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

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WATER BANK FOR GROUND WATER TABLE RESTORATION

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

- (a) whether the Government has launched a scheme to set up water banks or water collection centres with a view to restore depleting water level in all States/ UTs across the country and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) if so, the details of proposals received in this regard from each State/UT along with the action taken thereon; and
- (c) the funds released for the said scheme till date, State-wise?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL)

(a) to (c) No such scheme has been launched by the Government. However, steps taken by the Central Government for conservation of ground water and restoring depleting water levels are available at the following URL http://mowr.gov.in/sites/default/files/MeasuresForGW-Depletion_2.pdf.
