GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT & GANGA REJUVENATION

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COVERAGE UNDER PMKSY

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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION be pleased to state:

- (a) the names of the districts proposed to be included in Prime Minister Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) this year in the country including Bundelkhand region of Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) the action plan prepared for them so far and the time by which the implementation is likely to be started and completed;
- (c) whether drought as well as scanty rain affected districts have been included in this Yojana; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor and the time by which all such districts are likely to be included therein?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR WATER RESOURCES, RIVER DEVELOPMENT AND GANGA REJUVENATION

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(a) to (d) All the districts of the country including Bundelkhand region of Uttar Pradesh can avail funding from Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY), which has been launched for providing end-to end solutions in irrigation supply chain, viz. water sources, distribution network and farm level applications under it's various components on being eligible as per the scheme guidelines.

As per Guidelines of PMKSY, State level planning and projectised execution that allows State Governments to draw up their own irrigation development based plans on the basis of District Irrigation Plans (DIP) and State Irrigation Plans (SIP) is being adopted. As per reports available with Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, 583 DIPs have been prepared including all 75 DIPs for State of Uttar Pradesh.

Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) is one of the components of PMKSY. Under the AIBP, 99 ongoing irrigation projects having irrigation potential of 76.03 Lakh Ha.have been prioritized in consultation with the States for completion in phases by Dec.,2019. Out of these, 56 projects would benefit Drought prone areas in the country and help in utilization of irrigation potential of 45.87 Lakh ha