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

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2279

ANSWERED ON 08.03.2018

FUNDING UNDER PMKSY

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

- (a) whether the Government has taken a decision to fund 99 irrigation projects across the country under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) and asked NABARD to raise extra budgetary resources:
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of the projects being funded in Andhra Pradesh thereunder?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL)

(a) to (c)During 2016-17, Ninety Nine (99) ongoing Major/Medium Irrigation Projects(including 8 projects of Andhra Pradesh) under PMKSY-Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP) having potential of 76.03 lakh ha. (2.63 lakh ha. in Andhra Pradesh), have been prioritized in consultation with States, for completion in phases by Dec., 2019 along with their Command Area Development & Water Management (CADWM) works. For completion of these projects in a mission mode, funding mechanism under Long Term Irrigation Fund (LTIF) through NABARD has been approved by the Government for both Central and State share as per above estimated cost. Further, Polavaram project of Andhra Pradesh is also funded under LTIF through NABARD. Details of amount released during 2016-17 & 2017-18 (till date) under LTIF are as under:

(Rs. in Cr.)

Funds released under LTIF	2016-17	2017-18 (till date)
Central Share(CS) (priority projects)	3336.88 [@]	1889.06 [@]
State Share (SS) (priority projects)	3334.98 [@]	3574.63 [@]
Polavaram Project (central grant)	2414.16	1582.56
Total	9086.02*	7046.25#

^{*} In addition central assistance (CA) of Rs.924.90 cr. was released from available budgetary allocations.

[®]Details of CS and SS released for eight prioritized projects of Andhra Pradesh under PMKSY-AIBP are as under:

Sr. No.	Project Name	Targeted Irrigation Potential (Th. Ha.)	Funds released under LTIF during 2016-17 LTIF during 2017-18			
			CA	SS	CA	SS
1	Meddigedda	1.42	-	-	-	-
2	Gundalkamma	32.40	-	1.61	11.79	146.99
3	Tadipudi	83.61	-	55.00	-	-
4	Thotapally	48.56	-	-	-	-
5	Musurmilli	9.16	7.40	-	-	-
6	Puskara	71.18	-	34.00	-	-
7	Yerakalava	6.96	-	-	-	-
8	TarakramTeerthaSagaram	10.00	-	7.30	-	244.45

[#] In addition release of CA/state share of Rs. 1247 cr. has been recommended to NABARD.