GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION

LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 190 TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.03.2018

Funds under NRDWP

*190. SHRI S.P. MUDDAHANUME GOWDA:

Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

- a) the quantum of funds allocated to the State Government of Karnataka under the National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP) during each of the last three years and the current year;
- b) the quantum of funds utilised by the State Government for the implementation of NRDWP during the said period;
- c) whether any requests have been received from the State Government of Karnataka for release of more funds under this Programme; and
- d) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Union Government this regard?

ANSWER MINISTER OF DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION (SUSHREE UMA BHARTI)

(a)to (d) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in the reply to Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 190 due for reply on 08.03.2018

(a)& (b) Under National Rural Drinking Water Programme (NRDWP), the quantum of funds allocated to the State Government of Karnataka and funds utilized during each of the last three years and the current year is as under:-

(Rs.in Crores)

Financial Year	Amount Allocated	Amount released	Amount utilized
2014-15	623.20	563.91	622.37
2015-16	307.62	278.08	366.68
2016-17	359.38	343.72	341.33
2017-18 (As on 28.02.2018)	290.86	365.81	268.34

(c)& (d) No such request has been received from State Government of Karnataka for release of more funds under NRDWP. However, this Ministry has released incentive funds of Rs. 86.13 crores during 2017-18 to Karnataka, being a performing State as per the criteria envisaged in the restructured NRDWP.