32
20.	Manipur	4.52	0.26	5.74	3.25	71.92	3.51	77.66
21.	Meghalaya	6.52	0.05	0.70	4.44	68.10	4.48	68.80
22.	Mizoram	1.33	0.09	6.91	1.21	91.14	1.30	98.06
23.	Nagaland	3.69	0.14	3.76	2.88	78.03	3.02	81.79
24.	Odisha	88.64	3.11	3.51	57.71	65.11	60.82	68.62
25.	Puducherry	1.15	0.94	81.33	0.21	18.67	1.15	100.00
26.	Punjab	34.26	16.79	49.00	17.47	51.00	34.26	100.00
27.	Rajasthan	1,06.64	11.74	11.01	36.32	34.06	48.06	45.07
28.	Sikkim	1.32	0.70	53.34	0.46	35.17	1.17	88.51
29.	Tamil Nadu	1,25.31	21.76	17.37	75.60	60.33	97.36	77.69
30.	Telangana	53.98	15.68	29.05	38.30	70.95	53.98	100.00
31.	Tripura	7.47	0.25	3.28	5.21	69.82	5.46	73.10
32.	Uttar Pr.	2,63.25	5.16	1.96	1,82.87	69.46	1,88.02	71.42
33.	Uttarakhand	14.54	1.30	8.96	11.46	78.83	12.68	87.20
34.	West Bengal	1,74.08	2.15	1.23	67.66	38.87	69.81	40.10
	Total	19,24.44	3,23.63	16.82	10,56.66	54.91	13,80.12	71.72

HH: Household Source: JJM – IMIS